



Juan Gil Silver Label 12 Meses - Organic & Vegan

Country:	Spain	Region:	Jumilla
Type:	Red	Varietal:	Monastrell
Format:	12 x 750ml		

BC	AB	SK	MB
+195859	+724837		
Speculative	Open		

TASTING NOTES

Colour: An intense cherry red colour

Aroma: Explosive aromas of ripe currant, red berries and smoked notes.

Taste: Rich, powerful and voluminous on the attack, a huge mouthful of creme-de-cassis concentration, silken and juicy in the mid-palate. A long and spicy finish with evocations of toasted French oak. Tannins build to the finish.

Food: Pair this wine with fried cheese with tomato relish.

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

2022 ~ 93 Points. "It matured in new and second-use French oak barrels for one year, but they were looking for lower toast and less impact of the wood in the wine than earlier vintages when it was 100% new oak. It has a paler color and a subtler and more floral nose, keeping the poise and showing surprisingly fresh for the conditions of the year. It's ripe, reflecting the warm and dry weather, with 15% alcohol but very good freshness, coming through as balanced and harmonious, clean and pure. This is a bargain and a success for the year, a champion in drinkability. Bravo!" - Luis Guti  rrez - Robert Parker's Wine Advocate, Jan/2025

2022 ~ 93 Points. Style: Kind finish, tasty Colour: Cherry, garnet rim Aroma: Powerful, ripe fruit, black fruit, toasty, dark chocolate Flavour: Flavourful, long - Gu  a Pe   n, Jun/2024

2022 ~ "The 2022 Monastrell Silver Label is 100% Monastrell Organic from Jumilla. It combines light oak with red fruit, pepper and a balsamic note. Generous with firm tannins and plush oak, it finishes dry with a slightly rugged, astringent grip." - Joaqu  n Hidalgo - Antonio Galloni's Vinous, Nov/2025

2021 ~ 93 Points. "2021 is a cooler and fresher year than 2020, even though both were very good. The 2021 Juan Gil (silver label) feels more harmonious, complex and deep than the 2020, as I noticed in most wines when I tasted both years; it's longer and more elegant, very clean. It has similar parameters but the perception is fresher. It matured in French oak barrels. 312,000 bottles produced." - Robert Parker's Wine Advocate, Jan/2024

2021 ~ "Chocolatey character, with notes of coffee and vanilla. Really sweet and well ripen soft tannins." - Decanter World Wine Awards 2024

2021 ~ JUDGES' SELECTION - Alberta Beverage Awards 2025

2020 ~ 90 Points. "Rich and fruity, but also deep, with ripe blackberries, figs, spice and dark chocolate on the nose. Just a hint of dried fruit here. This is restrainedly generous with a medium to full body, showing creamy tannins and a flavorful finish. A very solid monastrell. From organically grown grapes. Vegan." - James Suckling, Jul/2022

OTHER INFO

"Founded in 2002, the Gil Vera family can trace their viticultural roots back to their great grandfather, Juan Gil, who commenced making wine in 1916. The winery is located just north of Jumilla (town) where Monastrell copes with the arid weather condition. While a couple of the entry-level wines were found to be a little volatile, there is no question that they represent very good value, while the silver label Monastrell is outstanding for the price." - Neal Martin, Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate



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