





## BODEGAS SINFORIANO Sinfo Tinto Roble

REGION/ ORIGIN	Castilla y Leon Cigales DO	WINEMAKER	Ruth Sierra de la Gala
VINTAGE	2014	WINERY ESTABLISHED	1966
VARIETALS	100% Tinta del País (Tempranillo)	VINEYARD(S)	Mucientes vineyard bush vines
ALCOHOL	13.5%	AGE OF VINEYARD(S)	40-60 years old
FERMENTATION	Stainless steel Indigenous yeasts	SOIL TYPE	Limestone, clay, gravel
AGING	6 months	VINEYARD(S) ELEVATION	777-790 meters
Barrel Type/ Years in Use	French and American oak	FARMING METHODS	Sustainable
FILTER/FINING	None	PRODUCTION	60,000 bottles
TOTAL SULFUR RS	70 mg/l .5 g/l	HARVEST	Oct. 5 <sup>th</sup> -8th

'Since the character and personality of a wine is born in the vineyard, we work with dedication and respect to achieve the maximum expression of the land'

Staking claim in the village of Mucientes, *Bodegas Sinforiano* was founded in 1966 by Sinforiano Vaquero and Daniela Gomez. Now carrying the torch, the families' children are carrying out the family traditions with new winemaking techniques in their new contemporary cellar (a big change from their once small, underground cellar). They hand-harvest each vineyard of Tinta del Pais vines ranging from 40 to 120 years old. Being that the Cigales DO is becoming more and more known for its longer lived and wonderfully powerful reds, Bodegas Sinforiano is a great example of what can be done in this lesser-known region.

'Sinfo' was the nickname for Sinforiano Vaquero, the founder of the winery Sinfo passed away in the summer of 2015 along with the release of his 2009 50<sup>th</sup> harvest limited wine

The 2014 Sinfo Tinto Roble is made using only Tempranillo from beautifully mature vineyards. It is aged for roughly 6 months in American and French oak, after it was naturally fermented in stainless steel, and bottled unfiltered and rests for at least 12 months before going to the market. On the nose, it shows red and black berry fruit with some exciting floral and perfumed notes. In the mouth, it is powerful with strong tannins but it softens nicely and finishes smooth and pleasant with lingering cherry and spice notes. The minerality and Spanish flare in this wines is distinct and fantastic; a beautiful full-bodied red at a great price.