

PETITE SIRAH
2006 NAPA VALLEY
SPRING CREEK VINEYARD

VINEYARD NOTES

100% PETITE SIRAH

Our 2006 vintage of Petite Sirah was made in much the same style as the previous four vintages producing a luscious, fruit-forward, delicious wine from Spring Creek Vineyard, located in the St. Helena Appellation.

The vineyard is on the west side of the valley floor and benefits from copious direct sunlight during the growing season as well as cool breezes in the afternoon, a perfect situation for Petite Sirah.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The 2006 Petite Sirah exhibits the typical deep black and purple hues that, amazingly, comes from only 10 days of skin contact. 10 months of oak aging contribute rich aromas and flavors of toasty vanilla that are well balanced with the characteristic plum, boysenberry and hints of roasted game. The entry is rich and concentrated, the structure and weight are big but the finish is silky and very approachable early on for this varietal.

BARREL AGING: 10 Months
50% French Oak, 50% American Oak
50% new, 30% one-year old, 20% two-year old

WINEMAKER: Andy Pestoni

PRODUCTION: 1,000 Cases

ALCOHOL: 14.2%

