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Petite sirah defies its name with a bold taste

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WINE TASTING – The wine cliché rings true:
“There’s nothing petite about a petite sirah.”

As a blend, petite sirah always made red
wines bigger.

The biological debate continues as to
whether petite sirah is related to the sirah
grape, but all you need to know is that the
petite sirah has a lot of backbone.

Petite sirah pairs well with any food that
matches a big cabernet sauvignon.