





## 2018 PETITE SIRAH

The signature varietal that launched the BARRA of Mendocino brand in 1997, this Petite Sirah features certified organic grapes that were hand picked from our 27 acre hillside vineyard, Bella Collina, located high above the Ukiah valley (925 feet elevation) in Mendocino County. Following the advice of Karl Wente and Louis Martini in the early 60's, Charlie Barra began planting the Petite Sirah varietal, and we continue to bottle limited quantities of this luscious, hearty wine.

This wine is deep purple in color with aromas of cedar, black pepper, ripe wild blackberries and earthy spice notes. Extremely full-bodied, with rich flavors of cocoa, dark roasted coffee, and caramel. With its opulent tannins and dense mouthfeel, this wine delivers a long, lasting finishing and is well suited for long term cellaring.

## Alcohol:

14.5%

**pH:** 3.65

**RS:** .17 grams/100 ml

**TA:** .90 grams/100 ml

Varietal Composition: 100% Petite Sirah

**Aging:** 18 months in 25% new French oak, balance in neutral barrels. Coopers: Francois Freres, Taransaud, Marchive Appellation: Mendocino

**Proprietor:** Martha Barra

Winemaker: Randy Meyer

**Vineyard Manager:** Roberto Gonzalez

Production: 232 cases

Suggested Retail: \$26

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