

## **MALBEC GUALTALLARY 2015**

"There is a new Malbec from the Primeras Viñas range, the 2015 Primeras Viñas Malbec Gualtallary, showcasing the floral and perfumed personality and the subtle minerality from this place in Valle de Uco where these vines were planted ungrafted in 2006-2007. This has a pinch of Petit Verdot that is really unnoticeable. This aged exclusively in one 4,000-liter oak vat, which respected the wine and is not noticeable at all. This is simply superb. 5,200 bottles produced", Robert Parker Wine Advocate Report.

## STORY

This is the first release of our high altitude vineyard in Mendoza's most sought after appellation Gualtallary (Monasterio) at 5000ft. With a high concentration of limestone and the advantage of a high altitude sunlight we are excited to introduce our first cuvee from selected parcels of this vineyard.

## **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

95% Malbec - 5% Petit Verdot

**Alcohol:** 13,9% Total Acid: 5,06 g/l

**PH:**3,68

Residual Sugar: 2 g/l

Vineyards: Gualtallary, Tupungato-Planted in 2006 and 2007.

Altitude: 1380 masl

Aging potential: Up to 15 years.

## WINEMAKING

Manual harvest and selection of fruit. Cuvees in stainless steel tanks and cone-shaped tubular wooden oak barrels.

Pre-fermentative cold maceration for three days with indigenous yeasts. During the first part daily delestage and remontage are made. Total time of maceration is 20-25 days at a maximum temperature of 30-31C. The end of maceration is determined by our winemakers tasting.





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