

Crooked Path

2012 WANDERER



APPELLATION: Paso Robles, CA

WINEMAKING: About 95% of the fruit was yielded from our Sextant Estate Vineyard in Templeton. We added 5% Petite Sirah from Hames Valley to round out the blend by adding color and body to the wine.

TASTING NOTES: Medium ruby in color. Dusty sweet Marciano Cherries, blackberry, kirsch, with a hint of vanilla and toasty oak on the nose. Medium to full bodied, lush tannins, bright black cherry, blackberry, medium to long finish with kirsch, blackberry, and sweet vanilla.

COOPERAGE: 10% new French oak & 7% Hungarian oak aged for 23 months.

TECHNICAL NOTES:

Malolactic Fermentation - 100%

Total Acidity - .55

pH - 3.79

Residual Sugar - .19%

Alcohol 14.8%

BOTTLED: April 21, 2014

SUGGESTED AGING: Enjoy now or cellar through 2018