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OF DRY CREEK

## Cypress Ridge Vineyard Russian River Valley 2014 Reserve Zinfandel



**T**he Cypress Ridge Vineyard is nestled in the rolling hillsides of the northern reaches of the Russian River Valley. In this area where the hotter influences of Chalk Hill are almost layered atop of Russian River Valley, lies Limerick Lane, where vineyards shine with their cool climate Zinfandels. The temperatures in this fog cooled microclimate produce wines with a higher acidity and a lighter, more delicate palate. Adding grapes from this amazing area into our Zinfandel program is a huge bonus for those desiring a lighter Zin.

### **TECHNICAL DATA**

*Vineyard Orientation: North-South*

*Soil: Gravelly loam*

*Harvested: September 2014*

*Composition: 98% Zinfandel, 2% Petite Sirah*

*Alcohol: 16.0*

*Total Acidity: .68 gm/100ml*

*pH: 4.09*

*Cases Produced: 202*

### **TASTING NOTES**

Deep, tempting aromatics draw you in with dark cherry, mixed berries and hints of cinnamon toast and chokecherry. The luscious mouthfeel and spice-laden texture provide a full-bodied, slightly chewy wine with round edges. Rich, ripe Bing cherry at the entry is joined by mocha, black pepper and spice box mid-palate, with plum and toasty oak coming in at the finish as the flavors expand and linger.

Robust enough to pair with steak au poivre, this Zin is equally at home with a classic veal saltimbocca.