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Ultreia Valtuille 2019
Raúl Pérez - 75 cl.



This is Raul Pérez's top Bierzo-wine. Named after the old salute of the pilgrims on they way to Santiago de Compostela (Ultreia, go on!) it is a perfect illustration of a pure Mencia. It comes from a 1,1 ha vineyard, planted in 1908, 530m above sea-level?

Vinification
No destemming. The whole bunches of grapes macerate then ferment in big vats during 90 days. Then the wine is aged in French oak barrels for 12 months.

Storage potential
Drink as from : 2024
Best moment : 2029-2032
Until : 2040

To serve
Serve at 18°C in a large glass.

Trial analysis
Dark red colour. Explosive aromas of violet, liquorice and red fruit, with an earthy background. Solid backbone on the palate, but well-balanced, thanks to a nice acidity. The best El Bierzo can offer!

Description domain

Raúl Pérez is Spain’s most renowned oenologist, utterly devoted to the vineyard and to native grape varieties. As he himself puts it: “I’d rather make a bad wine with Galician identity than a good one without soul.” In short: no cookie-cutter wines for Raúl!

Assembly
Mencia (100%)

Region:
Galicia

Appellation:
D.O. Bierzo

Wine estate:
Raúl Pérez

Biological