



BICHI
LISTAN

ORIGIN

Tecate, Baja California, Mexico.

VARIETIES

100% Mission, also known as Listán Prieto or País.

VINEYARD

From a 105-year-old vineyard in Tecate, situated at 800 meters above sea level and planted on sandy-loam soils.

VINIFICATION METHOD

The grapes were destemmed by hand, fermented with their skins in concrete lagar for 25 days, then pressed into inox tank to rest for 1 year. Bottled unfiltered, with no added SO₂.



PRODUCER PROFILE

Noel Téllez and the Téllez family founded Bichi in 2014. The family is originally from Sonora, and the name of the winery, Bichi, means 'naked' in the Sonoran Yaqui language. From 2014 to 2017, Noel worked closely with his family and with Louis-Antoine Luyt (the French winemaker who made his name working with old vine País in Chile) to find and make wine from the area's ancient vineyards of diverse varieties; today Noel makes wine on his own after many years of collaboration with Yann Rohel of Beaujolais. Their focus is on organic and dry-farmed heirloom vineyards that express the long and complex viticultural history of Baja California.