



VINA ROBLES



Brix At Harvest ————— 25.1°

Total Acidity ————— 6.0 G/L

Ph ————— 3.73

Alc ————— 14.8 %

2023 Zinfandel

PASO ROBLES

The Wine

Spicy, herbal, and richly textured, the 2023 Zinfandel offers a distinctive expression of the variety from Paso Robles' Estrella District. Medium-bodied and savory, the wine balances concentrated fruit with fresh herbal character and a creamy oak influence, resulting in a layered and approachable style.

Varietal Composition

100% Zinfandel

Vintage Notes

The 2023 growing season in Paso Robles was notably long and moderate, with a cool spring delaying the start of the season and pushing harvest later than usual. The extended growing period allowed Zinfandel to develop flavor and aromatic complexity gradually while retaining freshness and balanced acidity, resulting in wines with depth, structure, and vibrant varietal character.

Vineyard Notes

Sourced from Jardine Vineyard in the Estrella District of Paso Robles, this Zinfandel benefits from the district's warm days, cool nights, and well-drained soils. These conditions encourage even ripening and generous fruit development while preserving the freshness and savory character that bring balance to the finished wine.

Winemaking

The fruit was hand-harvested and sorted in the cool morning hours before being gently crushed and fermented in small stainless steel tanks. Various pump-over techniques were employed throughout fermentation to enhance fruit extraction and build mouthfeel while maintaining balanced tannins. Following fermentation, the wine completed malolactic fermentation in barrel and was aged for 20 months in French and Hungarian oak, contributing additional texture, spice, and complexity.

Tasting Notes

The 2023 Zinfandel opens with distinctive aromas of briary red fruits, dates, and crushed blackberry, accented by savory notes of fresh-cut thyme, oregano, and fennel fronds. Medium-bodied on the palate, the wine develops a smooth, creamy texture with vanilla and sweet spice from Hungarian oak, carrying its fruit and savory character through a lingering, layered finish.

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