



CONCHA Y TORO CASILLERO DEL DIABLO MALBEC 2020/\$10.99



DESCRIPTION

More than 140 years ago, Don Melchor de Concha y Toro was renowned for crafting some of the finest wines in Chile. Reserving for himself an exclusive batch of his best wines, he ignited a rumor that the devil himself was his cellar's guardian—and in doing so, ensured thieves stayed away from his precious wines. This rumor became a legend that conquered the world, with Casillero del Diablo (“the devil’s cellar”) today recognized as one of the world’s leading wine brands. First released in 1963, Casillero del Diablo is a worldwide standard-bearer for premium quality Chilean wines—and the legend of the Devil’s Cellar lives on at the original Concha y Toro family estate, Chile’s leading tourist destination.

Vineyards for Casillero del Diablo’s celebrated wines hail from Chile’s Central Valley. Located mainly between parallels 30° and 40° south and in close proximity to capital city of Santiago, this internationally known wine region possesses the ideal characteristics for quality grape growing and winemaking. Among the valley's main features are the influence of the Pacific Ocean and the Andes Mountains, perfectly balanced soils and mountain-water rivers. This ideal terroir allows winemakers to craft an appealing variety of wine styles from many unique and increasingly popular sub-regions.

Concha Y Toro Vineyards



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Native of Cahors, France, this variety truly shines in Casillero del Diablo's outstanding Malbec. This is a juicy, full-bodied blend of 85% Malbec and 15% Syrah. This territory is recognized around the world for the extraordinary quality of the red wines produced there. The excellent soil conditions plus the optimal climate throughout the year create the perfect terroir for the production of several of Casillero del Diablo's red varieties.

Tasting Notes

Nose:

Intense and deep ruby red. Delicious aromas of berries, plums and black cherries give way to light touches of vanilla and dark chocolate.

Palate:

Spiced cedar, dark plum, and a wash of chocolate gain attention up front. Vanilla envelops espresso and Worcestershire sauce while boysenberry unites with blueberry on the big finish. It has a good structure and firm tannins.

Pairing:

Harmonizes perfectly with all types of barbecued meats, hearty stews, ripe cheeses and sweet and-sour sauces.

Winery Website: [Home - Concha y Toro](#)

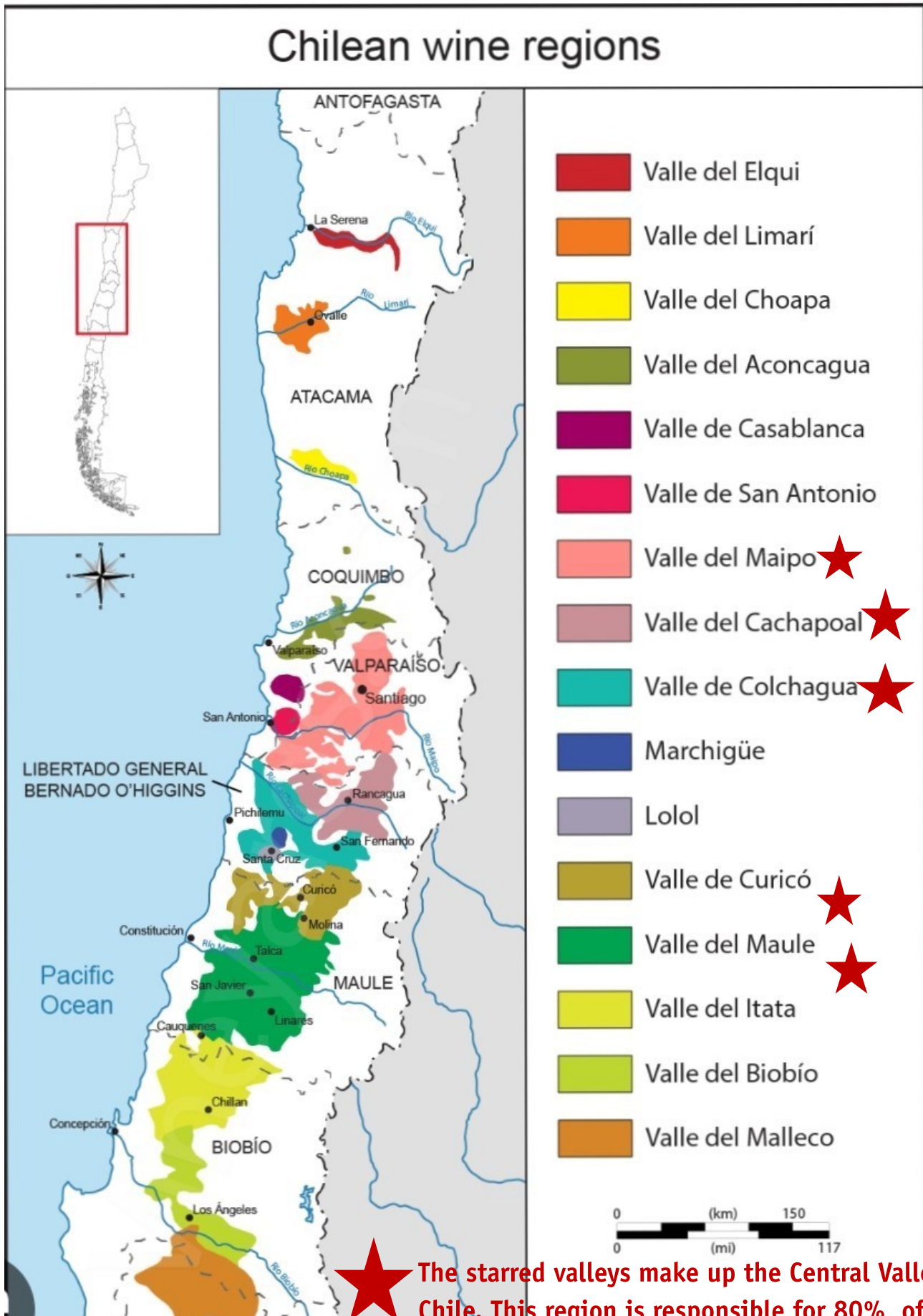
Fun Facts

Aromas of blackcurrant, blueberry and blackberry with sage undertones. It's medium-to full-bodied with fine-grained tannins. Juicy and fruity with texture. Firm, flavorful finish. Drink or hold. –James Suckling 91 Points

Casillero
Del
Diablo



E.I. Valle Central, Chile



★ The starred valleys make up the Central Valley of Chile. This region is responsible for 80% of wine production.