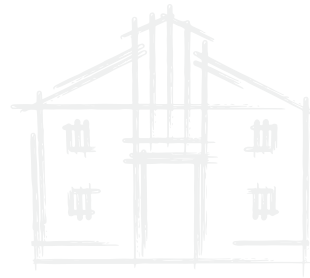


MURRIETA'S WELL

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 was 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 this Bordeaux varietal.

Petit Verdot: Sachau

WINEMAKING

FERMENTATION | The Petit Verdot was hand sorted and fermented 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

The Petit Verdot was picked in October 2017. The high rainfall in early 2017 flushed the soils allowing the vines to uptake more nutrients. The fruit set was average and the season was starting to look like it might be an early one. A heat spike hit and slowed down the grape's development. After a few days, the grapes began to ripen again and the vintage finished on-time, yielding expressive wines.

ROBBIE'S TASTING NOTES

Our Petit Verdot entices with aromas of black cherry and rose petals 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 2028.

2017

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

100% Petit Verdot

ALCOHOL | 14.2%

PH | 3.75

TA | 0.68

BARRELS PRODUCED | 30

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