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2016 Syrah "Valenti Ranch"  
Mendocino Ridge, California

May 2018

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**Score 94 points**

Revealing a sapid bouquet of elderberries, blackberries, licorice and smoked meats, the 2016 Syrah Valenti Vineyard is medium-bodied, supple and expansive, with fine tannins and a distinctly saline, mineral quality, balanced by the tangy acids that characterize all these offerings from Drew Family Cellars. Succulent and incipiently savory, this will really reward a few years in the cellar. (WK)

