

IRONSTONE PETITE SIRAH 2016



Description:

If you love a big, red wine, our 2016 Petite Sirah is a “must have.” Succulent and rich, its deep, dark purple inky color leads way to bold aromas of warm berry pie and loads of blueberry mixed with vanilla and a light pepper spice. Its full flavor of lush berries mixed with dark chocolate, warm cedar and vanilla gives way to a delightfully smooth finish with moderate tannins.

Winemaker’s Notes:

The Kautz Family grows these Petite Sirah grapes in their Teichert Ranch vineyard in the Sloughouse sub-appellation of the Lodi AVA. These soils contain large stones throughout, They are well-drained soils ideal for growing world-class wine grapes. At Ironstone, we use crop reduction, leaf removal, organic materials, and drip irrigation to improve the quality and intensity of flavors. Cover crops, which attract beneficial insects, are also employed. In addition, we place owl and wood duck boxes around the vineyards and ponds helping to preserve the surrounding habitats.

Serving Hints:

Our Petite Sirah is a perfect wine to serve with dishes like veal saltimbocca or braised beef with winter vegetables. You can also try it with other dishes that contain a variety of mushrooms.

PRODUCER:	Ironstone
COUNTRY:	California
REGION:	Lodi
ALCOHOL %:	13.5%
GRAPE VARIETY:	90% Petite Sirah, 10% Zinfandel
RESIDUAL SUGAR:	2.3 g/l
pH:	3.49
TOTAL ACIDITY:	6.45 g/l

Pack	Size	Lbs	L	W	H	Pallet	UPC	SCC
12	750	38.50	14.13	10.90	12	4x11	72482618121-6	72482618121-3

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