

2018 Carl's Zinfandel

Estate Collection, Dry Creek Valley



TASTING NOTES

A lovely deep violet in the glass, with long timeless legs. Juicy dark fruits and cocoa greet the nose framed by supple notes of currant. A pairing of bright and dark fruits simultaneously dance across the palate. A second wave of candied blueberry and star anise show that this wine can go the distance in the cellar, further developing its versatile and concentrated body.

PAIRING IDEA

Shredded beef tacos with zesty-lime crema.

TECHNICAL DATA

Vineyard Warm Springs Ranch

Elevation 1740'

Year 1996

Planted | Vertical

Trellis Clone | Frei Ranch Century

Rootstock 110R

Soil Volcanic Clay, Laniger Loam

Composition 95% Zinfandel, 5% Petite Sirah

Oak Aging 16 months in 24 % New French Oak

Bottling Unfined

Production 20 barrels

Alcohol 16% by volume