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Tasting Notes - 2009

Miguel Louro, Quinta do Mouro 2006 Vinho Regional Alentejano 15.5 Drink 2011-15

From Estremoz. Golden label.

Warm and dusty on the nose. Sweet start and then very fine tannins. Need to wait! A bit brutal for the moment. 14%

Miguel Louro, Quinta do Mouro Touriga Nacional 2006 Vinho Regional Alentejano 17 Drink 2009-14

From Estremoz.

Mid crimson. Well-balanced nose. Sweet and tarry with real depth and structure. Fine tannins and savour and sap. Well done! 14.5%

Miguel Louro, Quinta do Mouro Rótulo Dourado 2005 Alentejo 17.5 Drink 2009-15

Magnum, golden label. From Estremoz.

Concentrated bottling with a bit more wood. Beautiful dense healthy crimson. Much more sophisticated than the 1999. Pure and rich and smooth. Very flattering with a hint of dark chocolate. 14%

Miguel Louro, Quinta do Mouro 1999 Alentejo 16 Drink 2008-13

Magnum. From Estremoz, made by Miguel de Orduna Viegas Louro. Founded end 1990s.

Lively crimson with some evolution. Tertiary aromas and very together and lively. Slightly dusty finish. Ripe rather than complex but lots of fun and delivery. Quite long. A bit brutal. 14%

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