

Darms Lane 2007 Petit Verdot Bon Passe Vineyard

Technical Notes:

Blend: 97% Petit Verdot Appellation: Oak Knoll, Napa Valley

3% Cabernet Sauvignon

Aging: 20 Months - French Oak Production: 50 Cases

Notes:

This is the first bottling of our 100% estate grown, varietal Petit Verdot. The Darms Lane estate is primarily Cabernet Sauvignon vineyard and is located in the southwestern bench lands of Napa Valley, in the Oak Knoll appellation. We grow Petit Verdot primarily as a blending grape and we ferment and age approximately 4 barrels per year. The 2007 growing year brought us a Petit Verdot that stood up on its own as a wine that needed to be bottled. We used two barrels to blend into our Bon Passe and Linda's Hillside Cabernets and the remaining two barrels were bottled.

Wine Description:

The 2007 Bon Passe Vineyard Petit Verdot exhibits a core of blueberry, voilets with delicate florals and spice. It's density on the palate opens to raspberries, caramel and truffles.

Suggested Retail Price: \$55