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French Camp Vineyard

2021 · PETITE SIRAH

PASO ROBLES HIGHLANDS DISTRICT

WINEMAKER	JOEY TENSELY
YIELD	3 TONS PER ACRE
CASES	371
ALCOHOL	15.0%
PH	3.79
TA	5.9 g/L

VINEYARD & TERROIR

CRAFTED FROM BLOCK 53. CAMATTA SOIL SERIES. THE FRENCH CAMP VINEYARD RESTS IN THE RAIN SHADOW OF BLACK MOUNTAIN IN THE SOUTHEASTERN CORNER OF THE PASO ROBLES AVA. BECAUSE OF ITS PROXIMITY TO THE MOUNTAINS AND THE DRAINAGE THAT COMES FROM THEM, FRENCH CAMP ENJOYS ALMOST A 50-DEGREE DIURNAL SHIFT BETWEEN THE HIGH TEMPERATURES OF THE DAY AND THE COOL OF THE NIGHT, WHICH HELPS PRESERVE THE ACIDS IN THE GRAPES WHILE STILL ASSURING THE FULL MATURITY OF THE FRUIT.

COMPOSITION

100% PETITE SIRAH

AGING

AGED 10 MONTHS IN 30% NEW FRENCH OAK

AROMATICS

VIBRANT NOTES OF RIPENED ACAI BERRY, SUGAR-PLUMS, BLUEBERRY SYRUP, CHOCOLATE RAISINS, MENTHOL, PEPPER SPICED BLACK TEA ALL COME TOGETHER.

PALATE

LUSCIOUS AND RICH BUT WITH A BEAUTIFUL TENSION. SOFT AND SUPPLE WITH ROUND TANNINS. SWEET COFFEE MOCHA AND ROASTED BROWN LEATHER.