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2006 Zinfandel ~ Estate, Old Vine ~ Russian River Valley Technical Information



Vineyard: Inspiration Vineyards, Estate ~ Old Vine

Appellation: Russian River Valley

Varietal Blend: 75% Zinfandel with a field blend of

Carignan, Alicante, Palomino & Petite Syrah.

Harvest Date: October 7th 2006

Brix at Harvest: 24.9°

Total Acid: .73 g/L

pH: 3.62

Alcohol: 14.9%

Fermentation / Cellaring: Open-top fermented. Aged for 9 months in a combination of two year old French and

American oak.

Bottled Date: August 25th 2007 **Release Date:** March 1st 2008

Cases Produced: 48

The grapes for this wine come from our very own hand tended, 100 year old head pruned and dry farmed vineyard in Sonoma County's Russian River Valley; producing a distinctive wine rich with fruit flavors.

Tasting Notes: From our "Front Yard" I can always pick this wine out blind because of its distinctive nose of bay and cloves. The 2006 vintage is no exception; medium bodied, layered with concentrated flavors of cranberry and black cherry along with spice notes of cardamom, clove, bay and white pepper.