

CLOUD BREAK

2009
PETITE SIRAH
CALIFORNIA

FROM THE LAST RAINS OF WINTER TO THE FLOWERING OF SPRING VINES, NOTHING IS AS EXCITING AS THE CYCLE OF THE VINEYARD AND THE PROMISE OF NEW WINE. THIS YEAR'S NEAR PERFECT COMBINATION OF LONG WARM DAYS AND COOL EVENINGS PRODUCED A GORGEOUS WINE WITH RIPE, CONCENTRATED FRUIT FLAVORS, A RICH TEXTURE AND GREAT LENGTH.

VINEYARDS

A blend of premium Petite Sirah grapes grown in some of California's finest vineyards.

WINEMAKING

- Grapes picked between 24.0 and 26.0 Brix
- 10-14 day fermentation at 78-85 degrees
- Stainless steel aging with French and American oak

WINE SPECIFICATIONS

- Alcohol: 12.5%
- Color: dark red
- Aroma: plum, blackberry and cherry
- Palate: full-bodied with chocolate and molasses

TASTING NOTES

A complex and plush wine that offers a wonderful balance of fruit, spice and oak.

SERVING SUGGESTIONS

Serve at room temperature. Pairs perfectly with steak, grilled meats and hearty pasta dishes.

