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Rodrigo Méndez - 75 cl.



A small side project by Rodrigo Méndez of Forjas del Salnés. This wine comes from 105-year-old vines, trained in pergola next to his parents' vegetable garden. Three small plots: one on granite, one on sandy soil and one on calcareous soil.

Vinification
Everything is harvested manually and then fermented in old 600L barriques. Only autochthonous yeasts are used and no malolactic transformation applied.

Storage potential
Drink as from: 2025
Best moment: 2026-2028
Until: 2030

To serve
10°C

Trial analysis
Very complex nose with a mineral impression. Slightly fuller onset than we are used to from Albariño, but this is followed by enormous tension and energy, tingling acids that give the wine tremendous length.

Description domain

Rodrigo Méndez, often called Rodri, is the winemaker behind Forjas del Salnés in Rías Baixas. Alongside this estate, he also produces a small range of wines under his own name. These are white wines made from old Albariño vines, sourced from different plots and soil types. Production is always very limited.

Wine style:
Atlantic, fresh and crisp

Assembly
Albariño (100%)

Region:
Galicia

Appellation:
D.O. Rias Baixas

Wine estate:
Rodrigo Méndez

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