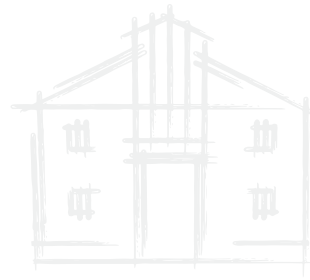


MURRIETA'S WELL

ESTATE VINEYARD



PETIT VERDOT

Small Lot

LIVERMORE VALLEY

VINEYARD

Our wines are exclusively sourced from our estate vineyard in the Livermore Valley. The Petit Verdot and Cabernet Sauvignon in this wine were grown in the Sachau vineyard located directly behind our historic tasting room property. With an elevation that ranges from 615-845 feet above sea level and soils that consist mainly of very gravelly, this vineyard is the ideal terroir for these Bordeaux varietals.

Petit Verdot: Sachau | Cabernet Sauvignon: Sachau

WINEMAKING

FERMENTATION | All varieties are hand sorted and fermented separately in small stainless tanks. Pump over is performed multiple times daily to maximize fruit extraction.

AGING | This wine was aged for 19 months in 80% new and 20% second use French oak barrels.

HARVEST

All of the varieties in this wine were harvested in October 2016. The 2016 vintage had a bit more available ground water than the past few vintages in the Livermore Valley thanks to moderate rains in the winter. We saw nice growth in the canopies that provided excellent fruit development and the warm growing season provided the perfect conditions to achieve optimal fruit expression.

ROBBIE'S TASTING NOTES

Our Petit Verdot entices with aromas of red currant and cassis with flavors of red fruit. This wine is full-bodied, but strikes a balance between elegance and power with great tension, acidity, tannin, and mouthfeel. Enjoy now through 2027.

2016

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

98% Petit Verdot, 2% Cabernet Sauvignon

ALCOHOL | 14.1%

PH | 3.78

TA | 0.61

BARRELS PRODUCED | 28

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