

ORTEGA EZQUERRO

VINOS DEL PUEBLO DE TUDELILLA

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Our story

Quintin Ortega planted his first vines in Rioja in 1896. The Ortegas are one of those winemaking families that have successfully managed to adapt to modern times, preserving their philosophy of quality and craftsmanship in their wines and adapting to present-day oenology.

Carmelo Ortega, the great-grandson of Quintin Ortega in 1896 now runs the estate along with Winemaker David Bastida.

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Our Vineyards

Our vineyards are located in Tudelilla, a village in the heart of the Rioja Designation of Origin area (DOCa Rioja), in the part known as Rioja Baja, at an altitude of 545m above sea level.

The soil has a low organic matter content, a clay-calcareous profile and an unusually large amount of small and medium-sized pebbles that give the soil its own particular grape-growing characteristics, to produce a “vino de pueblo” or village wine.



Ortega Ezquerro's approach involves a return to all things indigenous, a recovery of the essence of wine. An idea based on several different phases:

Land

Our vineyards have poor soils with stones and ancient vines looked after in the traditional way with goblet pruning and fertilized only with manure and classical plant treatments (sulphur and sulphates). The objective of Ortega Ezquerro is to offer everything that the land can give.

Harvest

Careful handpicking of the grapes requires expert knowledge of the plant. Excess grapes are removed early so as to optimize resources and the selection process, after which only the best grapes with an optimum level of ripeness enter the winery.

Winemaking

Ortega Ezquerro has returned to using carbonic maceration for young wines. Love and care for the whites and rosés (the aroma is crucial) and long, exquisite macerations and wine-making processes for the crianzas, reservas and special wines.

Meticulous care and great dedication are required during the time these wines spend in wooden barrels. This enables us to create wines that represent the philosophy of the winery and its oenological principles. A philosophy based on what is indigenous to us, what is ours, earth, stone and respect.







**Ombra
Tinto**



**Ortega
Ezquerro
Crianza**



**Ortega
Ezquerro
Reserva**



**Ortega
Ezquerro
Garnacha**



**Don Quintin
Ortega Blanco**



**Don Quintin
Ortega Tinto**

Our Awards

Ortega Ezquerro Reserva 2015

92 Points, Tim Atkin MW, 2021

Ortega Ezquerro Reserva 2014

91 points Tim Atkin 2020

90 points Wine Spectator 2019

Ortega Ezquerro Garnacha 2019

93 Points, Tim Atkin MW, 2021

Ortega Ezquerro Garnacha 2017

91 points Tim Atkin 2020

Don Quintin Ortega Tinto 2011

90 points Tim Atkin 2020

Don Quintin Ortega Blanco 2017

93 points Tim Atkin 2020

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