



DE BORTOLI

DB
**FAMILY SELECTION
PETITE SIRAH
2013**

Proudly Australian family owned since 1928. DB Family Selection wines represent the De Bortoli name and love of sharing good wine and food with family and friends.

Intense, Smooth and a Touch Bold



Region

South Eastern Australia

Tasting Note

Intense, smooth and a touch bold. Rich red berries, plum and spice combined with mocha / chocolate oak.

General Characteristics

Dry / Medium Bodied

Suggested Cuisine

Roast meats, casseroles, hamburger with the lot.

Vintage Conditions

2013 saw low rainfall in spring with January being quite dry and warm. The dry weather allowed fruit to reach optimum ripeness providing a good balance of acidity and flavor. Some light showers in late February helped freshen the fruit with vintage starting later than usual but finishing quickly by the end of March.

Winemaking

Fruit was selected by the winemaker and picked when both flavor and baumé were optimum. Average seven days on skins at 22-25°C.

Wine Analysis

Alc/vol: 13.0% Ph: 3.55 Ta: 6.3

Cellaring

Enjoy now or cellar for up to five years.

