



2016 Hernando y Sourdais Le Rosé de Antídoto

Rating	Release Price	Drink Date	Producer: Hernando Y Sourdais
93+	\$56	2018 - 2021	From: Spain , Castilla León , Ribera del Duero
Reviewed by	Issue Date	Source	Color: Rosé
Luis Gutiérrez	31st Aug 2018	238, The Wine Advocate	Type: Table

With the advantage of one extra year in bottle, a cool year and a high percentage of white Albillo grapes, the 2016 Le Rosé de Antídoto is very pale, almost a blanc de noirs, closer to the 2013 than the 2015, with half white grapes and the other half reds. They reckon the secret here is to press full clusters to get a wine that is definitively closer to a white than a red (and even closer to a white than a rosé, after all, is a clarete) from ungrafted old vines. It fermented in new 600-liter French oak barrels, and the wine matured in those barrels with lees for some six months before bottling. It has a captivating nose that is nuanced and elegant, with a straight, focused, vertical and super tasty palate. This should age beautifully in bottle. Forget about the rosé part. This is simply a great wine. 2,116 bottles and some 70 magnums were filled in May 2017.

Sweetness: Dry

Type: Table

Variety: Proprietary Blend