

2021 TURLEY "ESTATE VINEYARD" ZINFANDEL, NAPA VALLEY

HISTORY

This vineyard is special to all of us here at the winery; right in our backyard, it's what we see every day at work (and from the family home). We have slowly and steadily planted additional head-trained dry-farmed Zinfandel vines to complement the original planting from the mid-1990s, and the entire property is certified organic. Taking a page from our beloved old vine vineyards, we've also planted several of the varieties most commonly interplanted in old Zinfandel vineyards, including Carignane, Trousseau, and Cinsault.

TASTING NOTES

Certified organic, head-trained, dry-farmed field blend of vines planted at our winery in the heart of Napa Valley. Fragrant and savory, with notes of garrigue, dark chocolate, salted plum, meat marinade, and Provençal herbs. The texture on the palate evokes Cabernet or even Petite Syrah in structure and timbre, further demonstrating the multifaceted appeal of this sonorous wine.

AVA: Napa Valley

Sub-AVA: Saint Helena **Soil:** Volcanic, Alluvial

Plantings: 1996, 2006, 2011 Varieties: Zinfandel, Carignane,

Petite Syrah, Trousseau, and

Cinsault

Viticulture: Certified organic, head-trained, dry-farmed, hand

harvested

Barrels: 80% used oak, 20% new 80% French oak, 20% American

Aging: 15 months in barrel Bottled unfined and unfiltered First Turley Vintage: 1998

Alcohol: 15.7%

Serving Temp: 55-65°F **Release:** Spring 2023



