

Carmenère taken to a new Dimension

preferred to take his time est Montes could possibly Carmenère resurfaced in Chile only about 12 years ago, after being believed extinct since phylloxera hit Bordeaux, its original Montes Alpha range, and icons such as Montes Alpha M and Montes Folly. Montes also led the way to quality by planting on home, around 1880. In Chile, its sole home at the moment, we consider it our "Chilean variety" and call it the "Jurassic Park" grape, returned from extinction. Montes pioneered the Chilean wine scene by creating super-premium wines, including the and develop the Carmenère variety until he was satisfied that it could be a top contender, the very be produce. It was worth the wait... this new beauty (a blend of 92% Carmenère and 8% Petit Verdot, w steep mountain slopes. But Montes, Chile's wine pioneer, also knows when to wait -Aurelio Montes French and American oak barrels) is touched by the wings of an angel... a PURPLE ANGEL.

PURPLE ANGEL, the super Carmenère, from Montes.









