



Stephen Tanzer's

International Wine Cellar

Bodegas Palacios Remondo

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[2004 Bodegas Palacios Remondo Finca La Montesa](#)

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(\$19) Medium red. Elegant nose features pungent rose and violet, spices, smoked meat, raspberry and blackberry. Firm and nicely focused, with sweet, deep red and dark berry flavors framed by silky tannins. Finishes stony, fresh and long, with a persistent red berry quality.

[2004 Bodegas Palacios Remondo Propiedad](#)

90(+?)

(\$30) Dark red. Aromas of licorice, game, candied cherry and redcurrant complicated by smoky, floral and earthy nuances. Youthfully wound up, with powerful cherry and musky herb flavors. With air the cherry note gains intensity and depth, carrying into a long, graceful finish, the firm tannins becoming more pliant too. I'd hold off on drinking this for another few years but the quality is already easy to see. (The Rare Wine Company, Sonoma, CA)