

Wine: Celeste Crianza

Ribera del Duero 2011 Vt

Country: Spain

Region: Ribera del Duero - Valladolid

Producer: Bodegas Torres

Vintage: 2011 Vt

Colour: Red

Grape Variety: 100% Tempranillo,

Status: Still

Allergens contains sulphates

Light/Full E (A is light, E is full-bodied)

abv: 14.5% - bottle size: 70cl



Tasting Note

Celeste is an opulent wine brimming with fruit, body and colour: as unique as the night sky in the Ribera del Duero. Powerful. Dark cherry red with garnet highlights. Intense dark fruit aroma (wild blackberries, blueberry jam) with smoky and roasted (coffee) notes against a wonderfully elegant oaky backdrop. A serious wine with juicy tannins, velvety and round thanks to the perfume of oak aging (dried plums) A fine, smooth palate leads to a long and elegant finish.

Winery information

The vineyards in the Duero Valley are testimony to the history of this area which was written by the shepherds and farmers who long ago lived there.

It's said that the cold nights and hot days in the highest areas of these lands perfectly combine with the mountains winds to bring back memories of the first care given to the vines already back in the 12th century. Way high up there is where the grape ripens in the silence of the starry nights. Patiently awaiting the day when its great dream will come true: to become a Ribera del Duero worthy of praise.

Vineyard:

At 895 metres altitude you can almost touch the stars and shape the clouds. The dusk air is intense with fragrance. And the sun lights up the land in all its splendour. Here, at a height of 895 metres, Celeste is born, the Torres family's first Ribera del Duero.

Food Recommendation

Given its tannic and fruit properties, it pairs well with a wide variety of meat dishes, including roasts and wild game. Best served at 14-16°C.

