

Faustino

GRAN FAUSTINO I GRAN RESERVA 2004

Description

Garnet-coloured, medium-bodied, bright wine with a long life ahead of it.

It is clean and intense on the nose. Tertiary aromas predominate, with a marked presence of prunes and ripe fruit, perfectly blending with spicy and balsamic aromas from the barrel ageing. Black pepper is also present, reminding us that the Graciano is part of this very particular blend.

It is on the palate where this great wine shows its elegance. Its entrance is subtle, but it gradually unleashes a flood of sensations. Notes of liquorice, candied fruit, cocoa, and again, the balsamic notes we found on the nose also appear. A well-balanced acidity and polished tannins highlight its silkiness and roundness. It's a wine brimming with nuances and complexity, very plush, with a sweet and delicate finish.

Issues



Red Gran Reserva Tempranillo, Graciano y Mazuelo.



Minimum 38 months in American and French oak barrels



D.O.Ca. Rioja



75 cl.



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