

Bending Branch Newsom Vineyards Petite Sirah

THE FACTS

COUNTRY: USA - TX

REGION: Texas Hill Country

APPELLATION: Texas Hill Country

WINEMAKING: 50% Flash Détente Technology, 50%
Cryo-Maceration

AGING: American Oak, 30% New, 30 Months

THE STORY

Bending Branch Winery was founded in 2009 by Dr. Robert W. Young, M.D., his wife Brenda, and daughter, Alison. The Youngs discovered the property that initially was settled in 1840 with a small settler's cabin that is still on the property today. Bending Branch Winery marries Old World winemaking with modern science by employing cryomaceration and thermoflash fermentation methods. The estate sits on 56 acres of rustic Hill Country terrain. The winery is most known for its signature Tannat, a grape variety that exceeds expectations for Texas terroir. Charbono, Sagrantino and Souzão are our other grape obsessions.

THE ADJECTIVES

OVERALL: Bright, bold, balanced

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Red fruits, baking spice, coffee, caramel

MOUTHFEEL: Robust & Warm

THE SELLING POINTS

PAIRINGS: Aged Gouda, porchetta, venison chili, smoked sausages

