



Amalaya Blanco

Country: Argentina Region: Salta

Type: White Varietal: Blend - Torrontes, Riesling

Format: 12 x 750ml

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TASTING NOTES

Colour: Intense gold with greenish edges.

Aroma: Subtle and complex fruity aromas where apple and floral notes outstand.

Taste: Sweet entry full of weight, Mineral notes and a touch of honey distinguish.

The end is fresh with a kind acidity.

Food: Pair this wine with seafood, spicy dishes and Asian food.

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

 $2022 \sim 94$ Points. "Lovely white fruit aromas framed by subtle flower notes. Intense and refreshing, very harmonious, with a silky texture." - Decanter World Wine Awards 2023

 $2022 \sim 91$ Points. "Lifted aromatics of lychee, white blossom, osmanthus honey, some melon and white pears. Crisp and tangy on the mid-palate with fresh acidity. 85% torrontes and 15% riesling. Vegan. Drink now. Screw cap." - James Suckling, Mar/2023

 $2022 \sim 91$ Points. "Combining two aromatic grapes is a smart idea, especially when one of them supplies much needed acidity to the blend. The cuvée here is an 85/15 mix of Torrontés and Riesling, showing white flower, quince and lemon peel flavours, a hint of orange zest and a dry, pithy, well-balanced finish. 2023-25" - Tim Atkin MW, Argentina 2023 Special Report

 $2022 \sim 90$ Points. "The 2022 Blanco Torrontés-Riesling is made with 15% Riesling from Cafayate, Salta. Light green in color. The nose is entirely novel featuring gentle orange blossom, jasmine and tuberose notes with hints of herb and tropical aromas. It's lean in the mouth with moderate freshness. A wine best drunk young." - Antonio Galloni's Vinous, Aug/2022

 $2022 \sim$ "The young and floral 2022 Blanco de Corte was produced with 85% Torrontés and 15% Riesling, two aromatic varieties where the Moscatel-like, orange-blossom aromas of the Torrontés dominate. It has moderate ripeness and alcohol (12.5%), keeping good freshness and mellow acidity and coming through as soft and tender. It finishes dry." - Robert Parker's Wine Advocate, Nov/2022

OTHER INFO

Where others just saw a desert, we foresaw great wines. In such a way Bodega Amalaya, the new expression of Cafayate, was founded. Amalaya is Donald Hess' new brainchild in Argentina, located in Cafayate Valley Northwestern Argentina, Province of Salta. The word "Amalaya" means "Hope for a Miracle" in the indigenous language. From the bosom of the Desert of Cafayate, this miracle becomes a mystical and magical revelation which offers us top quality grapevines. Vegan.

