



2017 Black Beast

TECHNICAL DATA:

Harvest Date: September / October 2017

Grape Source: Naggiar Vineyards, Sierra Foothills

Blend: 60% Petite Sirah, 30% Syrah, 5% Zinfandel, 5% Mourvedre

Aging: 20 months in French oak barrels, 30% New

Alcohol: 14.6%

Production: 600 cases

Double Gold, 97 pts – 2019 San Francisco Int'l Wine Competition

Gold Medal, 90 pts – 2019 San Diego Int'l Wine & Spirits Wine Comp.

89 pts – 2019 Wine Enthusiast, April Issue

Tasting Notes:

Long sunny days, cool nights and steep rocky mountain soils together with the best handpicked Petite Sirah, Syrah and Zinfandel grapes at our family estate vineyards have created this delicious full-bodied red blend.

Inky black in color, this wine offers intense aromas and flavors of black currents, plums and mulberry with cassis and cedar follow by a long lingering finish.

The intensity of this wine will pair well with wild game, bold barbecued meats and other full-flavored fare.

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.