

## COLTERRIS WINERY

Founded in 2010, COLTERRIS is family-owned and operated in the Grand Valley AVA, Palisade, Colorado. The name COLTERRIS means "from the Colorado land."

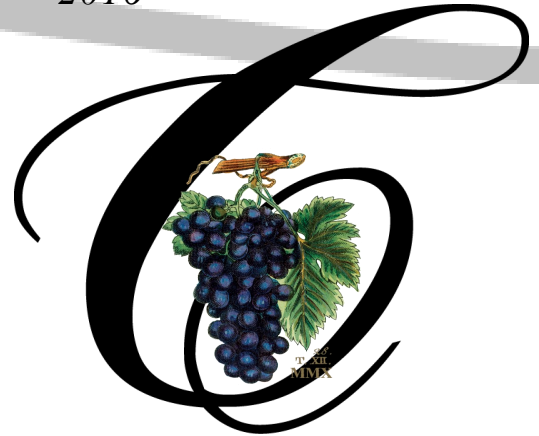
**Colterris Estate Wines will always be produced 100% from our family vineyards.**

Situated along the Colorado River, the high-altitude meso-climates and volcanic soils of our vineyards contribute to the rich color, intense fruit flavors and robust character that make COLTERRIS wines unique.



# Colterris® PETIT VERDOT

*Grand Valley*  
2016



### WINEMAKER NOTES

In the glass, our 2016 Petit Verdot exhibits a complex aroma of raspberry, dark chocolate, plum preserve and a touch of roasted espresso beans. On the palate, the wine offers more dark chocolate and concentrated fruit notes balanced by well-integrated tannin and a seam of acidity. Well integrated oak adds a touch of coffee and roundness to the palate.

### VINEYARD DETAILS

94% Riverside Vineyard Petit Verdot *clone unknown, planted 1991*  
4.5% Riverside Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon *clone unknown, planted 1991*  
1.5% Cliffside Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon *clone 337, planted 2001*

### PRODUCTION NOTES

The 2016 vintage Colterris Petit Verdot is our inaugural release of this wine. The wine displays an elegance not commonly found in Petit Verdot which may be attributed to the mature vines from which most of this wine comes. At 25 years old, these are among the oldest vines we have at Colterris and are a testament to what is possible in Colorado viticulture when proper site and varietal selection are met with superior vineyard management.

### TECHNICAL DATA

**Varietal Composition:** 94% Petit Verdot, 6% Cabernet Sauvignon

**Appellation:** Grand Valley AVA

**Harvest Dates:**

94% Riverside Vineyard Petit Verdot clone unknown, harvested 10/29/16

4.5% Riverside Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon clone unknown,  
harvested 10/19/16

1.5% Cliffside Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon clone 337, harvested 10/26/16

**Winemakers:** Bo Felton and Justin Jannusch

**RS:** 0.0 g/l   **ABV:** 14.9%   **pH:** 3.72   **TA:** 5.6 g/l