

TURLEY

2017 Turley Napa Valley Petite Syrah

2016 was the inaugural vintage of Turley's newest wine, the Napa Valley Petite Syrah. This wine is a combination of fruit from three certified organic Napa vineyards: Rattlesnake Ridge on Howell Mountain, which lends excellent structure and tannin; our Estate Petite Syrah in St. Helena, with its classic garrigue and dark fruits; and Casa Nuestra, adjacent to our St. Helena Estate, which adds the dark florals and older vine complexity. These prestigious vineyards together make for a wine truly expressive of both Napa Valley and the excellent, elegant, truly Californian (though rarely represented) grape we hold dear, Petite Syrah.

The 2017 Napa Petite Syrah is pure, classic Petite: fresh dark fruits, elegant and welcoming, with heady purple flowers and plenty of vibrance on the nose. The palate has excellent balance, depth, and freshness; tannins make their presence known without domineering the other more delicate flavors and textures. The wine has a long, lingering finish, and is sure to create a couple of converts to this beloved grape!



Rattlesnake Ridge Petite Syrah, Howell Mountain, Napa Valley; one of the 3 certified organic vineyards in the Napa Petite Syrah

- All natural yeasts used in all fermentations
- Aged in 80% used oak barriques, of which 80% is French (the rest American)
- Bottled after 15 months in barrel