

# CONCANNON®

VINEYARD

RESERVE

## 2015 PETITE SIRAH

LIVERMORE VALLEY

ALC. 14.2% | TA 6.4 | PH 3.68 | CASES REMAINING 62

### TASTING NOTE

This mature Petite Sirah offers a medley of flavors reminiscent of dried blackberry, wild mushrooms, and luxurious black truffle, delicately interwoven with notes of dark chocolate. Grab your decanter and finest glassware to enhance its complexities. The finish is rich, offering a great mouthfeel with a velvety smoothness that lingers on the palate with each sip.

### VINEYARD

A majority of the grapes in this wine are sourced from Block 1 Heritage Vineyard. This site is a well-drained, alluvial plain with deposits of gravel and rock that contribute to the consistent production of outstanding Petite Sirah grapes year after year. The vineyard is planted in 4' x 8' rows of head-trained vines, and its exposure to a consistently sunny climate, followed by the cooling maritime influences of the Pacific Ocean, helps cultivate the distinctive flavor, complexity, and beautifully balanced acidity that are hallmarks of our Petite Sirah wines.

### VINTAGE

2015 was an excellent Livermore Valley vintage and the last in a string of drought years. We saw an early harvest due to a mild winter and lighter crop due to the drought stressed vines. These lower yields produced smaller berries making for a high juice to skin ratio thus creating concentrated wines with opulent flavors and good acidity.



### BLEND

94% Petite Sirah  
6% Petit Verdot

### AGING

19 Months  
89% Neutral Barrels  
11% New French Oak

### PAIRING

Beef Bourguignon  
*with Creamy Mashed Potatoes*

Truffle Parpadelle Pasta  
*with Parmesan Cheese*

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## 2016 CABERNET SAUVIGNON, MOTHER VINE

LIVERMORE VALLEY

ALC. 13.9% | TA 6.1 | PH 3.50 | CASES REMAINING 67

### TASTING NOTE

With over 8 years of aging, this vintage is beautifully matured, showcasing its full potential with each sip. Enticing notes of brown sugar and molasses lead to flavors of dried blackberry and plum, with a hint of truffle mushroom and leather adding complexity to the palate. The interplay of these flavors creates a rich and nuanced tasting experience that lingers on the palate.

### VINEYARD

Mostly from our Mother Vine Cabernet Vineyard with additional grapes from other Estate blocks and the blender Petite Sirah and Malbec are located at the corner of Concannon Blvd and South Livermore Ave.

### VINTAGE

The 2016 winter rains were exceptionally welcomed by the vines after enduring multiple years of drought. We saw relatively normal harvest dates and close to average grape yields. At harvest the fruit showed nice concentrated mature flavors with good structure and balanced tannins and acidity.



### BLEND

86% Cabernet Sauvignon  
9% Petite Sirah  
5% Malbec

### AGING

20 Months  
76% Neutral Barrels  
24% New French Oak

### PAIRING

Braised Short Ribs  
*with Red Wine Reduction served over  
Creamy Mashed Potatoes*

Mushroom Wellington  
*with Creamed Spinach*