

Sorte Antiga 2022 Rafael Palacios - 75 cl.

Sorta Antiga comes from the oldest and the most spectacular of Rafa's vineyards- he names it "the Montrachet of Valdeorras". The parcel is only 0,24 ha. Only bush vines, planted in 1920. The soil is covered with straw, to avoid erosion of the powdery granit. Thos Godello is something apart in Rafa's range. Darker, due to the skin-contact maceration - a tannic white, the orange wine by Rafael Palacios.



Atlantic, powerful gourmet wine











Vinification

Vinification à l'ancienne; whole bunch fermentation in old vats where the wine is then aged for 12 months. Total production is only 960 bottles.

To serve

Be sure to decant this wine. Then serve it not too cold in a large glass.

Storage potential

Drink as from: 2025 Best moment: 2027-2029

Until: 2032

II. Trial analysis

Dark color, slightly orange. This wine may not have the exuberant nose of the Godello, but is has a good body, a good acidity and a tannic structure with subtle oak notes. Long and mineral finish expressing the superb terroir it's coming from.

Description domain

In less than 10 years, Rafael Palacios has become THE reference for great white wines in Spain and his influence has been huge. Today, Godello is one of the most popular Spanish grapes and all the famous oenologists in Spain make wine in Valdeorras.