



95 points Luca Maroni 91 points Verema 92 points Vivir el Vino



# **DESPIADADO**

## VINO DE LA TIERRA DE CASTILLA

#### **Bio Wine**

#### 70% Syrah - 20% Merlo t- 10% Tempranillo – 13,5% Vol.

Born in La Mancha, on the Castilian plateau, where the largest vineyard of the world is grown.

The four Calleja brothers, all of them winemakers, contributed with their knowledge and experience in the creation of this Bio Wine. On the one hand, **Ángel Calleja** who has worked in the Rueda Wine Cooperative for 45 years. On the other hand, **Juan Antonio Calleja** occupied in La Mancha -in the Wine Cooperative from Corral de Almaguer- for 40 years. Luis Ángel Calleja is the Technical Director en Utiel Requena (Valencia), and, last but not at least, **Eulogio Calleja**, with about 40 years of experience in the Spanish wine world. Eulogio is together with **Javier Rodríguez**, owner and soul of the Wine Company Eulogio & Javier Wines. Javier also runs the winery Rodríguez y Sanzo, awarded as **Best Winery of Spain** in 2014

## WINEMAKING AND WINEYARD

DESPIADADO was born in the altitude of the Spanish Plateau, with Atlantic influences coming from the mountains *El Molar*, where the climate is dramatic. There, the living of the people overflows with joy, with desire to enjoy and, at the same time, with dynamism and courage caused by the inclement climate.

Despiadado is a "democratic" wine, designed to be loved by everyone. It is also international, since it is produced with a Mediterranean variety such as *Shiraz*, with *Merlot*, an Atlantic variety, and with the continental variety *Tempranillo*. The blend of the varieties is caressed by French and American oak barrels in order to complement its proud character.

## TASTING

Intense cherry color with passion red edges. Aromas of red ruit, spices and hints of blackberry. Medium-bodied, long, silky and fruity. The wood appears discreetly in the aftertaste, which gives it a noble character.

## PAARING

Ideal to drink on a terrace, to drink it chilled. Very good with pasta and rice. The best companion for stews and barbacues.