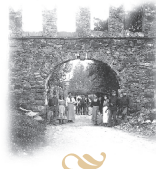


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REBULA
2014



88
points
Drink: 2015-2018

2014 Ferdinand Rebula / Ribolla Gialla

The 2014 Rebula / Ribolla Gialla is an unoaked white. The double name, basically the same grape with its Italian name as well, is that way on the label because "it's a bilingual region facing Italy," the importer says. Beautifully wrought, this has reasonable concentration for the level, a fresh feel, focus and fine tension on the finish as it airs and warms. It also has increasingly delicious fruit as it warms into the mid-50 degrees Fahrenheit. Dry and persistent, it shows very well, with a crisp finish. It may hold better, but I'd suggest drinking it young in any event to maintain its freshness.

This producer's efforts with Ribolla Gialla were very interesting. They were some of my favorite whites in this report and reasonably priced for what they are. They are well worth a look.

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