

## The Tres Raices Estate

**Founded:** 2012 by Roberto Guerrero & Alma Peña

**Winery Location:** Dolores Hidalgo, Guanajuato

**Winemaker:** Aarón Huertas Vadillo - Spanish born, lives in Guanajuato.

**Vineyard Details:** All estate owned vines are planted at an elevation of 6,400 ft in the undulating highlands of the El Bajío plateau of central Mexico in the state of Guanajuato. Planted in various stages, the site is composed of sandy loam soils which lie over a limestone subsoil. The estate has an impressive 200 acres under vine that are farmed organically and are surrounded by a generous buffer from any neighboring farmland.

### Notes:

- The name and logo of the winery represent three roots and are symbolic of the 3 sons of the owners.
- Minimal intervention and sustainability are cornerstones of the operation, stemming from an intention to make place-based wines that are a true expression of the land and vines they come from.
- Winemaker Aaron Huertas grew up in vineyards as a child in Rioja watching his grandfather make wine. At the age of 9 he made his first wine and at the age of 22 he graduated #1 in his class from the department of oenology at the prestigious University of Madrid. Having worked as winemaker at Finca Allende, Finca Nueva, and González Byass, he was offered a job making wine for the omnipresent consultant Michele Roland, an offer which he turned down to pursue his own path in making wine. He chose to work accept an offer to work with Tres Raices in 2022 being inspired by their dedication to making exceptional wines, framing elegantly without compromise, and supporting all aspects of the winery with equipment that supports the expression of nuance in every harvest.

**Total production: 18 wines, 25,000 cases**



## 2023 Tré Cabernet Tempranillo - Tres Raices

### Tasting Notes and Drinking Window:

Tré marks the entry point into Tres Raíces' red portfolio, yet it offers a remarkably clear expression of the estate's quality and intent. Crafted without oak influence, this blend of Cabernet Sauvignon and Tempranillo is driven purely by fruit, allowing freshness, clarity, and precision to take center stage. Bright and expressive, it is immediately appealing in its youth, offering generous fruit and supple structure while still carrying the understated sophistication that defines the winery's style. As the estate's sole stainless steel fermented red, Tré channels a vibrant sense of joie de vivre—lively, refined, and irresistibly drinkable.

**2,000 cases made**

**Drinking window: Upon release - 10 years**

### Vintage:

2023

### Blend:

50% Cabernet Sauvignon 50% Tempranillo

### Producer:

Tres Raices

### Winemaker:

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### Vineyards:

Estate vineyards planted in 2012 at 6,400 ft in the highlands between the towns of San Miguel de Allende and Dolores Hidalgo in Guanajuato. Soils are a sandy loam over a subsoil of limestone. Cool temperatures allow for slow ripening of grapes with an ideal balance of sugars and acidity. The parcels used for this wine are 12 acres in total.

### Winemaking:

Harvested by hand in two lots, on the 5th and 18th of September. Manual sorting proceeded a gentle press (looking for light extraction) and fermentation in stainless steel tanks. After fermentation, the wine was left in the tanks for an additional 9 months and then bottled with minimal filtration.

**Sulfites: 35 ppm**

### Farming:

sustainable, organic

### Alcohol:

13%