

# Passionate Wines Via Revolucionaria Criolla Grande 2020

This 100% hand harvested Criolla Grande is from Campo Vidal, a single vineyard within Tupungato, Uco Valley. The lifted and bright nose shows notes of cherry, strawberry, raspberry, dried rose petals, and milk chocolate. The palate is light and fresh with good acidity and bright red fruit shining through. The finish shows macerated raspberries with a hint of cinnamon, crushed dried leaves, and orange peel. A little bigger and broader with a stringer tannin backbone than the 2019.



Vintage: 2020  
Varietal: 100% Criolla Grande  
Case Production 12 pack: 600  
Alcohol Content: 10.50%  
Region / Location: Tupungato, Uco Valley, Mendoza  
Vineyard: Campo Vidal,  
Planted: Planted in 1972  
Altitude: 3,450 feet  
Farming Practices: Sustainable  
Soil Type: Deep alluvial, rocky  
Trellis System: Pergola  
Yield: 4.5 tons/acre  
Stem Inclusion: Yes  
Yeast: Native  
Winemaker: Passionate Wines  
Élevage: Concrete Egg  
Lees Contact:  
Filtration Method: Light filtration- Cellulose plates  
Maceration / Fermentation: 7 days at low temperature  
UPC Code:

## Passionate Wines

Passionate Wines is the brainchild of Matias Michelini. He is the winemaker, agronomist, and Grand Poobah of his winery named Passionate Wines. Matias strives to make experimental wines that express terroir. These wines are low production and are drawn from multiple inspirations, regions, and styles. The Via Revolucionaria wines are single vineyard, unconventional wines, fermented with native yeast. He produces a skin macerated Torrontes “Brutal”, an unfiltered Semillon “Hulk”, and a carbonic macerated and fermented Bonarda “Pura”. The Montesco wines are small production wines that focus on place and varieties. Matias continues to experiment with other cuvees with the mantra of producing either atypical varieties or classic varieties in non-traditional methods.