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PICO PALOMARES

■ ORIGIN

Made from Tempranillo and Graciano, sourced from old bush vines grown in high-altitude vineyards with a high limestone content. Powerful, yet at the same time fine and silky, with extraordinary balance. Fruity and floral, but with the complexity and minerality that come from the best vineyards in the Sonsierra, at the foothills of the Sierra Cantabria.

■ INFORMATION

- **Type of wine:** Still red wine
- **Appellation:** D.O.Ca. Rioja
- **Vintage:** 2023
- **Grape varieties:** Tempranillo and Graciano
- **Graduation:** 14,5% vol.
- **Aging:** Aged for 1 year
- **Serving temperature:** Recommended serving temperature between 14 and 16 °C

■ WINEMAKING

Destemmed without crushing, followed by cold pre-fermentation maceration for 5 days. Alcoholic fermentation lasted 10 days under controlled temperature.

Aged for one year in a combination of 225L French oak barrels and 2,500L French oak foudres.

■ TASTING NOTES

Appearance: Deep cherry red color, high intensity. Clean and bright.

Nose: Good aromatic intensity. Very complex and layered, with depth and elegance. Mineral character at the forefront, chalk notes clearly reveal the calcareous origin of the soil. Dark aromas of black fruit and licorice, along with spices. The presence of Graciano in the blend is clearly noticeable. Subtle toasty notes, with perfectly integrated oak and no dominance, excellent balance.

Palate: Full and generous from the first sip, flavorful and enjoyable. Perfect balance between alcohol, acidity, and tannins. Rounded and smooth, with no harsh edges. Despite its structure, it finishes fresh and delicate, with bright acidity that contrasts with the wine's apparent boldness. Silky texture.



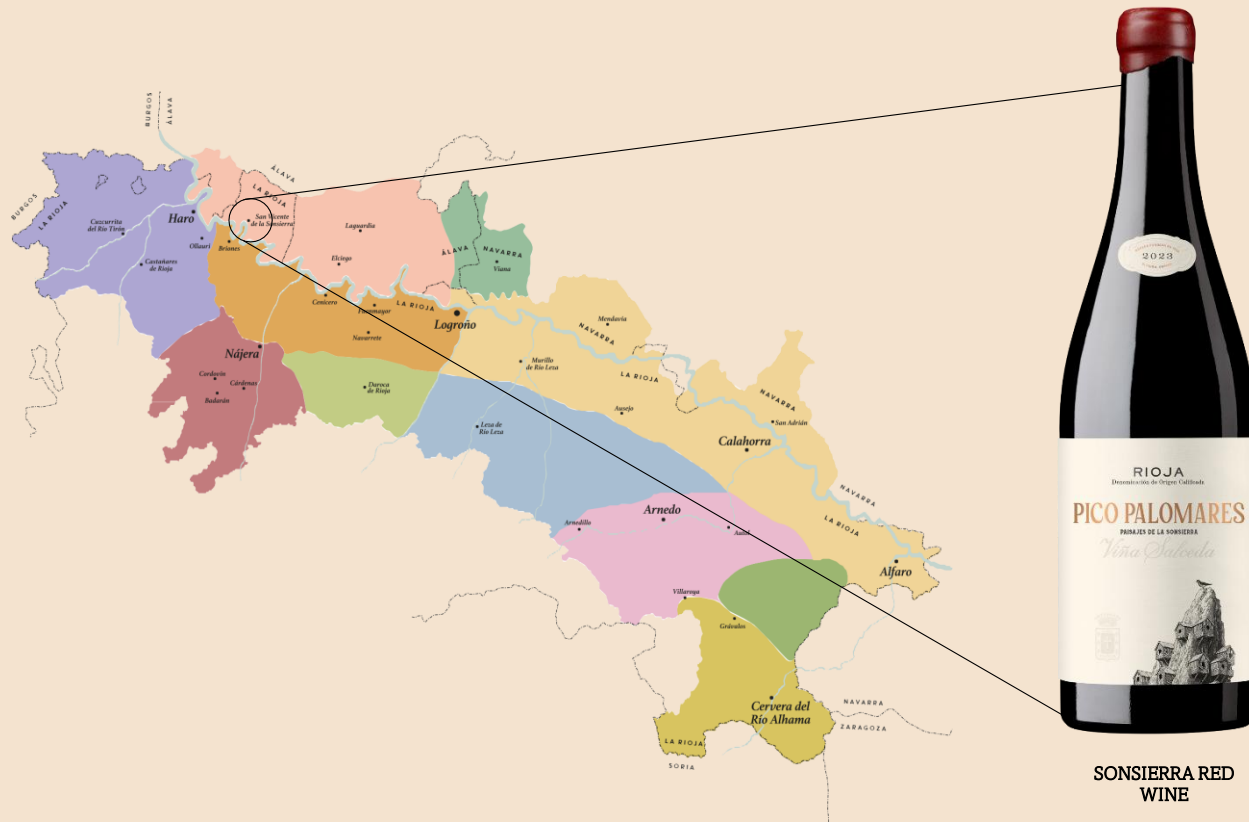
THE EXPRESSION OF THE SONSIERRA

Pico Palomares is a wine with presence and firmness. It carries the soul of Tempranillo and the freshness brought by Graciano. A powerful profile with aromas of black fruit, minerality, and complexity that leaves a lasting impression.

– David González, Winemaker –



GAMA PARAJES PICO PALOMARES



Pico Palomares 1446 m



It is the summit that dominates the Sonsierra, the peak that shapes the horizon of one of Rioja's most emblematic regions. It is the highest point—the place you look to for guidance, the spot that helps you understand the landscape. Its presence commands attention, but above all, it inspires.