

Rebel.lia

Free-wheeling and a bit irreverent, Rebel.lia hints at our winemaker's base guitarist past in a popular local rock band. Rodolfo is still willing to break a few rules if that's what it takes to craft outstanding, certified-organic wine whose excellent value proposition delights knowledgeable wine drinkers.



Certified Organic

REBEL.LIA BLANCO



APPELLATION: D.O. Utiel-Requena

VINTAGE: 2018

VARIETAL SELECTION: Chardonnay (50%), Sauvignon Blanc (50%)

WINEMAKER: Rodolfo Valiente

TASTING NOTES

Color: Clear and brilliant with straw yellow color.

Bouquet: Aromatics show good intensity, with limey citrus notes, mango, and other tropical fruits, plus lightly toasted and spicy hints from the oak aging.

Palate: Dry, rich and supple, with flavors of lime zest, peachy fruit, and subtle spice. A versatile, balanced wine with crisp acidity and considerable length.

WINEMAKING

The most outstanding characteristic of this year's harvest was the so-called "delay". In addition, the rain has brought fond memories of prior times when it often rained during harvest. The grape maturation was moderately slower bringing in slightly lower sugar loadings than previous years. We are very grateful for this as it has captured the essence of our wines, giving them a good acidic flavor and providing a fresh sensation. Grapes were put through a pre-fermentation maceration at cold temperatures, using only freerun "must" juice, followed by fermentation at low temperatures as well, to preserve freshness.

VINEYARDS

Grapes for Rebel.lia are sourced from our Finca Alfaro and Pasamonte vineyards in Utiel-Requena, 70 kilometers inland from the Mediterranean Sea. Viticultural practices encourage biodiversity and sustainability, with no use of pesticides or industrial fertilizers. This wine receives organic certification per the EU's strict requirements for Ecological Farming.

AWARDS & DISTINCTIONS

Bioweinpreis / International Organic Wine Contest

2017 - Silver Medal

Silver Medal International Wine Guide Catavinum 2014

Production	Alcohol/Vol	Total Acidity	Free Sulphur
25,000 Bt	12.5%	5.86 g/l (tartaric)	33 mg/l

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