





# Spain, Bodega Virgen de la Sierra, Albada Old Vine Garnacha, DO Catalayud, Rouge

DO Catalayud, Spain

We are located at an altitude of 780 meters above sea level, in a landscape of vineyards, almond and cherry trees. Most of the vineyard is protected by the Sierra de la Virgen, which gives its name to the winery.

#### **PRESENTATION**

Red aged for 150 days on lees in concrete tanks.

## **TERROIR**

Old Garnacha vines from the earliest ripening area in Villarroya de la Sierra, in the Iberian System mountain range. The bush vines are dry farmed, largely in limestone soil.

## IN THE VINEYARD

Harvest by hand at the beginning of October.

### WINEMAKING

Prefermentation maceration is carried out for seven days and the grapes are fermented with native yeasts at a temperature of 24°C for three weeks.

## **AGEING**

Malolactic fermentation is carried out in concrete tanks. The wine is kept on its lees in concrete tanks for five months with regular batonnage

## VARIETAL

Grenache noir 100%

## GM: NO

Contains sulphites. Does not contain egg or egg products. Does not contain milk or milk-based products.

### **SERVING**

16°C/61°F

# AGEING POTENTIAL

5 to 10 years

### TASTING

Opaque wine with a strong cherry red colour and flashes of violet. The variety is very well expressed in the nose, with prominent red fruit aromas. Easy-drinking and fruity, with a refreshing touch of acidity.

# **FOOD PAIRINGS**

Ideal for drinking with red meat, game, mature cheeses, starters.



