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Elvio Cagno – Dolcetto d'Alba, Vigna del Mandorlo DOC

Dolcetto d'Alba grows in the northwestern Italian region of Piedmont; “dolcetto” means “little sweet one,” although I can assure you there’s absolutely nothing sweet about the wine this grape produces! Elvio Cagno’s Dolcetto d’Alba is a bit more aggressive than the average Dolcetto. It’s chewy and dry, with good tannins and grilled, smoky wild berry notes. All in all, it pairs beautifully with the sweetness and creaminess of the butternut squash polenta, while picking up on the spiciness and earthiness of the spinach. And it does all that without overwhelming the dish! A beautiful thing indeed...