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2003 Lan Gran Reserva

Rating: 89+

Drink: 2010-2015

The purple-colored 2003 Gran Reserva is a blend of 80% Tempranillo, 10% Mazuelo, and 10% Garnacha aged for 24 months in French and American oak followed by 3 years in bottle prior to release. It gives up a slightly roasted, reticent nose of damp earth, espresso, spice box, and assorted black fruits. On the palate it has ample ripe fruit leading to a slightly compact finish. It I



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2010 Santiago Ruiz Blend

Santiago Ruiz's 2010 Blend is made up of 70% Albarino, 15% Loureiro, 10% Caino, with the balance Treixadura and Godello fermented and aged in stainless steel. It offers up a fragrant bouquet of jasmine, nutmeg, lemon and other citrus fruits, and stony minerals. Complex and lengthy on the palate, this nicely proportioned offering will provide enjoyment for several more years.

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