

BLUE OCEAN



REGION

DOC Vinho Verde, Portugal

GRAPE VARIETIES

80% Trejadura: A Portuguese varietal traditionally found in Vinho Verde. It adds distinctive aroma and flavor.

15% Loureiro: Considered one of the most fragrant of Portuguese grapes with aromas of bay leaf, lime, orange and peach. Its exceptional aromatic qualities create some of the best white wines in Portugal.

5% Alvarinho: Also known as Albarino. This varietal adds expressive aromas of citrus and stone fruits and vibrant acidity.

VINIFICATION

The grapes are grown in the sub-region of Mancao, where the best regional varieties of grapes are planted. The grapes are pressed and then macerated followed by controlled temperature fermentation. Unlike many inexpensive Vinho Verdes, which are made with under 10% alcohol and injected CO² to cover up the flaws, this wine was made with 11% alcohol. It's real wine with real flavors

PROFILE

Pale with citrine glints. Tropical fruit aromas. Fresh, fruity, light and citrusy with a slight frizzante. Good balance and nice acidity.

SERVING SUGGESTIONS

Excellent with fish and white meats.

About the artwork: The scene was painted by Kevin Hosseini, a young artist with autism. He was introduced to painting by a University of California, Santa Barbara Koegel Autism center clinician at the age of nine. To see more of his artwork visit:

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