



2018 Pago de Carraovejas Cuesta de Las Liebres

Rating	Release Price	Drink Date	Producer: Pago de Carraovejas
94	\$281	2024 - 2032	From: Spain , Castilla León , Ribera del Duero
Reviewed by	Issue Date	Source	Color: Red
Luis Gutiérrez	31st Jan 2023	End of January 2023, The Wine Advocate	Type: Table

The single-vineyard 2018 Cuesta de Las Liebres comes from a plot that was planted in 1992 behind the winery at some 850 meters in altitude, where the soils have more limestone and the vines are head pruned. This has been made with 100% Tempranillo since 2014 (even though they have other varieties there), and they abandoned the 200% new oak regime for the élevage and now do 24 months in new barrels with lower toast, racked after 12 months. It has 15% alcohol and comes through as powerful and ripe. It's full-bodied and has fine tannins and less oaky notes than in the past, with balance and freshness combined with the power and concentration. This is a powerful and classical wine that is not produced every year and is designed for the long haul. 10,000 bottles produced.

Sweetness: Dry

Type: Table

Variety: Proprietary Blend