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2018 Zinfandel Dry Creek Valley

PLATINUM SERIES

The Dry Creek appellation is nearly synonymous with Zinfandel and renowned for yielding the classic brambly, berry-like character and spice that define California's heritage grape. Jammy, rich and ripe, it's deliciously true to its origins with a core of blackberry jam and briar interwoven. This Zinfandel spent 4 months on French Oak chips with a medium toast.

Vintage: 2018

Varietal: 99% Zinfandel,

1% Merlot

Appellation: Dry Creek Valley

Alcohol: 14.5%

pH: 3.65

Residual Sugar: 2.8 g/L

Windsor Recommends



Distinct in style and taste, this fruit-forward Zinfandel makes an impressive host or hostess gift when your friends invite you to dinner. Smooth and jammy on the palate, it is a perfect complement to dishes like slow-roasted leg of lamb, braised beef short ribs and Cioppino.

This small, idyllic sub-region of Sonoma County, about an hour north of the Golden Gate Bridge, has been growing wine since about the time of the Gold Rush. The district boasts well-drained soils and an ideal balance of coastal and inland influences for ripening Zinfandel to perfection. It's also a highly-regarded home for Bordeaux varieties, Rhone varieties and Sauvignon Blanc.