

**Rolland Galarreta 2012 R & G Esencia
(Rioja)**

Rioja, Rioja

Red wine from Spain

Drinking window: 2020 - 2027

Limpid ruby. A complex, highly perfumed bouquet evokes ripe red berries, incense, vanilla and woodsmoke. Smooth, seamless, appealingly sweet oak-accented cherry, raspberry and candied rose flavors coat the palate and become more energetic as the wine opens up. Shows excellent clarity and no rough edges on the gently tannic finish, which features lingering smokiness and florality.

Josh Reynolds, February 2019

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