

PROYECTO GARNACHAS DE ESPAÑA LA GARNACHA SALVAJE DEL MONCAYO 2019 | \$10.99



DESCRIPTION

The 'Garnachas de España Project' is a journey into the history of Garnacha through the eyes of Raúl Acha, winemaker and passionate defender of the varietal. His father has always wanted to uproot the vines, but Raúl defends their value. His journey begins in the bosom of his family, Cárdenas (La Rioja), where his great-grandfather planted Garnacha vineyards more than a hundred years ago. To substantiate his opinion, he sets out on a journey through the Ebro Valley.

To demonstrate its importance, Raúl decides to look for similar cases of old Garnacha vineyards on a tour of the Ebro basin. On the way he found some of the vineyards that best reflect the essence of this variety and engaged in conversation with different winegrowers who told him about the local history of Garnacha and its evolution.

The result of this adventure is a very personal collection of monovarietal wines made in different areas of the Ebro Valley, and which perfectly express the versatility, nuances, and singularities of each production area.

Proyecto Garnachas de España La Garnacha Salvaje del Moncayo 2019

The vineyards are in a watershed area, on the north face of the Moncayo Mountain chain. The soil is rocky with a high percentage of slate and pebbles. This wine is made from 100% Gar

nacha grapes that fermented in stainless-steel tanks, macerated for 14 days at 25 degrees Celsius, and aged for five months in new French oak barrels.

Tasting Notes

NOSE:

It is a bright garnet color wine with medium depth and a young edge. It displays wild berry aromas, red fruit, a touch of vegetables, and with a hint tobacco.

PALATE:

Tasty, balanced, very fruity, with a predominance of strawberries and raspberries and a sweet finish. Its freshness and mineral qualities mix resulting in a surprise roundness and youth.

PAIRING:

Light Garnacha can be paired with poultry or pork or spicier foods with red pepper and paprika flavors. Heavier garnacha pair nicely with British pub classics, Braises and stews, Christmas turkey, richer and gamier birds.

Fun Facts

The 2019 Proyecto Garnacha is bright, lively, and ready for a meal. This wine shines with aromas and flavors of bright berries that sail to the wine's finish. Serve it with grilled cheese-burgers. **-Wilfred Wong 91 Points**

WINERY WEBSITE: [Home - Garnachas de España Project \(proyectogarnachas.com\)](http://proyectogarnachas.com)

