

Buil 2019 (Red)



HISTORY:

Buil & Giné, founded in Priorat by Joan Giné and his grandson Xavi, focuses on organic viticulture. The reason why Buil & Giné began to produce wines in Toro was very simple...they like the wines! More than 15 years ago, Buil & Giné had the opportunity of working with a single vineyard that had very old Tempranillo (40 year old vines), with a more intense concentration of aromas, and they started producing Buil, 1 wine = 1 vineyard.

TECHNICAL TASTE:

Region/ Sub-Region: Spain, D.O. Toro.

Alcohol: 15%.

Variety: 100% Tinta del Toro (Tempranillo) from a single vineyard called "Pago del Oro" with 50-year-old vines.

Aging: Carefully harvested and double-selected grapes undergo temperature-controlled fermentation with long maceration. Aged for at least one year in French oak barrels.

Tasting Notes: Deep ruby color. Aromas of dark cherries, ripe black plums, cocoa, and coffee. The palate is rich with fruit flavors, wood, and spices, offering a full-bodied taste with refined tannins and a long finish.

Vinous Media, Feb '21: 93 points, Buil Toro 2014 - "Inky ruby hue with cherry preserves, blackberry, licorice, and vanilla on the nose. The palate blends dark fruit, spiced cake, and violet with smoky minerals and pepper. Rich and energetic, with a long, sweet finish of velvety tannins."

A View from The Cellar, May-June '18: 90 points, Buil Toro 2014 - "Deep and complex aromas of red and black raspberries, spice, wild fennel, and cedary oak. Ripe and full-bodied with firm tannins, balanced structure, and a long, gripping finish."