

DECANTER - DICEMBRE 2021

In my glass this month

by Andrew Jefford

UNCORKED





IN MY GLASS THIS MONTH

Ruchè: seek it out. I first tasted a wine made from this **Piedmontese** treasure back in 2012. Not since... until a Luca Ferraris, Opera Prima, Ruchè di Castagnole **Monferrato Riserva** 2017 reminded me just how much resource this variety can carry. The scents seemed somehow soft and enticingly velvety, brocaded with bramble, plum and mushroom. After those sweet and exotically autumnal scents, the textured, deep, authoritative and mouth-seizing palate enthralled.