



2013 Petit Verdot

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT: After 35+ years of winemaking, this is the only the second Petit Verdot that I have bottled on its own. Always used in serious red blends but with the 2012 and 2013s, I saved small lots to stand alone. Extremely limited to about 61 cases, our wine club members get the first opportunity at it, the remainder will be sold at the tasting room downtown at 1463 First St, Napa, CA. There will not be another for any of the foreseeable several years.

Appellation: Napa Valley (100% Oak Knoll District-Napa Valley)

Composition: Petite Verdot 100%

Winemaking: This lot was completely punched cap fermented by hand. Then barrel aged for 39 months before bottling.

Tasting notes: Black rose, black currants with a hints of mineral and spice aromatics. It has a very natural deep color (Don't spill this one, bleach won't help). Concentrated with a bright focus. Currants, black cherries and a touch of stony minerality in the mouth that is juicy, rich, and dense. It is a big structured wine with a polished finish.

This may become a new favorite varietal for many, but this is a rare Petit Verdot that is so complete. Enjoy!

...Winemaker - Mitch Cosentino