

CALLEJO

DESDE 1989

Ribera del Duero

SOTILLO DE LA RIBERA

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We are a Family Winery,

founded in 1989 by Félix Callejo. We are currently the second generation, Cristina, José Félix, Beatriz and Noelia Callejo who continue this exciting legacy.



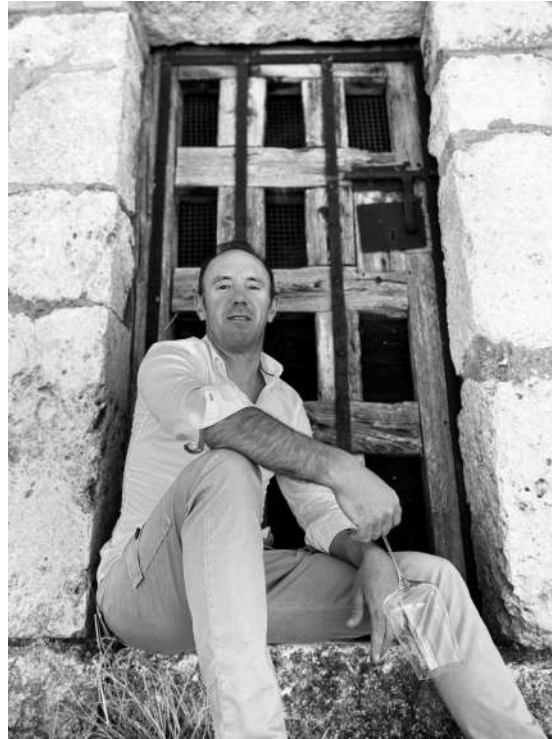




· Beatriz ·



· Noelia ·



· José Félix ·



· Cristina ·

** Winemakers of the year 2021 by Tim Akin MW.*



The experiences in other wineries of both José Félix (Petrus - France, 1999; Torres - Chile, 2000) and Noelia (Araujo - Napa, 2007 and 2010; Cobos - Mendoza, 2008) have provided the basis for further developing a philosophy *based on the soil and to be **Vignerons***.

In the year 2000, we began to work in an *ecological* way in our vineyards, a clean, respectful viticulture, full of life for the soils and therefore for our wines.

This step, *made us and makes us return to the past to be able to look to the future*. Observe our surroundings, the landscape that surrounds us, the culture that we have acquired thanks to our ancestors always linked to the world of wine and the authenticity of our land.



FÉLIX CALLEJO



FÉLIX CALLEJO

“We began to elaborate Félix Callejo in 2002. We were observing in the tasting of grapes that we made prior to the harvest, the nuances so different that we noticed in the limestone soils. Finally, we decided that year, to select some Tinto Fino from the limy chalks of several vineyards to more than 900 m. of altitude and ferment separately. The result was spectacular! Enthusiastic with the finesse and elegance that the limestone soils provide to the Tinto Fino, year after year we witness the evolution of these magnificent soils”

José Félix y Noelia Callejo
Winemakers



Our landscape is located in the village of **Sotillo de la Ribera**, province of Burgos, on the northern edge of the Duero river basin, in a privileged environment, due to its high **altitude (830 - 930 m)**, where the moors (*páramo*) of the highest areas, with limestone soils, give way as we follow the erosion of the valley, to gravel soils (old river beds), sandy areas in the pine area, and clays in the lower areas .

José Félix y Noelia Callejo
Winemakers

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VINEYARS

- **Tinto Fino** from our vineyards:

Medio Arroyo (zona alta), Montecillo (cotarro)

- Type of soil: *limestone*
- Altitude: *900-920 m.*
- Yield: *1,8 kg/ha*

- Manual picking in boxes of 12 kg capacity; two sorting tables. Gravity system.
- Natural yeast
- Aging: 18 months in fûts 500L.
- # Bottles: 1,254.
- # Magnum: 42.



Vintage 2018

INFORMATION

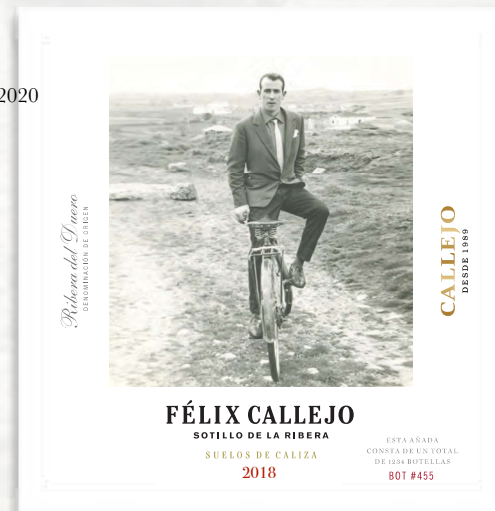
After the year horribilis 2017 in Ribera del Duero, this year is characterized by an abundant and generous harvest, thanks to the significant rainfall that occurred in spring, recovering the vineyards all their potential.

The winter was cold and with precipitations well distributed in the form of snow. The spring was unusually rainy, with moderate temperatures, causing a certain delay in the vineyard cycle. Later in summer, temperatures recovered with little precipitation. The development of the vineyard was optimal thanks to the water reserves accumulated in the soil. The harvest was made at the beginning of October. The weight of the berries was high and large bunches. Abundant and high quality harvest.

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SCORES

- 97 points Tim Atkin MW. Vintage 2021
- 96 points Tim Atkin MW. Vintage 2020
- 96 points Guía Gourmets. Vintage 2020
- 94 points James Suckling. Vintage 2020
- 17 points Jancis Robinson MW. Vintage 2020
- 97 points Guía Gourmets. Vintage 2019
- 96 points Tim Atkin MW. Vintage 2019
- 93 points James Suckling. Vintage 2019
- 93 points Guía Peñín. Vintage 2019
- 98 points Guía Gourmets. Vintage 2018
- 97 points Tim Atkin MW. Vintage 2018
- 96 points Decanter. Vintage 2018
- 93 points Guía Peñín. Vintage 2018
- 91 points James Suckling. Vintage 2018
- 97 points Guía Gourmets. Vintage 2016
- 94 points Tim Atkin MW. Vintage 2016
- 94 points James Suckling. Vintage 2016
- 93 points Guía Peñín. Vintage 2016
- 97 points Guía Gourmets. Vintage 2015
- 94 points Tim Atkin MW. Vintage 2015
- 93 points Robert Parker. Vintage 2015
- 93 points Guía Peñín. Vintage 2015
- 99 points Guía Gourmets. Vintage 2014
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- 97 points Guía Gourmets. Vintage 2013
- 92 points James Suckling. Vintage 2013
- 99 points Guía Gourmets. Vintage 2012
- 93 points Robert Parker. Vintage 2012
- 97 points Guía Gourmets. Vintage 2011
- 93 points Stephen Tanzer. Vintage 2011
- 93 points Guía Peñín. Vintage 2011
- 98 points Guía Gourmets. Vintage 2010
- 94 points Stephen Tanzer. Vintage 2010
- 94 points Stephen Tanzer. Vintage 2009
- 95 points The International Wine Review. Vintage 2009
- 94 points Robert Parker. Vintage 2006



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