Bodega Gratias

Wine Name: ¿Y Tú de Quién Eres? Tinto Varietal: Bobal, Marisancho, Teta de Vaca, Pedro Juan, Moravia Agria, Moravia Dulce, Cegivera, Rojal, Valencia, Albillo, Pintailla and more Denomination(s): Non-denominated Manchuela Area, red field blend Country: Spain Region: <u>Casa Ibañez</u>, Manchuela Vineyard Size: Multiple small "mixed plots" Vine Age: old Management: bush-trained, dry farmed Farming: Certified ICEA Biodynamic Elevation: 400-700m Soil Type(s): Calcareous clay base



One of the missions of this winery is the preservation of culture: the people, the local traditions; viticultural as well as culinary and more. The Y Tu wines are made from grapes hand-harvested from small, mixed plots: anachronisms in a time of profitable monocrops and tax-haven wineries. While autochthonal plantings have been pulled up plot by plot in favor of safe, consultant-approved varietals, the families of Gratias are celebrating these small, mixed plots that hold- and survive by- the knowledge of generations. The grapes, red, white, gris(and even many in between) are co-harvested into small collection containers that are lightly stomped in the vineyard to initiate fermentation until they are brought to the cellar where a second surface stomping contributes to the partial whole cluster fermentation.

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- Hand-picked into small baskets
- Fermentation: vatted and lightly stomped in the vineyard, transferred to small 5hl tanks in the cellar
- Aging: in tinaja, inox steel tank, and old barrels
- Annual Production: 5300 bottles