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# José Pariente Verdejo 2016
## José Pariente - 150 cl. (Magnum)




This is the entry level wine of the estate - but also its flagship wine! The Dos Victorias owe it their fame. José Pariente was Marivi's father, who looked after the old vines of the estate for all his life.

**Vinification**
Stainless steel tanks; skin-contact maceration (12 hours). Marivi Pariente is working with the University of Madrid on a project aiming at reducing the addition of sulphur at each stage of the winemaking, and measuring its influence on the aromatic pallet of the wine.

**Storage potential**
To be drunk young, within 3 years of bottling, preferably. 5 years potential.

**To serve**
Serve at 12°C.

**Trial analysis**
Exuberant on the nose - Granny Smith apple, green spices citrus, and an subtle exotic note. Also very fruity on the palate, but also mineral, full-bodied and lively. Some surprising, smoky and salty notes in the finish. An easy to drink, very elegant wine indeed!

**Assembly**
Verdejo (100%)

**Region:**
Castilla y León

**Appellation:**
D.O. Rueda

**Wine estate:**
José Pariente

Description domain

This estate, already awarded numerous times, is now a source of inspiration for many winegrowers in Rueda. Martina Prieto Pariente remains driven by a constant desire to improve and aims to push Verdejo to its limits. Minimal use of sulphites, indigenous yeasts, precise viticulture, micro- and plot vinifications, and ageing in foudres, ovoid concrete vats and barrels all play a key role in this approach. With this philosophy, she aims to demonstrate that Verdejo has far more to offer than what is commonly found on the market today.