

De Martino Gallardia Cinsault

THE FACTS

COUNTRY: Chile

REGION: Itata

CEPAGE: 100% Cinsault

WINEMAKING: Handpicked, wild ferment, aged in old oak, bottled unfiltered

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 12.5%

AGING: Briefly aged 3 months in old French barrels before bottling

THE STORY

Founded in 1934, De Martino is a fourth-generation, family-run winery redefining Chilean terroir through sustainable farming and traditional methods. Led by Marco Antonio and Sebastián De Martino, the estate sources from diverse regions—from gravel soils in Maipo to ancient bush vines in Itata—to craft pure, expressive wines with a clear sense of place. As pioneers of Carmenere and champions of old-vine heritage, De Martino balances innovation and history across a dynamic portfolio that spans crisp coastal whites to structured reds and field blends—all under the thoughtful hand of winemaker Nicolás Pérez.

THE ADJECTIVES

OVERALL: Light-bodied, fresh, and expressive with bright red fruit

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Red berries, wild cherry, raspberry, violets, granite lift

MOUTHFEEL: Silky and juicy, with vibrant acidity and minimal extraction

THE SELLING POINTS

Elegant, fresh Cinsault from dry-farmed old vines in Itata

PAIRINGS: Perfect with grilled salmon, charcuterie, mushroom dishes, duck

