

José Pastor Selections

IMPORTER OF FINE IBERIAN WINES

Grower Goyo Garcia Viadero

Appellation Vdt Valle De Liebana

Locality Lumarelña

Climate Atlantic

Varieties 70% Mencía, 30% Palomino

Soil Slate and clay

Elevation 650 meters

Vine Age 100 years

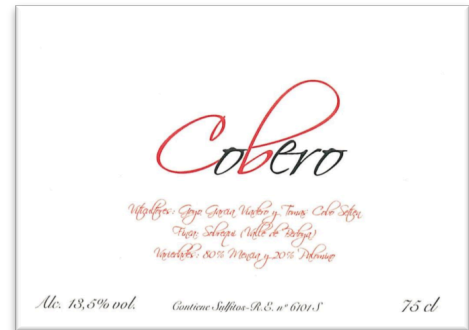
Pruning En Vaso

Farming Practicing organic

Production 300 cases (6pk)

Goyo Garcia Viadero

Cobero Tinto 2016



Goyo Garcia Viadero is a natural winemaker from the Ribera del Duero. In 2011, with the help of local viticultor Tomás Cobe, Goyo first produced wines from his mother's home region of Cantabria under the Cobero label. Goyo and Tomás organically farm old head-pruned parcels planted on steep broken slate vineyards high in the Picos de Europa mountain range, not far from where Cantabria, Castilla y León and Asturias meet. Each Cobero wine is from a single vineyard with all grapes that grow in the vineyard (red and/or white) co-fermented, as was typical in the past.

Surrounded by snow-capped mountains, the **Valle de la Bedoya** is tucked away in the southwest corner of the Picos de Europa mountain range. Possessing a uniquely warm climate for Northern Spain, this is home of some of the most rare outcroppings of old Mencía and Palomino vines, a variety that was planted for high-yielding bulk wine in the past.

Cobero Tinto is comprised of old-vine **Mencía** and **Palomino**. The grapes were hand-harvested at the end of September & early October, completely destemmed, co-fermented with wild yeasts in old foudre with 3 months maceration, racked into an old-fashioned basket press and then raised 18 months in very old, finely grained Bordeaux barriques without racking. The resultant wine is floral and mineral, with fine tannins and vibrant acidity. This wine is Spanish Côte Rôtie!