



Emilio Rojo, Ribeiro

Emilio Rojo D.O. Ribeiro

Emilio Rojo 2010

Emilio Rojo: the man, the winery, the wine. This eccentric, one-man operation started in 1987 when Emilio the engineer decided to give up his fast-paced career and move back to his home in Galicia so that he could pursue his dream of becoming a winemaker. He found 2 hectares of dilapidated terraces near his home in Ribeiro, took control of them, and replanted them with the ancient, native varietals that had once grown there: Treixadura, Loureiro, Lado, Albariño, and Torrontés. To-day he organically farms these two hectares and harvests them for one of the most unique and rare wines in all of Spain: Emilio Rojo. 2009 was a good year for Emilio Rojo; the weather provided the perfect elements for ideal maturation of the grapes, combined with Emilio's regular green harvest to ensure low yields.

Wine: Emilio Rojo 2010

Grapes: 55% Treixadura, 15% Loureiro,
10% Lado, 10% Albariño, 10% Torrontés.

Vine age: 15-20 years

Soil: Granite.

Farming: Ancestral.

Vinification: A green harvest ensured very low yields. Fermented in stainless steel tanks and bottled unfiltered.

