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SYRAH · NAPA VALLEY

2019 Relentless

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WHAT OTHERS ARE SAYING

96 POINTS

"A deep-hued blockbuster of a Syrah, it offers loads of ripe blackberries, ground pepper, sappy herbs, and violet-like aromas and flavors. One of those wines that delivers richness and intensity with no sensation of weight of heaviness, it has terrific balance, ripe tannins, and a great finish."

JEB DUNNUCK

97 POINTS

"Powerful and enticing aromas of Kirsch, toasted cedarwood, caramel, and scored herbs draw you into the glass, revealing even more nuances of late-summer mountain scrub brush balanced by springtime violets. Seductively silky Syrah notes of black cherry, blackberry, white pepper, and charcuterie entice the senses."

JONATHAN CRISTALDI

95 POINTS

"Rich and deep dark-fruited character with hints of roast bacon, chocolate and grilled herbs ... a broad, structured palate that has a deep core of dark berry fruit, and an array of plush, velvety tannins ..."

JAMES SUCKLING

96 POINTS

"This powerful, rough-hewn wine that contains 11% Petite Sirah holds extremely deep black and blue fruits in a framework of grippy tannins ... the wine's ripe, compelling late-harvest fruits match the massive structure."

JIM GORDON