

2018 PETITE SIRAH

WAHLUKE SLOPE

90% PETITE SIRAH, 7% PRIMITIVO, 3% SYRAH

Vineyards: Stone Tree

Wine Analysis: 5.84 grams/L, Total Acidity, 3.92 pH, 14.5% Alcohol Techniques: Fermented in stainless tank for a 17 day maceration. Aged on fine lees and racked once before bottling.

20% new Wisconsin oak puncheon.

Production: 4,980 bottles **UPC**: 856589001040

Winemaker's Notes:

Oak Program:

Our Petite Sirah hails from Stone Tree Vineyard in the heart of the Wahluke Slope AVA and exemplifies the luscious fruit and power that this vineyard is so well known for. Bound by the Columbia



River and the Saddle Mountains, the rapid cooling in the evening helps retain naturally high levels of acidity, which in turn preserves the varietal characters of the grape.

Get ready - this wine starts big, stays big and finishes big!

VINOUS - 92 POINTS

Dusted Valley has maintained a very strong reputation for their Petite Sirah bottling over the past few years. The 2018 edition might be its best yet, featuring blue fruits combined with tar, tobacco leaf, graphite and freshly tilled soil on the palate. Rich and gratifying, with a fantastic veil of tension cutting through the core of fruit, this is glorious to drink right now. Drink 2021 - 2027

JEB DUNNUCK - 91 POINTS

Including 7% Primitivo and 3% Syrah, the 2018 Petite Sirah Stone Tree Vineyard sports a dense purple color as well as a ripe black fruits, tobacco, chocolate, and spice-driven aromas and flavors. A beast of a wine, it's full-bodied and mouth-filling, yet still stays balanced and enjoyable. It's the ultimate steakhouse red and should have 7-8 years or more of prime drinking.

















