



### Wine Details

Blend: 95% Petite Sirah, 5% Cab

**Alcohol: 15.0%** 

pH: 3.82

RS: 0.7 g/1

TA: 6.0

Oak Profile: French Oak, 25% new

Barrel Aging: 24 months

Vineyard: Eakle Ranch

Appellation: Napa Valley

**Bottling Date: TBD** 

Release Date: TBD

Cases Produced: 200

**SRP:** \$55

# 2018 Petite Sirah

Napa Valley

## Vineyard Details:

We sourced this beautiful fruit from a neighboring vineyard that is managed by Eakle Vineyard Management. Being a stone's throw from The Eakle Ranch, the features of the vineyard are very similar to our own. Pope Valley Winery is located in the northeastern hills just beyond Howell Mountain in Napa Valley. We have a warm growing climate with cool evenings and mornings which allow the grapes to hang on the vine long enough to ripen to their fullest potential yet cool enough at night to develop complex varietal aromas. Pope Valley wines express the historic character that established Napa Valley as one of the premier growing regions in the world.

# Winemaking notes:

Berries were 100% destemmed to tank and fermented over the course of 21 days. Upon pressing, the wine was racked to French oak barrels, of which 25% were new, where it rested for 24 months prior to bottling.

### Tasting notes:

Aromas of fresh black plums, black pepper jerky, and violet entice you to taste this big, juicy, mouth coating wine and revel in flavors of black currant and cedar, braced by subtle graphite; on the finish you find fine, dense tannins and fresh wild mushroom undertones.

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