

WILLIAM GORDON WINERY
2018
Petite Sirah
Tasting Notes and Tech Data
Viñas de las Peñas
Alexander Valley, Sonoma County

Tech Data

Vineyard: This three acre vineyard is located in the Alexander Valley near Asti. The hilltop location is next to Pesonen Vineyards, belongs to Mark Perry and Melanie Peña, called Viñas de las Peñas or Vineyard of the Rocks. It produces wonderful Petite Sirah full of blueberries, spice and mineral. The soil is chalky, full of rock and well drained. The vineyard is meticulously maintained by William Gordon Winery to ensure quality crop production.

Harvest Date: 22 SEP 2018

Brix: 25.9°

Tons Harvested: 6.75

Fermentation: Whole Berry in Stainless Steel Tanks
96 Hours Cold Soak
Yeast - Lallemend D-254
Daily Pump-overs
48 hours extended maceration & Malolactic Conversion w/ Alpha

Aging: Nadalie American Oak for 24+ months

Tasting Notes

Color, deep inky purple. Nose of Santa Rosa plum, cocoa and sassafras. Palate, blueberries, tobacco, soft leather and cocoa. Medium tannins with balanced acidity. Finish is rich in cedar, vanilla and blueberry pie.

Alcohol; 14.3

pH; 3.64

TA; 6.2

Cases Produced; 280



