

2017 Sawyer Petite Sirah Estate Collection, Dry Creek Valley

TASTING NOTES

Nearly opaque in appearance; this rich full bodied Petite Sirah has layer upon layer of sweet black plum, violets, and spice. The nose is filled with nutmeg, mocha, and hints of star anise. With its precise varietal characteristics of blueberry and spiced sugar plum exploding on the palate. Mouth filling velvety tannins, ending with a warm, dry, and lingering finish.

PAIRING IDEA

A spicy black bean soup and fresh bread.

TECHNICAL DATA

Vineyard	Sawyer
Elevation	500'
Year	1998
Planted	Double VSP
Trellis Clone	Foppiano
Rootstock	St. George
Soil	Boomer, Manzanita, Riverwash, Stonyford
Composition	80% Petite Sirah, 20% Zinfandel
Oak Aging	20 months on 30% New French
	& American Oak
Bottling	Unfined
Production	5 Barrels
Alcohol	14.6% by volume



