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Celebrating 2017, a year of triumphs and of PINEA's commercial debut in USA

"17 by Pinea" - Vintage 2017

100% Tempranillo, Ribera del Duero 

JR: 16.5pts / WS: 92pts / JS: 93pts / IWC: 91pts*



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1. Reflects winery's philosophy: careful viticulture to let the fruit be the star.
2. Highly perfumed, harmonious contrast between spice and mouth fulling fruit with long, persistent finish.
3. 30+ Year-old Vines / 80-acre Estate / 900 m. elevation, 360 degree exposition.
4. Subtle nuances of vanilla and caramel, from use of American and French Oak.
5. Winemaker: "One of the brightest young Spanish winemaking stars" WS



TASTING NOTES:

"17" by Pinea captures the elusive combination of intense concentration and lifted, complex aromatics that distinguishes the best Ribera del Duero wines. The lifted aromatics and elegant, supple body of "17" by Pinea is particularly appealing and a departure from the more aggressive, heavily extracted style the region is known for. To enhance the perfumed aromatics, decant for about 30 minutes before serving at a cool 60 degrees and use a Burgundy stem. Drink now or in the next 10-15 years.

Appearance: Opaque garnet-red core with hints of light purple at the rim.

Nose: Regal and highly perfumed, expressing the classic fruit profile of Tempranillo with its own unique finesse very reminiscent of fine Burgundy. Black forest fruits, plum, and blueberry dominate with hints of light accents of vanilla, cacao nibs and cedar playing a supporting, background role.

Palate: Velvety feel in mouth with presence of fresh plum and berry compote laced with high-toned red fruits. The wine has broad shoulders, but also soft edges with chalky tannins and a lively mineral acidity driving a long and supple finish.

FOOD PAIRING:

Extraordinarily versatile, almost any western cuisine food: Spanish Paella & Tapas, steaks, gamey food, brisket, lamb, pork, grilled vegetables.

Winery: Bodegas Pinea
Country: Spain
Apellation: Ribera del Duero
Region: Castilla y León
Winemaker: Isaac Fernández
Production: 1,852 cases (9Lts)

Grapes: Tempranillo
Vintage: 2017
Alcohol: 14,8%
Fermentation: Spontaneous, native yeasts
Aging: 18 months, French and American oak
Farming: Sustainable



* 2015 Vintage

