

DIEZ-CABALLERO Crianza 2018

D.O.Ca. Rioja (Rioja Alavesa)
Bodegas Diez-Caballero
Spain



INFORMATION ON THE WINERY

DIEZ-CABALLERO is a family winery located in ELCIEGO that we inherited from our grandparents. Following the formula of traditional Bordeaux châteaux —relatively rare in Rioja— our wines come exclusively from estate-owned vineyards planted with TEMPRANILLO. Strict pruning and respectful growing practices achieve a perfect blend of the traditional and the modern at the service of fruit and full expression — **ROOTS, SOIL and FAMILY.**

Technical

Specifications : Vintage: 2018
Appellation: DOCa Rioja
Varietal: 100% Tempranillo
Alcohol: 14%
pH:3,71
TA: 5,4 g/l
Residual Sugar: 1,4 g/l

Packaging: Bottle: 75 cl Case: 12 Bottles
Temperature: 58° - 64° F.

Production: TEMPRANILLO grapes from our vineyards with top-quality soils. Harvested manually. The wine benefits from the EXCELLENT quality of the 2018 vintage. Aged for 15 months in French and American oak barrels.

Tasting Notes: (Luis Gutierrez The Wine Advocate) :

The 2018 Crianza feels young and tender, a little creamy after a very recent bottling but with the stuffing and balance to come into its own with a little more time in bottle. It's a clean Crianza that combines classical (texture) and more modern characteristics (bright fruit and juicy ripe tannins) matured in French and American oak barrels for 15 months. 70,000 bottles produced. It was bottled in September 2020.

Tasting Notes: (Guía Peñín):

Color cereza oscuro, aroma tostado, especiado, cacao fino.
Boca sabroso, tostado, fino amargor.