



# Penman Springs

### + PETITE SIRAH + PASO ROBLES

Penman Springs Vineyard is located across the creek east of our estate Huerhuero Vineyard in Paso Robles. The grapes for this vintage were handpicked and sorted for quality in the vineyard. Further sorting occurred at the winery before destemming and gently crushing the fruit prior to fermentation. The fruit was fermented in half-ton bins, punching down the cap twice a day to gently extract tannins. The wine was pressed off the skins once fermentation slowed and then transferred to French oak barrels to complete malolactic fermentation. The wine was meticulously racked over the course of its 18 month aging period and bottled unfined and unfiltered to preserve its mouthfeel. The Petite Sirah from Penman Springs offers dark color and fresh berry aromas with a rich body yet supple textures. This limited release is only available to our Signature Club members and at our Hospitality Center.

## Tasting Notes

COLOR: Dark garnet

AROMA: Blueberries and blackberries with hints of caramel and sandalwood

Medium to full-bodied with creamy tannins, black cherries and a long, balanced finish

### Recommendations

Serve at  $62^{\circ} - 65^{\circ}$  F

Enjoy now through 2022

Store in dark dry place at  $55^{\circ} - 65^{\circ}$  F

Pairing suggestions: Rack of lamb, braised short ribs or your favorite cut of beef

#### Technical Notes

TOTAL ACIDITY:

HARVEST DATE VINEYARD VARIETY

10.26.11 24.0 Penman Springs Petite Sirah 100%

18 months in French oak barrels AGING:

6.0 g/L

06.03.13 BOTTLING DATE: RELEASE DATE: 11.28.14 CASES PRODUCED: 127 ALCOHOL: 15.0% PH: 3.71

Kevin Willenborg, Winemaker A special selection of this strong Paso Robles varietal for our Signature Club