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Part of Brunello Riserva 2017 & late releases report:
17 wines to buy

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Brunello di Montalcino DOCG, Fattoria dei Barbi Riserva 2017

— Michaela Morris —

“ [...] While quantities are down in 2017, this is crafted, as always, from a selection of the best grapes among the estate’s oldest vineyards. It is very sweet/savoury in character: cinnamon and prune meet leather and roasted meat. Generously packed, the palate leans to brawniness. The tannins have mellowed but finish with a drying rustic edge, while its sappy acidity is a definite plus. Drinking Window: 2023 - 2030. ”