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WINE ENTHUSIAST[®]

BUYING GUIDE



93 Barra of Mendocino 2016 Estate Grown Petite Sirah (Mendocino). Made from organic grapes, this wine has an impressively deep color that stays concentrated right to the dark-red rim. The nose brings violets, blueberries and black pepper, and the flavors gush dark fruit and dark chocolate, with hardly any oak influence. A surprisingly gentle layer of fine-grained tannins smooths the texture and soothes the palate. Best after 2023. *Cellar Selection.* —J.G.

abv: 14.5%

Price: \$22