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JUAN GIL SILVER ORGANIC MONASTRELL 2019 BODEGAS JUAN GIL — D.O. JUMILLA



VARIETAL

100% **Organic** Monastrell

AGING

12M | French Oak

SOIL

Sandy, Rocky Limestone

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TASTING NOTES

An intense cherry red color, aromas of ripe fruit and a long and spicy finish with evocations of toasted French oak. Tannins build to the finish. A complex wine with great balance, concentration and length.

VINEYARDS

The flagship wine, Juan Gil Silver Label, is made with **EU certified organic Monastrell grapes** from over 40-year-old vines. The chalky and rocky limestone soils, poor in nutrients, are ideal to grow the Monastrell varietal. The vineyards are low yielding producing about 1.04 tons/acre. The Gil family uses progressive winemaking techniques including laser optic sorters after grape harvest to ensure the best fruit is selected. The wine is then aged for 12 months in French oak before bottling.

2018v | **93 POINTS** - WINE ADVOCATE | **93 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN | **92 POINTS** - VINOUS
2017v | **94 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN | **92 POINTS** - WINE ADVOCATE | **91 POINTS** - VINOUS

JUAN GIL RED BLEND 2019 BODEGAS JUAN GIL — D.O. JUMILLA

VARIETAL

45% Cabernet Sauvignon
45% Monastrell
10% Syrah

AGING

12M | French & American
Oak

SOIL

Sandy, Rocky Limestone



TASTING NOTES

The wine exhibits a vibrant, ripe summer-berry and wild-cherry nose. The plush, rich palate has a smooth feel with notes of chocolate and spices paired perfectly with black and red fruit. Complex, structured and elegant, this wine will evolve for 2 – 3 years and drink well for many more.

VINEYARDS

Our Juan Gil estate wines are named after our patriarch. Red Blend is the result of our Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, Monastrell, and Syrah. The extremely old vineyards sit 2,100 feet above sea level. They are head-pruned, dry-farmed, and require no herbicides or pesticides. The grapes are all hand-picked, fermented, and then aged for one year in French and American oak barrels.

2018v | **INAUGURAL RELEASE** | **91 POINTS** - WINE ADVOCATE | **91 POINTS** - VINOUS



LA ATALAYA DEL CAMINO RED BLEND 2019 BODEGAS ATALAYA — D.O. ALMANSA

VARIETAL

85% Garnacha Tintorera
15% Monastrell

AGING

12M | French Oak

SOIL

Sand and Limestone



TASTING NOTES

High layer of intense red and shimmering violet tones. The deeply perfumed nose expresses aromas of red berries and spices. The palate offers bitter cherry and cassis flavors that pick up a spicy quality on the back half. Original and very interesting, it is of great structure and balanced with a long and very pleasant finish.

VINEYARDS

Bodegas Atalaya was founded in 2007. The Garnacha Tintorera, aka Alicante Bouschet, is one of the few grape varieties with red flesh. The vineyards are located in Almansa, around 3,280 feet above sea level, planted in sandy soils with a high lime concentration in the base. The grapes are separately fermented in stainless steel tanks. The wine ages for 12 months in French oak barrels producing a complex wine.



2017v | **92 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN | **91+ POINTS** - WINE ADVOCATE | **91 POINTS** - JAMES SUCKLING
2018v | **91 POINTS** - VINOUS

CAN BLAU RED BLEND 2019 CELLERS CAN BLAU — D.O. MONTSANT

VARIETAL TASTING NOTES

40% Mazuelo
40% Syrah
20% Garnacha

Cherry with purple reflections, the wine exhibits a collection of aromatic attributes, ripe fruit, spices, power and complexity, which provide an almost panoramic vision of the possibilities of DO

AGING

12M | French Oak

SOIL

Slate, Clay, and Limestone



VINEYARDS

The Mazuelo (aka Cariñena or Carignan) and Garnacha vines have an approximate age ranging from 35 to 50 years. The vineyards of Garnacha are in the area of Cornudella de Montsant, around 2,000 feet in altitude on slate soils. The Mazuelo vineyards are located in the Darmós and Masroig area on clay soils. The Syrah vineyards are on limestone soils. Together they create this complex wine after 12 months of maturing in French oak barrels.



2018v | **90 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN | **91 POINTS** - VINOUS

2017v | **90 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN | **91 POINTS** - JAMES SUCKLING | **91 POINTS** - VINOUS

ATTECA OLD VINE GARNCHA 2018 BODEGAS ATECA — D.O. CALATAYUD

VARIETAL

100% Garnacha

AGING

10M | French Oak

SOIL

Rocky Slate

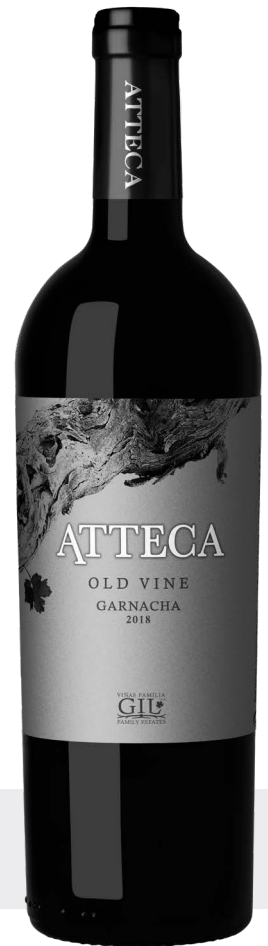


TASTING NOTES

Deep cherry color. On the nose it presents intense aromas of raspberry and other ripe red fruit that combine perfectly with the spicy notes of cocoa, vanilla and licorice that reflect a noble aging. Powerful and full on the palate with a very fresh and fruity mid palate. A remarkable finish where the fruity and spice aromas reappear in the retro nasal.

VINEYARDS

Bodegas Ateca, located in the village of Ateca, boasts old vines of Garnacha planted on the hillsides at about 3,000 feet above sea level. The soils consist mainly of decomposed slate and gravelly clay soils. The clay is at depth and allows for the bush vines to obtain moisture even though there is very little rainfall in the region.



2017v | **92 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN | **91 POINTS** - VINOUS

2016v | **92 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN | **91 POINTS** - VINOUS | **90 POINTS** - WINE ADVOCATE

TRIDENTE TEMPRANILLO 2018 BODEGAS TRIDENTE — V.T. CASTILLA Y LEÓN



VARIETAL

100% Tempranillo

AGING

15M | French Oak

SOIL

Gravel and Sand



TASTING NOTES

Cherry color with a garnet rim, the wine offers intense and complex aromas of ripe fruit, cocoa and spices. The palate offers a dominant presence of alluringly sweet, ripe fruit balanced with toasty notes of cocoa. Very rounded tannins due to the long aging, it delights us with a lingering, tasty finish.

VINEYARDS

The Tempranillo grapes for this wine are from very old vines of up to 100 years, trained in the traditional "vaso" system, and produce very low yields. These vineyards are generally planted on a top layer of gravel over very sandy soils. The fermentation is carried out in stainless steel tanks and then moved to French oak barrels for a period of 15 months.

2017v | **92 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN | **91 POINTS** - VINOUS

2016v | **92 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN

ROSARIO VERA TEMPRANILLO RIOJA 2018

ROSARIO VERA — D.O.Ca. RIOJA



VARIETAL

100% Tempranillo

AGING

10M | French Oak

SOIL

Limestone and Clay

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TASTING NOTES

Deep purple and perfectly balanced between maturity and freshness. On the palate it is initially juicy, with layers of black licorice, cherry, plum jam, toast, oak and cedar. Supple texture with a lingering and pleasant finish.

VINEYARDS

Founded in 2016, Rosario Vera is the newest winery from Gil Family Estates. It is located in the town of Laguardia in the D.O.Ca. of Rioja, Spain. The area was chosen because of its proximity to the Sierra de Cantabria, isolated from maritime influence. Rosario Vera's vineyards consist of small plots, planted 15 to 60 years ago. Calcareous clay soils, the climate, as well as high altitude make a perfect place to grow vines and obtain high quality grapes.

2018v | **93 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN

2017v | **91 POINTS** - JAMES SUCKLING | **93 POINTS** - GUIA PEÑIN | **91 POINTS** - VINOUS

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The Gil Family



Gil Family Estates owns or controls approximately 1,766 hectares (4,364 acres) of vineyards throughout their eleven wineries physically scattered across ten different D.O.s, Protected Designations of Origin, in Spain. Each winery has its own personality perfectly defined but working in excellent unity with the rest. Gil Family Estates has unwavering focus on indigenous terroir-driven wines of outstanding value.

The first winery, Bodegas Juan Gil, was founded in 1916 when Juan Gil Giménez, a stone mason and great-grandfather of the present generation, established the winery in the heart of Jumilla. Over 100 years of winemaking history, spanning five generations of continued family ownership, included a laborious restructuring of the family business and led to the company's rebirth into a global wine powerhouse. All of the wineries under Gil Family Estates are currently run by brothers, Miguel and Ángel Gil.

Since 1999, the rapid ascension of Gil Family Estates has been built upon an absolute commitment to seemingly risky wine investments in outlier appellations. These bets have paid off. Today, the Family continues their focus on old-vine vineyards of indigenous varietals and the prioritization of sustainable farming (organic, dry-farming). This focus, coupled with their investment in technology, reduces the winery's impact on the environment and results in the production of higher quality wines.

The Gil Family Estates portfolio of wines is sold in over 40 countries and distributed in all 50 U.S. states



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