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## OLEK BONDONIO

Barbaresco, Piemonte

Olek Bondonio's in an old farmhouse named 'La Berchialla' which sits amongst Barbaresco's most famous crus and has been in his family for 200 years.

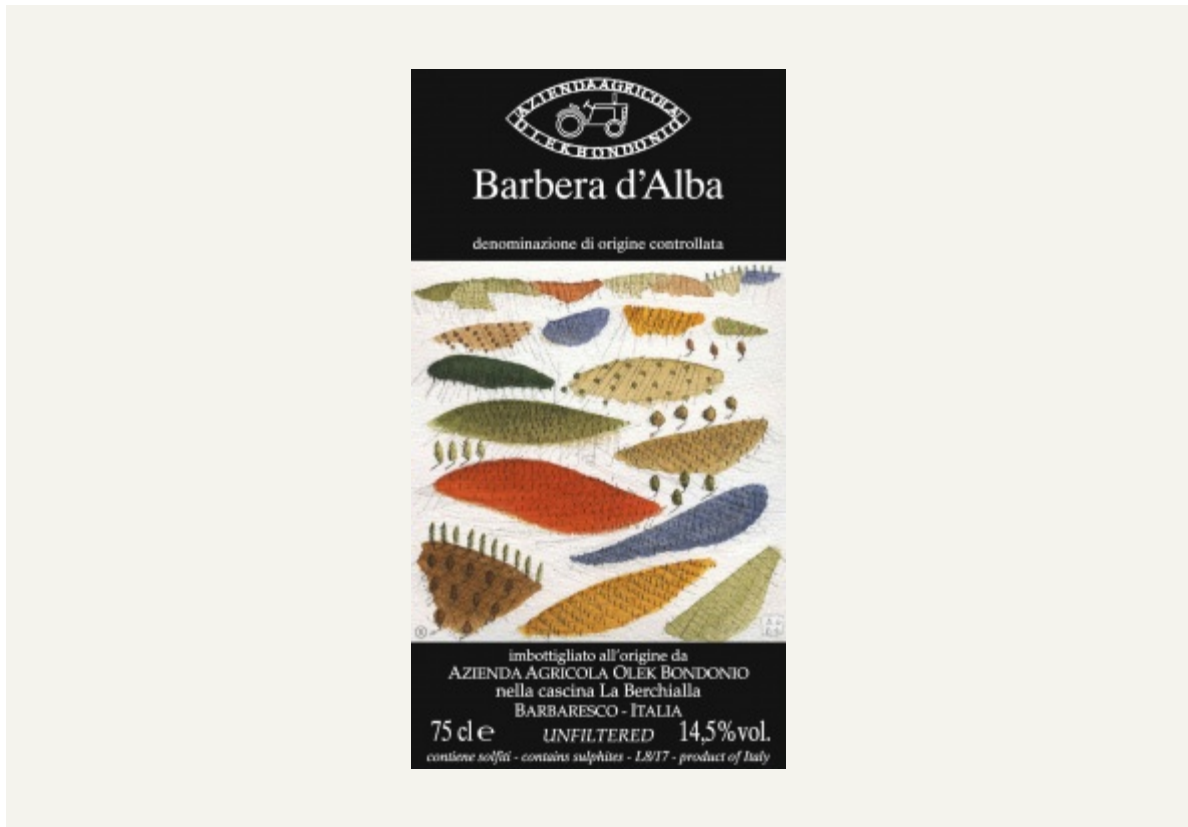
He used to visit the farmhouse each summer, studying the vineyard workers with intent. A seed was sown and after conquering Italy as a snowboarder, he turned his mind to wine, working in the Langhe and also abroad before returning home to look after the family's vineyards.

Olek is lucky enough to work with some of the very best sites in Piemonte and does everything he can to make sure each wine speaks of this wonderful place.

Vineyard work is fantastic, with a real attention to detail borne from doing everything himself, while his winemaking exhibits a patience beyond his years.

The resulting wines are pure, old-fashioned expressions of Piemonte's many wonderful grapes.

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BARBERA D'ALBA  
*2019*

Barbera from forty year old vines in his Altavilla vineyard, high in the hills above the city of Alba. It spent eighteen days on the skins, before being pressed off to botti for a short *élevage*. This is a Barbera of rare balance and complexity, with delicate aromas of brambly fruit and a beautiful lightness on the palate thanks to that hallmark acidity for which the grape is so well known.