

EMBROIDERY

2022 PASO ROBLES ZINFANDEL

Blend: 90% Zinfandel, 6% Cabernet Sauvignon, 4% Petite Sirah

Alc: 14.5% by vol. | **Aging:** 8 Months in American & French oak

pH: 3.5 | **Acidity:** 5.0 g/mL | **Residual Sugar:** 3.5 g/L

VINEYARDS

The 2022 Zinfandel from Paso Robles underwent a carefully tailored vinification process to highlight the varietal's robust flavors and the region's unique terroir. The grapes, harvested at optimal ripeness from the sun-drenched vineyards of Paso Robles, were meticulously sorted to ensure only the best quality fruit was used. The fermentation took place in stainless steel tanks, where temperature control was crucial for extracting the deep, rich colors and bold flavors characteristic of Zinfandel. This process also allowed for the preservation of the grape's natural spicy notes and vibrant fruit aromas. Following fermentation, the wine underwent malolactic fermentation to soften the acidity and enhance the mouthfeel, adding a creamy texture to the wine's already lush profile. The Zinfandel was then aged in a combination of American oak barrels to impart additional complexity and a subtle vanilla undertone, complementing the natural fruitiness of the wine. This oak aging process was carefully monitored to ensure that the oak flavors were well-integrated and complementary to the wine's overall profile.

WINE

The 2022 Zinfandel from Paso Robles is a vibrant and richly textured wine that beautifully captures the warmth and intensity of this renowned California region. It displays a deep ruby color with hints of purple, suggesting its robust nature. On the nose, this Zinfandel exudes bold aromas of ripe blackberries and juicy plums, complemented by layers of spicy black pepper and a touch of sweet tobacco, characteristic of the varietal. The palate is full-bodied and lush, offering a generous burst of dark fruit flavors that echo the nose, intertwined with nuances of cinnamon and clove. The wine's well-integrated tannins provide a firm structure, while the finish is long and smooth, with a lingering warmth and a hint of vanilla from oak aging. This 2022 Paso Robles Zinfandel is a delightful expression of the varietal, perfect for pairing with grilled meats or enjoying on a cozy evening.



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