

# RAVENSWOOD OLD VINE ZINFANDEL

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## 2013 SONOMA COUNTY

### VITAL STATS

- 50- to 100-year-old vines prove that, with Zin, older means more intense fruit flavors
- Well-muscled, packing powerful aromas of blueberry, blackberry, and plum
- An incredible field blend of Zinfandel, Petite Sirah, and mixed black grapes

### THE APPELLATION

Sonoma County Zinfandel is subject to marine influence from the Pacific Ocean and early afternoon fog. The soils are typically a Tuscan red hill cobbly loam with a high water-holding capacity that allows the vines to be dry-farmed. Low yields and slow ripening lead to dense and structured wines of exceptional quality.

### WHAT YOU'RE IN FOR

Our Sonoma County Zin is warm and flavorful, enveloping your senses with blueberry, blackberry, natural vanilla, and baking spice flavors. The mouthfeel is elegantly layered and generous.

### PAIR IT UP

Spare ribs, beef braised in red wine, and leg of lamb

### STICK TO THE FACTS

**The Blend:** 83% Zinfandel, 11% Petite Sirah, 6% mixed blacks

**Appellations:** 73% Dry Creek, 25% Sonoma Valley, 2% Alexander Valley

**Fermentation:** Native yeast fermentation, 5–8 days skin contact

**Aging:** 18 months in French oak barrels, 30% new

**TA:** 5.9g/L

**pH:** 3.66

**Alcohol:** 14.5%

**Ageability:** Great now, or wait 5–7 years if you have the will power



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Classically crafted Zinfandels of  
exceptional quality and soul.  
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