



VALKYRIE

SELECTIONS



VIÑA COTERRO



RIOJA RESERVA 2012

VIÑA COTERRO || The vineyards for Vina Coterro are spread across the municipality of Alfaro in La Rioja on the fertile banks of the Ebro on the low slopes of the Yerga Mountain. This area offers a huge diversity of soil and microclimates, supporting a wide range of different grape varieties. Winemaking and blending are done by Fernando Mora of The Garage Wine project - who recently earned his Master of Wine.

RIOJA || Rioja was the first Spanish wine region to obtain DO status, in 1925. In 1991, it was promoted to DOCa (Qualified Designation of Origin), a higher category reserved for wines maintaining a proven consistency and quality over a long period of time. Rioja has three distinct subregions (Alavesa, Alta & Baja) as well as stylistic diversity ranging from the traditional oxidative wines to the full throttle modern style.



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BLEND | 100% Tempranillo

VINEYARDS | Sourced from estate vineyards with an average age of 50 years.

WINEMAKING | Primary fermentation in stainless steel followed by malolactic in concrete tanks and 18 months aging in French & American oak

ALCOHOL | 13.7%

PRESS | 91 VIN

“Bright-rimmed ruby-red. Displays smoke-accented cherry and dark berry qualities on the pungent nose, along with hints of roasted coffee and smoked meat. Sweet and pliant on the palate, offering juicy blackberry and cherry pastry flavors that tighten up slowly on the back half. Shows very good energy and solid dark fruit thrust on a long, smoky finish that’s given shape by smooth, even tannins.” - Josh Raynolds