









PIRRAMIMMA

Petit Verdot Reserve 2016

\$29.99*

* Suggested retail price

	Product code	608216
	Format	12x750ml
	Listing type	Specialty
	Country	Australia
	Regulated designation	Table wine
	Region	South Australia
	Subregion	Fleurieu, McLaren Vale
	Varietal(s)	Petit Verdot 100%
	Color	Red

ABOUT THIS WINERY

Pirramimma was founded by Alexander Campbell Johnston in 1892 and has been owned and operated by the Johnston family ever since. The Johnston family arrived in South Australia in 1839, and in 1892 Alexander, the tenth of thirteen children purchased 97 hectares of rich farmland southeast of the then fledgling village of McLaren Vale. He named his land Pirramimma, an Aboriginal phrase meaning "the moon and the stars."

TASTING NOTES

The wine has a lifted bouquet of black cherry, violets, pink plum and musk, enhanced by hints of cedary oak. With the concentrated palate exhibiting spicy blackberry, boysenberry, red currant and tangy Morello cherry, complemented by hints of Kalamata olive. The fine grain textured tannins, subtle oak and savoury varietal flavours are beautifully integrated in a long-sustained finish.

VITICULTURAL NOTES

The exceptional 2016 vintage provided outstanding fruit quality, great colour. Varietal character, ripe tannins and length of flavour. For this twenty first Petit Verdot release fruit was selected from the Siberia, Eric's, OTC, Jones and Katunga vineyards, each block providing its own distinctive profile.



- 92 Points -

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