MALBEC RESERVE 2010

BODEGAS SALENTEIN
VALLE DE UCO, MENDOZA
ARGENTINA

i-winereview.com

91+ POINTS

"Like the Salentein Chardonnay Reserve, the Malbec Reserve is exceptional quality for the price. It's a well-balanced wine with meaty red fruit notes on the nose. It shows an inner mouth perfume with flavors of ripe dark plum, blackberry, and savory, saline notes on a full, nicely weighted palate. Made from selected grapes of both low and high altitude vineyard parcels yielding about 6 tons/hectare and aged in 50% new American and French oak for 12 months."

October 2012

Wine & Spirits

91 POINTS
& Year's Best

"Full of violet and black fruit scents, this wine has ripened to cherry liqueur notes. The flavors follow with an unbridled, juicy decadence that will complement braised meats. This is a blend of two vineyards at close to 4,000 feet."

February 2013

WINE ENTHUSIAST

90 POINTS

"Compact, concentrated and clean, with all its components in place. The bouquet is dark with charcoal, but bright with berry fruit aromas. The mouthfeel is comfortable and balanced, with sweet berry flavors offset by mild spice and proper oak. Soft tannins define the finish; a fine Malbec that doesn't overdo it."

May 2012

Wine Spectator

88 POINTS
A Recommended Malbec for "Skirt Steak And Malbec for Father's Day"

"This juicy red offers a floral mix of raspberry, cassis, and blackberry fruit notes, backed by bright acidity and a fine, minerally finish."

June 30, 2012