



VILLA CHIOPRIS

Among different types of soil in Friuli, the area of Grave distinguishes itself for the unmistakable landscape characterized by the rocky riverbeds, which make their way from the hills to the Adriatic sea. This is a large plain, composed of alluvial rock formations, which extends from the border of Veneto, to the west, to the Colli Orientali del Friuli, in the east and is delineated by the Moreniche Hills in the north. The property of the Azienda Agricola Villa Chiopris, lies in the eastern end of this area, next to the Colli Orientali del Friuli, between the towns of Chiopris and Viscone. Regular geometric shapes of its vineyards, whose roots penetrate the iron rich and loose alluvial soil, so suited for growing grapes, characterize this sixty-hectare property.

Realizing the demands of a competitive marketplace, Livon decided to purchase the Villa Chiopris estate. The purchase of this estate allows Livon to now offer a complete selection of Friuli wines.

SAUVIGNON BLANC

REGION: Friuli Grave

WINEMAKER: Rinaldo Stocco

VARIETAL: 100 % Sauvignon

COLOR: Bright, golden yellow

BOUQUET: Intense aromas of sage, green pepper and hazelnut

TASTE: Medium-bodied with good fruit and a nice, clean balanced finish

AGEING: 5 months in stainless steel tanks followed by 2 months of bottle refinement

FOOD PAIRING: Risotto, grilled fish, poultry, and shellfish

SERVING TEMP: Chilled: 55° F (13° C)

