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PRIORAT – MONTSANT

EL PAS DE L'ESTUDIANT 2022

Its name comes from the path that crosses the upper part of the vineyard and that the children of the Serra d'Almos used to walk to Capçanes to go to school. A daily journey of 5 and a half km.

DO: DO. Montsant

Vintage: 2022

Grape: 90% Garnacha peluda – 7% Cariñena – 3% White Grenache

Age vineyards: 1 plot planted 1947 facing north

Vineyard location: Capçanes

Hectares: 1,5 ha.

Soil: Calcareous

Annual production: 3.344 bottles (0.75 cl.)

Organic viticulture and few plots biodynamic viticulture.

Fermentation and aging : Harvested by hand. Once it's destemmed grapes are transferred to a Conical trunk foudre of Austrian oak of Stockinger with a capacity of 2.500 L. for the fermentation. Once it's finished it's pressed and transferred back to the same foudre to age for 9 months.

Tasting notes

In the glass, the wine shows an ethereal presence that surrounds and fills us with aromas, showing the small red fruit that reminds us of the cherries. It's a pure, clean and vibrant wine, which makes us keep an eye on its evolution in the glass and which arouses admiration with every minute that passes by its complexity. In the mouth it is a wine of great depth, touches of cherry in the throat gives us the dimension of its concentration full of finesse



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Ratings

- ✓ El pas de l'Estudiant 2022 - 94 puntos – Tim Atkin – Catalunya 2024 – Special report
- ✓ El pas de l'Estudiant 2021 - 93 puntos – James Suckling