

SILVIA

CELLARS



OLD VINE ZINFANDEL 2016 DRY CREEK VALLEY



HISTORY

Silvia Cellars takes its inspiration from our Italian wine producing family heritage. Our mission is to produce a small number of high quality California wines from some of California's best vineyards. We have dedicated ourselves to making delicious, handcrafted wines from some of the finest appellations on the West Coast: California (Napa Valley, Sonoma County, Mendocino County, Amador County and Paso Robles). We take pride and joy in working hard to produce premium quality wines.

GROWING SEASON

The 2016 season is again one of the best vintage for vintners throughout the Valley. September brought cloudy mornings and beautiful days with temperatures cruising along in the 80s, which led to delicious ripe flavors with lower sugars and higher acidity. The near-perfect growing season started early, saw ideal weather conditions throughout, and wrapped up as the valley's first significant fall rainstorm arrived in October. Mother Nature has given us a fifth consecutive vintage of stellar quality Dry Creek Valley wines.

WINEMAKER COMMENTS

The sophistication of our Old Vine Zinfandel 2016 began from the unique historic old vine properties in the Dry Creek Valley. In our Old Vine Zinfandel, the vines are more than 50 years in age and in some cases, more than 90 years old. This wine is rich and dark in the glass with aromas of black cherry, black raspberry and dark chocolate. Our OVZ is full-bodied with velvety tannins that will gain even more complexity as time passes. This OVZ sets the standard for quality and will age beautifully for the next 10 years. Limited production. Only 230 cases.

A Family Wine Making Tradition

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2016

DRY CREEK VALLEY
SONOMA COUNTY

OLD VINE ZINFANDEL

RESERVE

A.C. 15.0% VOL.

RELEASE DATE

June 2019

BLEND

84% Old Vine Zinfandel 16% Petit Syrah

APPELLATION

Dry Creek Valley, Sonoma California

HARVEST DATES

September - 2016

ALCOHOL

15.0%

BRIX

Average 26.5

PH

3.72

TA

0.61/100mL

BARREL AGING

14 Months 40% new American oak

VINE AGE

50 to 90 years old

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