



by NAGGIAR VINEYARDS



## 2014 Grand Violette

### TECHNICAL DATA

**Harvest Date:** October / November 2014

**Grape Sources:** Naggiar Vineyards, Sierra Foothills

**Blend:** 85% Syrah, 10% Mourvedre, 5% Grenache

**Aging:** 15 months, French & American Oak, 30% New

**Alcohol:** 13.6%

**Production:** 200 cases

**Silver Medal** – 2017 San Francisco Chronicle Wine Comp.  
**Editor's Choice** – 2016 Wine Enthusiast Best of 2106 Issue  
**90 pts** – 2016 Wine Enthusiast Best of 2016 Issue

### TASTING NOTES

Shallow, mountain soils together with warm, summer days at our estate vineyards in the Sierra Foothills have crafted the premium grapes for this delicious, dark purple hued wine.

A complex blend of Syrah, Mourvedre, and Grenache, this wine offers lovely aromas and bold flavors wild blackberry, dark currant and hints of black licorice, followed by concentrated, rich, soft tannins and a lovely, lingering finish.

This wine will pair exquisitely with light meat dishes such as marinated and grilled lamb chops or savory, braised beef.

### NAGGIAR VINEYARDS

Located twelve miles south of Grass Valley, California and nestled in the Sierra Foothills, Naggiar Vineyards encompasses some 135 acres of hilly and rocky terrain. At 1,300 feet elevation, the property sits on several large knolls with gentle, hillside slopes and experiences the warm days and cool nights essential for growing top quality wine grapes.

With sixty acres of estate vineyards planted to seventeen Mediterranean varietals, our focus is on growing varietals that time has proven best suited to this site.

