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# MENDEL FINCA REMOTA

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 CATEGORY: Icon Wines

*From 60+ year-old vineyards at the 'Faraway Ranch' in Altamira (Uco Valley), this dense Malbec is full-bodied with enticing floral aromas and black fruit flavor.*

## WINEMAKING DETAILS

**VARIETAL:** 100% Malbec

**REGION:** Mendoza

**AVG. ELEVATION:** 3600

**AVG. AGE OF VINES:** 78

**ALCOHOL:** 14.7

**SIZE:** 3/750ml

**UPC:** 835603001549

**AGING:** The wine is aged 12 months in 100% oak barrels.

**HARVEST DETAILS:** The grapes come from the Paraje Altamira vineyard in Uco Valley, Mendoza.

## TASTING NOTES AND PAIRINGS

- Dark as night, a basket of enticing floral aromas (especially violets).
- Intense red and black fruit flavors underlined with superbly integrated French oak notes.
- Try with: steak with a port reduction, duck with cherry sauce, or veal shank.

## WINERY OVERVIEW

Mendel wines classically combine Roberto de la Mota's prestigious winemaking skills and tremendously old vineyards to make Mendoza's most elegant wines. Proprietor and long-time wine lover, Anabelle Sielecki, partnered with Roberto to transform her family's historic 1928 vineyard into the respected estate it is today. She honors her father, a hardworking immigrant and successful businessman, by putting his first name, Mendel, on the label.

Using his French winemaking experience, Roberto has led Argentina's winemaking movement toward world-class production. The finesse and elegance in his wines are revered and respected.

