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BERAN ZINFANDELS

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Beran - The Bear-is forever a figure of strength and head-strong drive. With the same power and conviction our Zinfandels are grown and crafted without compromise.

BERAN CALIFORNIA ZINFANDEL

A true representation of what Zinfandel can offer when you combine the ripeness of warmer regions with the brightness from cooler regions. A flavor-packed, easy-drinking Zin with a soft supple mouthfeel and balanced acidity. For Beran California Zin we source from heritage old vine plantings with a few younger up-and-coming vineyards from within Sonoma County, Napa Valley, Mendocino County and Amador County.

Color: Dark red with a black core and deep purple hues.

Aromatics: Sweet cedar, cassis, red berry preserves, mocha and sweet tobacco.

Palate: Dried cranberry, ripe red berries, warm cherry pie and caramel apple flavors are complexed with hints of sweet tobacco and spice.

Structure: Soft and rich with a fresh acidity and fine-grained tannins on the long finish.

BERAN SONOMA COUNTY ZINFANDEL

This wine shows all the classic characters that Dry Creek, Rockpile and Alexander Valley Zinfandels are known for. It is elegant, complex and beautifully structured. We have the pleasure to work with some of Sonoma's most highly regarded Zinfandel vineyards including those of Peter Haywood, Alan Foppiano, Frank Rebottaro and Camille Seghesio.

Color: Deep, dark purple with a black core and red hues.

Aromatics: Aromas of just-baked blueberry pie, raspberry, and dark chocolate with hints of sweet baking spice and vanillin oak.

Palate: Rich and yet also elegant, this wine has beautiful red and black berry fruit flavors, with hints of cloves and pepper with a long finish.

Structure: Medium-bodied with fine-grained tannins, gorgeous palate-weight, and a persistent elegant finish.

BERAN NAPA VALLEY ZINFANDEL

A full-bodied, complex and beautifully balanced Zinfandel that benefits from the addition of some Petite Sirah that adds complex layers of flavor and is a traditional "blender" with Zinfandel. We source fruit from some of the Valley's most noteworthy Zinfandel vineyards in Atlas Peak, eastern Calistoga, and St Helena.

Color: Bright, vibrant purple with a deep black core.

Aromatics: Black cherry, sweet pipe tobacco and dark chocolate with hints of black pepper and cedar.

Palate: Rich and mouth-filling with ripe flavors of cherry and dark chocolate with coffee, coconut and a slight dustiness on the persistent finish.

Structure: Acidity and tannin are in perfect balance with richness and weight, and a long finish of very fine-grained tannins.

OAK TREATMENT

All Beran Zinfandels are aged for 12 months in a combination of American and French oak before bottling.

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