



## Fattoria Dezi • Marche

You'll notice on the label, the interlocking of two "Rs," a subtle tribute to the founding brothers, Romolo and Remi Dezi, who have dedicated their lives to farming in the fringe. After World War II, the brothers returned home to Servigliano, halfway between the mountains and the sea. They planted Montepulciano and a couple hectares of Sangiovese and Verdicchio. Today, their original site, Beccaccia, is thriving, producing densely aromatic, mineral-coated wines while their youngest vines, planted in 1980, give wines of daring finesse. Romolo's sons, Davide and Stefano, live by their father's lesson: "If you are good to nature and don't cheat her, she will be good to you." The capability of two versus one is a common theme in our stories: Caroline and Damien Colin, Isabelle and Sabine Menthon, Simone and Leonardo Abram. At Dezi, Davide and Stefano, find their power in numbers. Davide is the protector of organic farming while Stefano is the cellar craftsman, integrating cement with old barrels and new. Together the brothers have managed thirty vintages, producing wines of verve and volcanic soul, not confined by the rules of a dotted line.

## Rosso "Regina del Bosco" 2015

"Regina del Bosco" is "Queen of the Woods," and she is Montepulciano. It comes from two parcels, Delio Curi and Anziano of the volcanic Beccaccia vineyard, planted by Romolo and Remi Dezi in the early 1950s. The wine is like wringing "Dezio," extolling a few drops of water to create a headier, more concentrated version. The wine is compact with fruit and thickly coated with minerals. Inky blackberry-red in the glass into a suction of rose, juniper berries, and savory marrow. Muscle tannin stuffed with bleeding raspberry and dark cherry. Ultra long finish.



