

SINGLE VINEYARD PETIT VERDOT, OAK KNOLL DISTRICT, 2018

"Bond's" BATCH #37

We named this batch after "Bond" since Petit Verdot is a secretive grape varietal with so much class and character. A varietal hard to catch on its own, we trapped a tiny amount of it in 420 bottles only, making it our smallest batches that we crafted to date.

PETIT VERDOT

Originally from Bordeaux region of France, this full-bodied red wine is highly desired as a blending grape because of its intense color, tannin and floral aromas. Because it is such a bold wine, it is commonly added to less than 10% of most wine blends. Petit Verdot is rarely produced as a single varietal wine anywhere in the world, this one is certainly a Napa Valley rare gem.

VINEYARD

The Oak Knoll District is of a close proximity to the San Pablo Bay. The climate in our vineyard is cooler and more moderate than other regions in Napa Valley allowing the fruit on the vine to slowly develop,

producing intense bold Petit Verdot.

TASTING NOTES

Black Cherries and plums are present on the nose along floral notes of violets, lilac, dried herbs and cigar box. The robe on the palate is dense with so many distinctive flavors that emerge with time.

Dark berries marmalade, Kalamata olives, almond paste, toasted marshmallow, cinnamon spice to name a few...

100% Unfiltered and Un-fined Petit Verdot.

- 20 months of aging (80% in I French Oak barrel, 20% in stainless steel keg)
- Sustainably grown fruit with minimal winemaking intervention
- 420 bottles crafted
- Bev Veg Certified Vegan

