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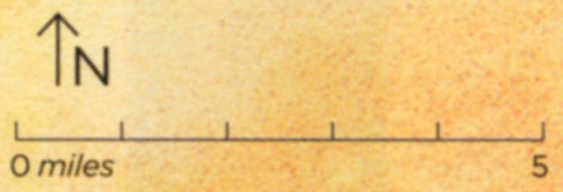
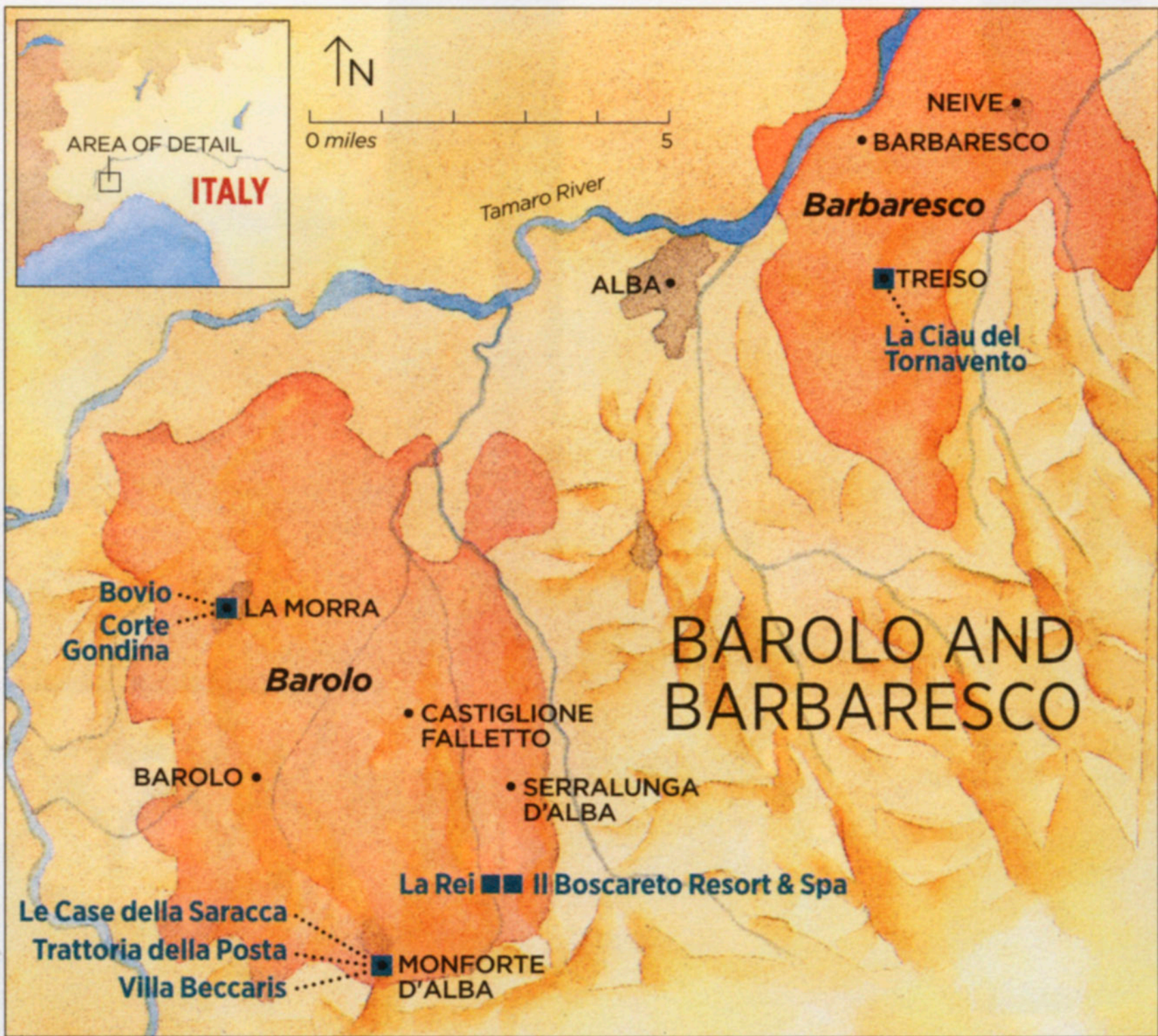
# WHERE TO STAY

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## Corte Gondina Hotel

*Via Roma 100, La Morra* **Telephone** (39) 0173-509-781 **Website** *www.cortegondina.it* **Rooms** 16 **Rates** \$126–\$192

A friendly and cozy family-run hotel in the heart of La Morra, this is a favorite of Barolo regulars. Young owners Bruno and Elena Viberti converted this 19th-century house to an inn decorated in beige and white tones and furnished with period-style furniture and artwork. Impeccably tidy and tasteful, some of the well-appointed guest rooms are on the small side, so consider the superior or deluxe options. Generous breakfasts include local jams, cheeses and salumi and homemade cakes and tarts. Common rooms are warm and welcoming and a small spa will be added to the pool area by fall.



Tamaro River

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