



Pérez Barquero, Spain

Pérez Barquero was founded in 1905 by three brothers, José, Julián and Emilio Pérez Barquero, in Montilla-Moriles one of the oldest, most genuine but paradoxically least known regions in Spain.

Yet it was in 1985, when the Córdoba, Ruz and Garcia families took charge that the legacy of this noble estate and their mythical soleras, that the world finally took some notice. The region's landscape of soft albariza hills of the Sierra de Montilla and Moriles Alto is where the magic begins, and elevated in the jars, criaderas and soleras which dwell in the bodegas silent cathedral like cellars.

VITICULTURE

Pedro Ximénez is rich in sugar, and thrives in the heat and sunshine in the south and east of Montilla - 3,000 hours per year! Vines are rooted in the brilliant white 'albariza' limestone soil, and it is these permeable and poor soils which allow a long and balanced ripening, producing delicate, fresh Pedro Ximénez. When ripe the grapes turn a beautiful golden bronze which signals the time to harvest!

WINEMAKING

Fermentation takes place in temperature-controlled stainless steel tanks, after which the wine is transferred into traditional jars to settle, before selection and final classification. During this process a layer of yeast forms on the surface, referred to as the "velo de flor", and it is this which is responsible for the natural process known as biological ageing, through which the flor imparts finos and amontillados their authentic style and character.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Montilla-Moriles is synonymous with Pedro Ximénez, and Pérez Barquero are one of the masters in both dry and sweet expressions.
- Fresquito ... the authentic jar wine from Montilla. Experience the authenticity of Andalusian village wine.
- One of only a handful of wineries in Spain to receive 100 Parker points ... truly perfection!

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Item	Vintage		Pack size (cl)
5106	2022	Perez Barquero, Fresquito, Vino de Tinaja, DO Montilla-Moriles, Spain	6 x 75
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