

FOPPIANO

VINEYARDS



ESTABLISHED 1896

2005 Petite Sirah, Estate, Russian River Valley

Established in 1896, and more than 100 years after its founding, Foppiano Vineyards continues to do what it did at its outset; create outstanding red wines with genuine varietal character, on its 200-acre Russian River Valley estate. This tradition is the foundation and the future for the Foppiano family's commitment to their second century of excellence.

Foppiano Vineyards, *leader in Petite Sirah education* offers red wine as our primary focus:

- ❖ *Pinot Noir*
- ❖ *Petite Sirah*
- ❖ *Merlot*
- ❖ *Cabernet Sauvignon*

Tech Data:

Appellation	Russian River Valley Estate
Varietal Content	100% Petite Sirah
Barrel Aging	12 months American oak
Case Production	10,000 cases
Alcohol	14.5%
Titrateable Acidity	0.58g/100ml
pH	3.60
Release Date	May 2008

Winemaker Natalie West's Notes:

The **2005 Foppiano Vineyards Estate Petite Sirah** was made entirely from estate Petite Sirah grapes, grown on the family's Russian River Valley Estate. The Pet is full-bodied and deeply colored. In the nose, the Petite offers black fruit aromas, which are well met on the palate with black and blue berry flavors, as well as toasty vanilla, exotic spices, and hints of cocoa on the finish.

Best served with red meat dishes, hearty pastas, full-flavored cheeses, roasted pork, or our favorite roasted wild boar.