



## EL OLVIDADO 2017 RESERVA TEMPRANILLO

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### PRODUCER INFO

- Christopher Ermisch was the original founder of Bodega Calle, along with Elvira Calle, a well-known local businesswoman and philanthropist.
- Named *Alberti 154* as it is the address of the winery in the district of Lújan de Cuyo. Dating to 1925, it resides on what's now on a residential street on the corner of 3 other founding wineries of this classic zone known as Drummond.
- A small-lot, gravity-flow, red wine production studio, Bodega Calle places great emphasis on gently crafting wines with regional distinction and grand personality.

### ABOUT THE WINE

- Roughly half of Mendoza's population is of Spanish descent, and over the years a number of Tempranillo vines have been planted in the region.
- This bottling, from an heirloom quality parral style vineyard in Altamira, is packed with lush cherry and raspberry fruit.
- A long growing season, very cold nights and low yields helped create a wine that is extremely concentrated, parral vineyard. 70 year old vines.

**Vintage:** 2017 | **Wine Type:** Red Wine

**Varietal:** Tempranillo

**Origin:** Argentina | **Appellation:** Altamira

**Elaboration:** Fermented in concrete tanks and then aged 12 months with a combination of new and used American oak.

**Winemaker:** Ermisch and Guillermo Heras

### TASTING NOTES

"Medium color. Aromas and flavors of red fruit and herbs with a bright, dry light-to-medium body and a brisk finish with fruit tannins and a suggestions of oak. A simple red to serve with everyday fare." – BTI, Beverage Testing Institute

### TECHNICAL DATA

**Production:** 1,000 cases | **Alcohol:** 14.0% | **TA:** 6.6 g/l | **Residual Sugar:** <.2 g/l | **pH:** 3.7

### PRESS & POINTS

2017 – 90 Points, Wine Advocate

2015 – 91 Points, BTI

2014 – 91 Points, BTI, Best Buy