



BODEGA LOS HAROLDOS

Chacabuco Viognier

Regions

Mendoza, sited on a high-altitude plateau at the edge of the Andes, is responsible for around 70% of Argentina's wine production. Vines were first planted here by Jesuits in the mid-16th century, using techniques learned from the indigenous Huarpe people. Altitude is the key characteristic to this terroir. Wide diurnal temperature variation supports an extended growing season with warm harvest weather allowing grapes to be picked when perfectly ripe. Combined with well-drained alluvial soils and access to meltwater for irrigation, you have the perfect conditions for the flagship Malbec grape.

Producer

Bodega Los Haroldos, owned by the Falasco family, is one of Argentina's leading family-owned wineries. Today the fourth generation continues the story that began in 1939 when Haroldo Santos Falasco, known as 'Don Lolo', began to wheel his bicycle through the streets of his small hometown of Chacabuco, 200km west of Buenos Aires, selling his wines from the basket on the front. Eighty years later, Franco Falasco and his siblings are responsible for their family's legacy: creating wines of excellence and quality for the world to enjoy.

Viticulture

Grapes come from different soils, climates and regions of Mendoza. VPS, Drip Irrigation. Hand and Machine harvesting.

Vinification

Selection followed by maceration in contact with skins in pneumatic press for 2 hours. Fermentation with selected yeast in stainless steel tanks at between 12 and 18 °C.

Tasting Note

Peach and apricot with some floral and aromatic notes. The palate is complex, fresh and unctuous with a lingering finish.

Food Matching

A good match for food with some spice, such as many Asian dishes.

Technical Information

Country	Argentina
Region	Maipú and La Consulta - Uco Valley, Mendoza
Altitude	800 & 1,100 m.a.s.l.
Blend	100% Viognier
Winemaker	Pablo Sanchez
Body	Medium
Oak	Unoaked
Residual Sugar	7.5 g/l
Closure	Screw Cap
Vegan	Yes
Vegetarian	Yes
Organic	No
Biodynamic	No
Allergens	Sulphites