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ESTATE VINEYARDS

2022 PETITE SIRAH

Dry Creek Valley, Sonoma County

THE BACKGROUND

This richly flavored grape, long known for its intense characteristics, has been grown alongside Zinfandel in Dry Creek Valley for over 100 years. Petite Sirah has been planted on our Home Ranch Vineyard since the early 1900s. The Bushnell Vineyard has grown this grape for nearly 90 years and has been a source for us since the 1940s.

THE VINTAGE

The vintage of 2022 was influenced by low amounts of rain and was followed by a warm growing season which sped up maturity while concentrating flavors and color. The grapes for this wine were harvested over the second week of September preserving the varietal flavors, aromatics, and natural acidity.

WINEMAKER TASTING NOTES

Full flavored, deep purple and full-bodied, this Petite Sirah is very aromatic with dark berries, and warm cooking spices. On the palate find blueberry, mocha, and black pepper. Sturdily structured with firm tannins and a long full finish with toasty oak and white pepper notes. It has the potential to age well over 10 additional years or more.

COMPOSITION | 95% Petite Sirah, 4% Zinfandel, 1% Merlot

ESTATE VINEYARD SOURCES 75% Bushnell Vineyard and 25% Home Ranch Vineyard

VINE AGE & FARMING | 26 Years Old, Straight Vertical Trellis

SOIL | Manzanita Gravelly Silt Loam

WINEMAKING

The fruit was crushed into a small capacity stainless steel
tank fermenter with daily pump-overs of the juice allowing a
substantial increase in extraction of color, tannins and flavor.

BARREL AGING | 16 months in American Oak, 30% new

ALCOHOL 15.5% PH 3.78 TOTAL ACIDITY .615 g/ml cases produced 590



