

A family writing its history since 1511

The origin of Pazo de Barrantes goes back to the beginning of the 16th century and since then, it has been connected with the Cebrián-Sagarriga family.

The spirit of Pazo de Barrantes relies upon the unwavering commitment of a family and a professional team in search of excellence. We dedicate all our efforts and a huge doses of affection and passion to this project.







Pazo de Barrantes, a new era

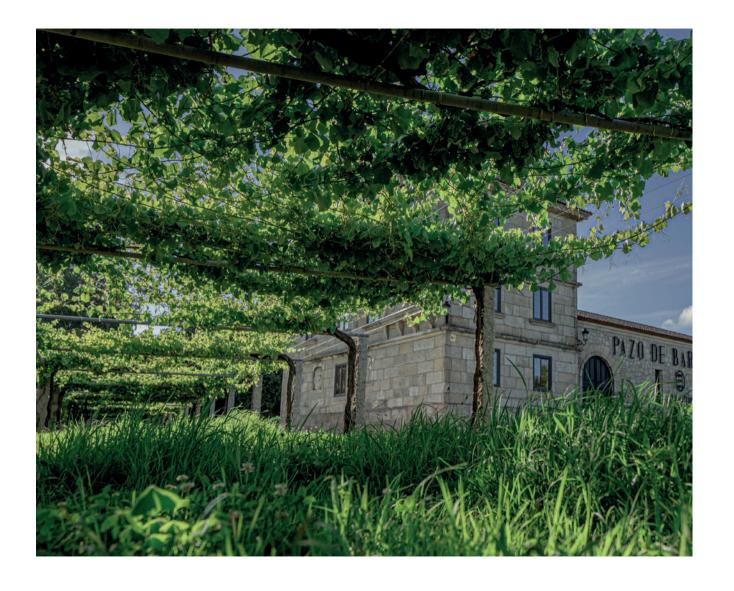
At Pazo de Barrantes, we have embraced a new challenge: not only as an answer to our continuous search for excellence, but also as a tribute to one of the world's most extraordinary grape varieties, Albariño.



It all begins with our unique terroir, our own 12-hectare vineyard in the heart of the Salnés Valley. Blessed with a unique microclimate, it benefits daily from our hard work and care, expert knowledge, and the passion of the family that owns it.

For years, we were obsessed with the idea of our wine expressing the full personality and potential of the grapes from our estate.

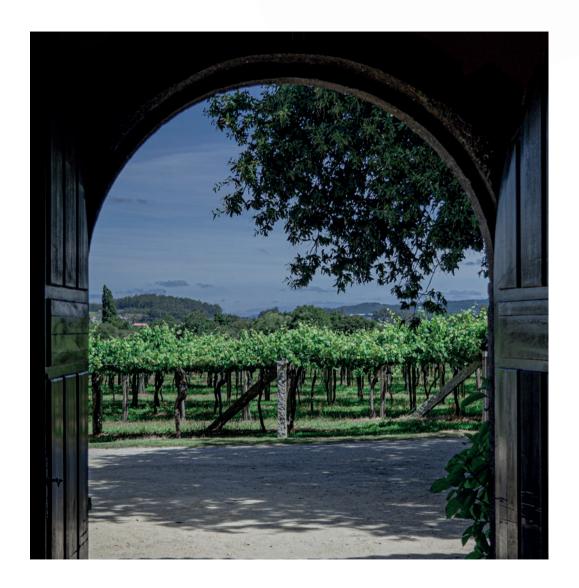
And so, we have spent more than 10 years working on this project, starting with the careful tending of our vineyards to always guarantee the utmost health and quality of our grapes. We reduced our yields and carried out an exhaustive selection of grapes, both in the field and when they enter the winery, using a slow, gradual maturation process to obtain unique, ideal quality parameters suitable for aging.



As a result, we significantly reduced our 2019 vintage, producing only 95,097 bottles that we decided to number, of course.

This served as a foundation for our new project, Albariño Pazo Barrantes 2019 and subsequent vintages, conceived at the outset to be a wine for aging.





In the winery, our role is limited to taking care of and respecting the incredible raw material that the Pazo estate provides.

By controlling fermentation temperature as much as possible in our stainless-steel tanks, we can slow down fermentation and obtain greater purity and aromatic intensity. After two months in contact with the lees, our wine gains texture, while seven months of rest in the tank improve its balance and harmony.



Also, we have added a new ingredient: wood. A small proportion of the wine, around 15%, is aged in acacia barrels, gaining volume, complexity, and depth.

Finally, we extended the bottle aging process to more than a year and a half, giving our wine the chance to become fully defined and balanced.





In short, all these years of experience have taught us exactly what our wine needs to express its incredible potential: more pampered aging, delayed bottling, and a longer maturation process in the bottle.

The final touch to our project is the new packaging. We worked tirelessly to achieve the look that best expresses the personality of the new Pazo Barrantes.





While the elegant and updated version of the traditional Burgundy bottle lends uniqueness, the new label is printed on heavyweight, waterproof cotton paper, replicating artisanal printing techniques. Featuring the image of our winery seen from the vineyard, it adds a sense of solidity and perpetuity.



La Comtesse

Along with the new Pazo Barrantes, we will introduce La Comtesse, which fully reflects the character of a small, single vineyard of just one and a half hectares, Pago Cacheiro, planted in 1965.



Since the first vintage, 2009, we have showcased the grape variety's incredible personality, the authenticity of the terroir, and its greatness after fermentation and aging in French oak vats.

In the 2017 vintage, we incorporated concrete into the aging process, a simple material that helps to polish our wine, enhance its expressiveness, and increase its life expectancy. All of this allowed La Comtesse to fulfill its mission of becoming a Gran Vino de Guarda (wine for aging).

After a journey of more than 30 years, but with the same enthusiasm as on the first day, we are delighted to announce the beginning of a new era for Pazo de Barrantes by presenting, following two years of justified absence, our Gran Vino Pazo de Barrantes 2019 and our Gran Vino de Guarda, La Comtesse 2017.

