

## **GRATUS VINEYARDS**

## **GRATUS 2014 PETITE SIRAH**

VARIETALS: 100% ESTATE PETITE SIRAH

APPELLATION: NAPA VALLEY

WINEMAKER: ROBBIE MEYER

PROPRIETOR: WARGOVICH FAMILY

PRODUCTION: 50 CASES

HARVEST DATE: 10.12.14

PH: 3.75

TOTAL ACIDITY: 5.9 G/L

**BRIX: 27.8** 

HARVEST WHOLE CLUSTER, HAND

SORT, DE-STEM, BERRY SORT

COLD SOAK 55-68 DEGREES FOR 5

DAYS. RS: ZERO

## **FERMENTATION**

FERMENTATION BIN W/CULTURED

YEAST.

MALOLACTATION IN BARREL

ALCOHOL: 14.8%

AGING:

50% NEW FRENCH OAK 22 MONTHS

## 2014 SEASONAL NOTES

THIRD IN A SERIES OF DROUGHT YEARS WITH AN EARLY SPRING, WARM SUMMER AND EXCEPTIONAL FRUIT AND FLAVOR CONCENTRATIONS