

# DONNAFUGATA®

The Contessa Entellina Estate & the Gabriella garden

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The Etna Estate & surrounding Woodland

The historic Winery of Marsala & the collection of ancient citrus trees

The Vittoria Estate & the garden of Acate

Five wineries  
one special journey

# Enjoy the Donnafugata experience

## Five generations of quality winemaking

Giacomo Rallo, the fourth generation of a family with over **170 years of experience in quality winemaking**, founded Donnafugata in 1983 with his wife Gabriella, a pioneer in women's viticulture. The family business is now run by their children José and Antonio together with a team committed to excellence.

## Respect for and commitment to the region

**Sustainability** is in Donnafugata's DNA. For over thirty years, the company has been committed to wine production that respects both the environment and people: from good practices in the field and safeguarding **biodiversity**, to saving energy and generating clean energy. In 2021, the company strengthened its commitment to environmental, social and governance sustainability – in line with the UN's 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development – and joined the Sicily SOSTain Foundation.

Since 2008, Donnafugata has supported FAI – the National Trust for Italy – with which it shares the mission to protect Italy's landscape. This relationship was further strengthened following the restoration and donation of the **Giardino Pantesco** (Pantelleria Garden) in the winery in Contrada Khamma, and the decision to host a collection of **ancient Kolymbethra citrus trees** in the historic winery in Marsala.

## The Gardens: a multisensory experience

Donnafugata wines express authentic and sustainable Sicilian winemaking. Taking care of the land means paying attention to the quality of production and promoting a relationship of mutual benefit between wine and plant. Therefore, the creation of **horticultural and other gardens on the estates**, the integration of **agricultural and natural environments**, and the protection of natural areas are acts that nurture agriculture and, above all, culture, enrich the landscape with **biodiversity**, and enhance its **beauty**.

Visiting a Donnafugata estate is a multi-sensory experience: the tasting journey of the wines and flavours of the area is accompanied by olfactory and visual explorations of nature that become memories, emotions, and aesthetic pleasures.

## The Contessa Entellina Estate and Gabriella's Garden

In the heart of western Sicily, among the hills of Contessa Entellina, where the vineyards are integral to the landscape, Donnafugata was founded. Here you'll find settings from the classic Italian novel *The Leopard*, and its *donna in fuga* (woman in flight). It is a region where art, history and literature have become interwoven over centuries.

Here too is the garden conceived by the green mind of **Gabriella**, comprising three elements: from the species most representative of **Mediterranean culture** to exotic and native plants and a picturesque double row of palm trees. A bridge between culture and agriculture, created with the care of one who knows that beauty comes from hard work and respect for future generations.



## The Pantelleria Estate and the Cammino di Khamma

In the extreme environment of Pantelleria, a volcanic island between Sicily and Africa, Donnafugata has developed a project employing bold viticulture. A magical place framed by a natural amphitheatre where the horizon is marked by the sea.

Among the **Pantelleria sapling vines** (UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage), is the **Giardino Pantesco** (Pantelleria Garden), donated to **FAI**: an agronomic system that is self-sufficient in water, and which protects a centuries-old orange tree. Here, the **Cammino di Khamma** (Khamma trail), which winds through Mediterranean scrub, centuries-old olive trees and capers, exemplifies the perfect harmony between nature and agriculture.



## The historic winery in Marsala and the collection of ancient citrus trees

The historic family winery, built in 1851, forms the heart of a business driven by excellence that retains the typical layout of the Sicilian 'baglio' (a building with courtyard), dotted with citrus and olive. Here the underground barrique cellar safeguards Donnafugata's oenological treasures.

From autumn 2023, this unique setting near the sea and the evocative salt pans will host a collection of extremely rare varieties of *Kolymbethra* citrus trees, an Italian asset protected by FAI in the Valley of the Temples. Donnafugata's contribution to celebrating the beauty of this ancient landscape and further promoting Sicilian agrobiodiversity.



## The Vittoria Estate and the verziere of Acate

Between the Hyblean plateau and the sea, the Vittoria region is home to smooth red wines with a floral essence, and a prestigious wine appellation that includes Sicily's first and only DOCG: the Cerasuolo di Vittoria.

Set in a natural amphitheatre of honey-coloured rocks, the Acate Winery blends into the agricultural landscape full of vines and olive and orange trees. The garden is characterized by tubs overflowing with **aromatic herbs**, a space suspended between practicality and pleasure, bringing together the worlds of plants and wine in a journey of olfactory memories and visual experiences.



# The Etna Estate and surrounding woodland

A seemingly inaccessible region that holds a well-kept secret: vineyards that are tended with passion and tenacity on Europe's highest active volcano. There where the land displays its infinite power, the elegant volcanic wines attest to the allure of mountain viticulture.

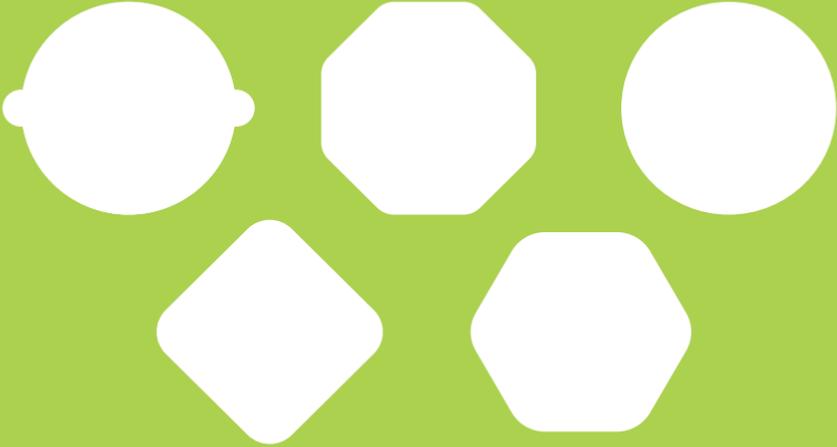
The farming landscape that surrounds the Randazzo estate, with its terraces and millstones, woods and lava flows, forms a unique environmental mosaic. Passing through the vineyards, looking up at the mountain and strolling in the woods, you'll also find a surprising quantity of native herbs; at any time of year, the sights, smells and flavours are a delicious assault on the senses.



# A journey for real brand ambassadors

**Tour our wineries, enjoy the tastings and collect your stamps**

Tour all five wineries and enjoy wonderful tasting experiences, becoming a Donnafugata brand ambassador. Collect stamps from all five tours and it will be our pleasure to offer you your favourite Donnafugata tasting for free.



# Tasting

## A unique experience discovering Donnafugata's Sicily

At Donnafugata, we believe in a warm **welcome**, reflecting genuine Sicilian hospitality. Our philosophy is simple: give visitors an engaging experience, offering tours that bring nature and culture together, tastings of wines from small high-quality yields, and elegant pairings with local speciality dishes.

Each winery offers a personalised experience according to the visitor's wishes and time available: various tastings and guided tours are available, in Italian or English.

Each winery has a wine shop with an expert staff and an international shipping service.

## Which tasting do you want to try today?



Our variety of **Just Wine** experiences



Our creative **Brunch** offering



Our magical **Gourmet** tastings



Our relaxing **#Donnafugatitime**



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## *Visit our estates*

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