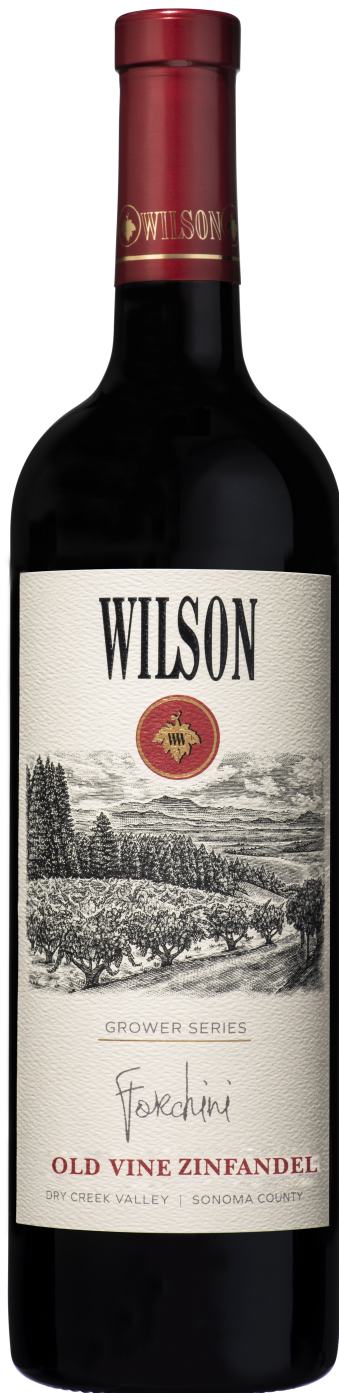




# 2018 Forchini Old Vine Zinfandel

## Grower Series, Dry Creek Valley



### TASTING NOTES

Deep garnet with a ruby hue, this wine has a prominent bouquet of ripe raspberry, bing cherry and holiday spice followed by a glimpse of nutmeg. The palate is expansive and energetic and is filled with tart cherry, rhubarb, blueberry and forest floor. Showcasing concentration and elegance with a sweet and tart balance, this wine has medium acidity with supple tannic structure.

### PAIRING IDEA

Savory lamb crockpot meatballs.

### TECHNICAL DATA

<b>Grower</b>	Andrew Forchini
<b>Elevation</b>	200'
<b>Year Planted</b>	1886
<b>Trellis</b>	Head
<b>Clone</b>	Old Vine
<b>Rootstock</b>	St. George
<b>Soil Type</b>	Manzanita Gravelly Silt Loam
<b>Composition</b>	97% Zinfandel, 3% Petite Sirah
<b>Oak Aging</b>	18 months on 24% New French Oak
<b>Bottling</b>	Unfine
<b>Production</b>	17 Barrels
<b>Alcohol</b>	16% by volume