

VIRNA

Barolo Preda Sarmassa 2009

Score: 92

Release Price \$60

Country Italy

Region Piedmont

Issue: Nov 30, 2013

Tasting Note

Black pepper and floral aromas meet cherry and licorice flavors in this lacy red, well-made and firming up on the finish, with ripe tannins. Long, offering an aftertaste of sweet fruit, licorice and savory. Best from 2015 through 2027. 600 cases made. — *BS*

Your Rating



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VIRNA

Barolo Preda Sarmassa 2007

Wine Spectator

Score: 92

Release Price \$60

Country Italy

Region Piedmont

Issue: Dec 15, 2013

Tasting Note

This shows grip for the vintage, with black cherry, plum, eucalyptus, leather and licorice notes. Glossy and open, supported by stiff tannins. Decant now or cellar for a few years. Best from 2015 through 2025. 600 cases made. — *BS*

Your Rating



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VIRNA

Barolo Preda Sarmassa 2006

Wine Spectator

Score: 93

Release Price \$60

Country Italy

Region Piedmont

Issue: Nov 30, 2011

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this wine.

Tasting Note

This round red shows ample fruit, yet also plenty of grip. Cherry, licorice, mushroom and forest underbrush flavors mesh effortlessly as this steams to a lingering conclusion of fruit, leather and spice accents. Best from 2014 through 2032. 600 cases made. — *BS*

VIRNA

Barolo Preda Sarmassa 2005

Score: 93

Release Price \$50

Country Italy

Region Piedmont

Issue: Jul 31, 2009

Tasting Note

Strawberry pie aromas, with lemon peel underneath.

Full-bodied, with chewy tannins and a long finish.

This is focused and concentrated for the vintage.

Chewy. Best after 2013. 700 cases made. — JS

Your Rating



You have not yet rated
this wine.

VIRNA

Barolo Preda Sarmassa 2004

Wine Spectator

Score: 91

Release Price \$59

Country Italy

Region Piedmont

Issue: Jun 15, 2008

Tasting Note

Aromas of strawberry and violet, with just a hint of perfume. Full-bodied, with fine tannins and a clean, refined finish. Very pretty indeed. Delicate yet structured. Best after 2012. 700 cases made. — *JS*

Your Rating



You have not yet rated this wine.

VIRNA

Barolo Preda Sarmassa 2001

Wine Spectator

Score: 90

Release Price \$60

Country Italy

Region Piedmont

Issue: Oct 15, 2005

Tasting Note

Plum and berry with hints of raisin on the nose follow through to a full-bodied palate, with fine tannins and a silky finish. Slightly one-dimensional but focused and pretty. New winery for me. Best after 2007. 600 cases made. —JS

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VIRNA

Barolo Preda Sarmassa 2000

Wine Spectator

Score: 91

Release Price \$60

Country Italy

Region Piedmont

Issue: Feb 28, 2006

Tasting Note

Loads of plummy, almost pruny character with hints of licorice. Full-bodied, with velvety tannins and a long finish. Juicy wine. Needs time. Best after 2008. 600 cases made. — *JS*

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VIRNA

Wine Spectator

Barolo Preda Sarmassa Riserva 1999

Score: 91

Release Price \$75

Country Italy

Region Piedmont

Issue: Feb 28, 2006

Tasting Note

Blackberry, chocolate and cedar aromas follow through to a full-bodied palate with silky tannins and a ripe, fruity aftertaste. Best after 2007. 550 cases made. —JS

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