

## American Wine Society – Lone Star Chapter (January 2015)

The Lone Star (TX) Chapter met on January 24<sup>th</sup> at Lantana Golf Club in Lantana, TX. The theme for the evening was “Wines of Italy”. Approximately 35 members and guests attended the tasting, hosted by Ramon Cueto, Judy Bortnem, and MaryAnne Cipperly. As is usual of tastings hosted by Ramon, the wines chosen were outstanding choices and their presentation was educational and energetic. Each attendee was provided with tasting notes of all of the wines, a map of Italy showing all of the great wine regions of the country and their primary varietals, as well as a brief history of the wines of Italy, regulations and DOC’s, and a listing of the primary varietals grown there. The wines presented were seemingly from all corners of Italy and ran the gamut from little to widely known. A buffet-style sit down dinner of lasagna, linguini alfredo, and salad coupled with good company topped the evening off. A great time was had by all.

### Icebreakers

### Cost

2013 La Luca Prosecco

10

### Wines Tasted

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2013 Kupelwieser Pinot Bianco

12 (3)

2011 Rocca delle Macie Vernaccia

11

2011 Casa di Terra Masaico Super Tuscan

30

2010 Borgo Scopetto Chianti Classico

12

2008 Tenuta di Portale Aglianco del Vulture Riserva

16

2009 Pocciotondo Brunello di Motalcino

30 (2)

2009 Roggeri Barolo la Morra

33 (1)