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Mentidero 2023
Puro Rofe - 75 cl.



Mentidero is the most freaky of all Rofe wines. The wine is bottled as a field blend, in this case a mix of white and red grape varieties. This is a fine example of a Blouge wine, a contraction of blanc and rouge. That is why it is often considered a clarete. In 2020, the wine is lighter and is classified as a white wine. Wild stuff! Production of only 700 bottles.

Vinification
Immediate pressing of the grapes, 50% in oak barrels and 50% in stainless steel. The red grapes are not destemmed. White and red grapes are co-fermented, resulting in a wine positioned between a white and a light red. Spontaneous fermentation, followed by approximately 6 months of ageing.

Storage potential
Drink preferably from 2023 and before 2030. At its best between 2026 and 2028.

To serve
Decant before serving, so as to let its complex aromas express themselves. Serve at 14°C in a large glass.

Trial analysis
Logically, this is the darkest of all blends, because it contains some Listán Negro grapes. Very complex on the nose, full ofd herbs but also red fruit, fennel, aniseed and even flowers after some swirling. Complex and mineral on the palate, with a dry, salty finsih. Very nice!

Wine style:
Atlantic, volcanic and mineral

Assembly
Diégo, Listán blanco, Listán Negro, Malvasía Volcánica

Region:
Canarias

Appellation:
D.O.P. Islas Canarias - Lanzarote

Wine estate:
Puro Rofe

Biological

Description domain

Lanzarote seems to be a wine-lover's paradise: its old autochtone varietals grow on lava soils under Atlantic influences... But until recently, frustratingly, all we tasted there was only banal. That was also the impression of Rayco Fernandez, a distributor on the neighbouring island of Gran Canaria. So with the help of some friends of the same mind, he set out to make real terroir wines on Lanzarote. And the fact that we, after 25 years of tasting wines from all regions of Spain, have still been impressed by their production shows how good these extreme terroir wines can be.