Grower Goyo Garcia Viadero
Appellation Ribera del Duero
Locality Roa
Climate Continental
Varieties Tinto Fino
Soil Sandy clay
Elevation 860-880 meters
Vine Age 35 years
Pruning En Vaso
Farming Practicing organic
Production 416 cases

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Joven de Viñas Viejas 2016

Ribera del Duero<br>Denominaciön de origen<br>Goyo Barcía<br>"Toven de Tî̃as Tiegias"



Goyo Garcia Viadero, son of a prominent Ribera del Duero winemaking family, has been crafting iconoclastic naturally-made Ribera del Duero wines under his own name since 2008. With the help of his wife Diana, Goyo farms old head-pruned parcels, working them organically. The goal each year is to harvest the grapes for good acidity first, in contrast to many producers in the region who are looking for phenolic maturity above all. Each wine comes from a single vineyard with all grapes that grow in the vineyard (red and/or white) co-fermented, as was typical in the past. The results are some of the most revolutionary Ribera del Duero wines we have tasted!
Goyo's three Ribera del Duero vineyards are located around the town of Roa at the eastern end of the DO, and is known for having many old vine parcels at the highest elevations and with the best soils for quality wine production in the region. Goyo helped his father plant this vineyard when he was 16 years old, adjacent to his El Peruco and Graciano parcels, and it's one of the few comprised entirely of red grapes.
Joven de Viñas Viejas is from a single vineyard planted entirely to Tempranillo on sandy clay \& limestone soils at high elevation. The grapes are hand-harvested, destemmed, fermented with wild yeasts in steel tank with light extraction, then raised over the winter entirely in tank. Bottling is without fining or filtration, and only a tiny addition of $\mathrm{SO}_{2}$ if needed. This is a classic, young Ribera del Duero with an extra shade of vibrancy and fabulous tension between dark fruit, florals, mineral, and acidity. In short, the way Ribera should taste. Pair with blood sausage, charcuterie, and grilled lamb chops.

