



QUIRUS

Lagar de Cayo 2021



Bodegas Quiroga de Pablo – Now in its 6th generation, Bodegas Quiroga de Pablo has been growing grapes and producing wine in their estate bodega since 1850. The original bodega was built 25 -35 feet underground and still being used. Harvesting is done by hand with up to three passes through the vineyard to select grapes based on peak ripeness. After fermentation, the wines are aged in different types of oak with varying toast and age. The coupage is done from different casks of the same vintage in the underground cellar and matured in underground concrete tanks in an ideal environment that is isolated from the other parts of the bodega.

Tasting notes: Bright pink with orange hues. Very expressive on the nose, fruity aromas wrapped in a floral component. Fresh on the mouth, easy to drink and with a very well-balanced acidity.

Appellation: DOC Rioja Alta

Grapes: Tempranillo 68%, Viura 29% and Garnacha 3%

Soil: Clay-limestone, ferrous-clay

Elevation: 2125 to 2300 feet

Vineyard practice: Dry farming and organic without certification. Local flowers are left to grow around our vineyards all year round, allowing helpful insects to breed.

Winemaker: Juan Luis Quiroga de Pablo

Fermentation: 4 hrs cold maceration, 14 days cold fermentation of the clear must in small stainless-steel tanks. Traditional 'clarete' method of running off the clear free-run juice. Cold fermentation of the clear must for 2-3 weeks helping maintain the wine's fine aroma and fruit characteristics.

pH: 3.32 **RS:** 7g/l **Alc:** 13.9 % **UPC:** 8437005583528

Rioja: Located in Northern Spain, Rioja is best known for its berry-scented and barrel-aged red wines made from Tempranillo and Garnacha. There are 3 sub zones: Rioja Alavesa, Rioja Alta, and Rioja Baja, each with its own soil makeup the most prestigious containing large deposits of limestone. Flanking Rioja to the north and west, the Cantabrian Mountains provide shelter from the Atlantic creating a warmer and drier microclimate than regions further North

RIOJA D.O.Ca.



Other Wines Available:

QUIRUS Tempranillo Blanco

QUIRUS Tempranillo Garnacha

QUIRUS Tempranillo Crianza

