



Bardos Romantica Crianza, 2016

Ribera Del Duero, Spain

The bards immortalized only the greatest stories for their songs. In the same way, De Bardos immortalizes only those harvests rated as excellent, which will be able to create a unique vintage wine. In this way, if despite the careful selection of the vineyards and grapes, the particular vintage does not permit the grapes to achieve the exceptional quality required, some of the wines, or maybe even the whole collection, may not be produced.



Varietals

100% Tinta del País (Tempranillo)

From select old vines in Quintanilla de Onésimo & Moradillo de Roa

Vinification

Malolactic fermentation in French oak barrels.

Weekly battonage with the individual monitoring of each barrel.

Aged for 14 months in used old French oak barrels.

Tasting Notes

“Deep cherry red color, with a violet rim and deep robe.

On the nose, full of fruit and licorice, combined with notes of aging.

Full bodied on the palate, silky and pleasant with a perfectly polished tannin and an agreeable finish, leaving an aftertaste reminiscent of black fruit and undergrowth.”

Awards

Essential Wines from Spain – Decanter, March 2018

Sarah Jane Evans, MW

92 pts. - Decanter