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Vega Clara - Diez Almendros | Ribera del Duero DO
Spain (CASTILLA Y LEON) — 2021

Domain

Vega Clara

Vega Clara owns 12 hectares of vineyards. The winery is located about 30 km east of Valladolid. All vineyards are situated in the village of Quintanilla de Onésimo, on the famous Golden Mile of Ribera del Duero. Vega Clara's vineyards are divided into two different plots of land, located on opposite sides of the village, at altitudes of 720 and 800 meters above sea level. In total, three red grape varieties are cultivated, producing wines with remarkable aromas.

Vinification

Rigorous, manual selection of the grapes. Harvesting took place on September 30, 2016. The fermentation is 50% in American oak and 50% in French oak barrels. The wine will then mature for another 12 months before being bottled.

Taste

This wine presents its characteristic beautiful and intense cherry color, with raspberry glints and a deep blueish-violet edge. Capturing both the complexity and elegance of great Ribera del Duero tempranillo, this wine offers come-hither aromas of ripe strawberry, red plum, black pepper, licorice and cocoa. On the palate the wine presents itself rich and full. While the texture is supple and creamy, good acidity keeps the flavors lively, while carrying the wine to a long, bright finish. Intense with ripe tannins.

Food pairing

Bacon - smoked | Herbal bread | Meat - roasted | Leg of lamb

General information

Type: Red wine
Grape varieties: Tempranillo
Viticulture: Traditional
Storage (years): + 5-7
Serving temperature: 16-17 °C
Taste profile: Complex generous

