

BARRA

of MENDOCINO

2016 Petite Sirah

Our 2016 Petite Sirah is a bold, full-bodied, intensely concentrated no-nonsense wine. While contemplating its deep purple-rubescence opacity, prepare to be greeted by aromas of cedar and sage, black pepper and cognac. The palate is lush, ripe, and smooth, with a broad richness and vivid fruit flavor of Italian black cherries and blueberries. The wine finishes with firm tannins, bittersweet chocolate, and a hint of maple syrup.

After fermenting in stainless steel tanks, the wine was barreled-down into a mixture of 20% new French and American Oak barrels, as well as a mixture of 2nd, 3rd, and 4th fill barrels. The wine was tucked away in the cellar to further age for 18 months before final blending and bottling.



Appellation: Mendocino

ph/TA: 3.63/.60

Harvest Brix: 27.6

Aging: 20% new French & American oak for 18 months
80 % neutral

Production: 250 cases

Released: August 2018

Alcohol: 15%



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