Aurus, Rioja

Finca Allende

PRODUCER
Finca Allende

REGION
Rest of world

WHERE
Briones, Rioja

CLASSIFICATION
Rioja DOCa

GRAPES
Tempranillo, Graciano

VINTAGE AND SIZE
2001 · Magnum, 1 x 1.5L OWC

About Finca Allende

Finca Allende is a Rioja estate in Briones, in the Rioja Alta, founded in the mid-1990s by Miguel Ángel de Gregorio. It belongs to a generation of producers who focused on individual vineyards and terroir rather than the long barrel-ageing of traditional Rioja.

The estate works with old vines in Briones and the surrounding area, mainly Tempranillo with some Graciano, and also makes white wines from Viura and Malvasía. Its top wines, Aurus and Calvario, are produced in small quantities and are among the most sought-after modern Riojas.

About Aurus, Rioja

Aurus is Finca Allende's flagship red, a blend of Tempranillo with a small proportion of Graciano from old vines. It is concentrated and modern in style, with dark fruit, spice and firm tannins framed by new oak. Made only in small quantities, it needs several years to integrate and has the structure to age for fifteen to twenty years.

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