

# **RAVENTÓS I BLANC**







## **TEXTURES DE PEDRA 2020**

**RAVENTÓS I BLANC** || The Raventós i Blanc estate, which is comprised on 90 hectares of woodlands and vineyards, was founded in 1497 and has been passed on through the family to the present day. It was a member of the Raventós family, Josep Raventós Fatjó, who made the first Cava in 1872. In 1984, on the family estate, Josep-Maria Raventós I Blanc founded the winery as we know it today with a singular focus on achieving the highest quality wines. Today, the father and son team of Manuel and Pepe Raventós (Josep-Maria's son and grandson) work side by side, continuing the prestigious lineage of this remarkable estate.

**CONCA DEL RIU ANOIA - PENEDÈS** || In December 2012, Raventós i Blanc took an important step in its evolution, leaving the Cava DO and creating a new designation, Conca del Riu Anoia. This small geographical area conveys strict viticultural traditions, the strength of the land, the unique, indigenous grape varieties and the characteristics of the soils.

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BLEND | 50% Xarel·lo Vermell, 25% Sumoll & 25% Bastard Negre

VINEYARDS | From Vinya Més Alta, located at the top of the Serral hill, the highest plot on the estate - an unusual stony soiled vineyard with excellent drainage and low yields.

WINEMAKING | Made in the traditional method. Vinification is done separately by variety (except Sumoll & Parellada) and soil type in stainless steel tanks followed by blending and secondary fermentation in the bottle, aged for 48 months. Zero Dosage.

#### PRESS | 94 WA

"The darker, subtler and more complex Textures de Pedra was first produced in 2011 and is the evolution of a wine he called Elisabeth Raventós, an homage to his sister. It was the seed for their first site-specific wine, a blanc de noirs, from two hectares in the Viña Mes Alta. It is becoming their most iconic wine. There is a jump in quality here; the mouthfeel, chalkiness and persistence are different. Fresh and lively, with a pungent palate and great persistence. This has the cru vinification of direct pressing, fermentation in concrete with indigenous yeasts and no added sugar, coming in bone dry and with a sharp sensation in the palate. It's a very serious sparkling Mediterranean wine."

## SPARKLING | CONCA

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