



DRY CREEK VINEYARD
HERITAGE VINES ZINFANDEL

FIRST YEAR PRODUCED 1997	APPELLATION SONOMA COUNTY
SOILS VALLEY BENCHLAND, CLAY LOAM	YIELDS 3-6 TONS PER ACRE



PRESERVING THE HERITAGE OF ZINFANDEL

Heritage Vines Zinfandel affirms our passion and dedication to what has become California's signature grape varietal. The development of heritage vines began as an experimental project initiated in 1982 to preserve the tradition and "heritage" of historic, old vine Zinfandel vineyards. Cuttings from Mazzoni Ranch, a pre-Prohibition vineyard in the Dry Creek Valley, provided budwood for grafting onto phylloxera-resistant rootstock. Then, for several years we worked diligently to screen and propagate virus-free vines that would ultimately produce a crop. Finally, in 1997, the process concluded with a "young vine" wine that displayed "old vine" Zinfandel characteristics reminiscent of turn of the century heirloom vines. Today, Heritage Vines Zinfandel represents the standard for delicious, well-balanced Zinfandel from Sonoma County.

Family Owned and Sustainably Farmed Since 1972



