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ZANCHI 'PIZZALE' AMELIA BIANCO

A bewitching bottle of sunshine wrought from Umbria's greatest assets.



WINEMAKER Leonardo Zanchi

REGION Umbria, Amelia

GRAPE VARIETY Trebbiano
Toscano, Malvasia, Grechetto

SOIL Sand and clay with traces
of Pleistocene-Marine lignite

AGE OF VINES Planted in the
1970's

PRODUCTION 5,000 bottles



CONCEPTUAL DOPPELGANGER

She is a blend of many styles, mashed together by producers to create the most likeable singular thing. I know she's a person, but is she really? She's everybody's best friend and they all just LUV her - perhaps because she's got multiple personalities that she uses to seduce friends from disparate backgrounds, creating a posse of incredible depth and beauty. When one boyfriend becomes tired of the friends, he is summarily replaced within minutes by another famous boyfriend, seemingly having been in her closet waiting for the moment so he could pop out and hold her hand. So sweet! I'm in love! You?

VITI VINI Organic practices and in the process of certifying, hand harvested, low yields, gentle pressing of whole clusters, drained off the skins and natural settling at cool temperatures by gravity. The must ferments naturally at controlled temperatures in glass-lined concrete vats. Matured for 6-8 months.

PRODUCER Azienda Agricola Zanchi, is a 30 hectare estate dedicated to the principals of low impact viticultural practices that aims to preserve biodiversity and the ancient clones that exist on their land. It all started in 1970 when Licurgo Zanchi purchased an old farmhouse in the Amelia hills in Umbria. In the fields that surrounded the house, untended for years, a few

rows of ancient vines survived, along with centuries old olive trees. With great patience and attention, he brought them back into production. Over the years, his son Leonardo and his wife Anna Maria transformed Licurgo's sentimental project into a commercial operation. They modernized the cellars and increased focus on indigenous varieties. With their background as pioneer winegrowers in the hills of Amelia, the Zanchi family have now reached the third generation, with daughters Flores and Flaviana and son-in-law Mario all directly involved in the day to day. Over the years they have naturally crafted wines that are most representative of their local area and its traditions.

