



2008 mbf Zinfandel

The foundation of my limited production mbf (man's best friend) wines is always a strong relationship; a vineyard owner, a handshake agreement and my desire to craft an excellent wine from his or her grapes—Brenda Lynch

2008 mbf Zinfandel, Perotti Vineyard Dry Creek Valley—Sonoma County

Oh behave! Our 2008 mbf Zinfandel is the second wine to be released in our limited production mbf series. With all the hallmarks of a classic, this well-mannered Zinfandel will serve its master well. We are absolutely delighted with the feedback we have gotten on this wine. Our thoughts? No obedience training needed for this puppy!

2008 Vintage

Silver Medal - 2012 CA State Fair Wine Competition

Silver Medal - 2012 West Coast Wine Competition

Bronze Medal - 2012 International Women's Wine Competition

Bronze Medal—2012 Sonoma County Harvest Fair

Perotti Vineyard, Dry Creek Valley

Ed and Bruce Perotti, father and son grape growers in Dry Creek Valley, are the quintessential example of our partners. Their Perotti Vineyard has provided wonderful fruit worthy of any "mbf." In the case of our Zinfandel, we couldn't ask for more. Located on the north end of Dry Creek Valley, on a bench with an eastern slope, this location ensures great air circulation and exposure, dry skins and ripe fruit. As they say in real estate and winemaking—location, location, location!

Brenda's Winemaking

Handle with care. My Zinfandel was treated to gentle winemaking and oak aging. Fermentation took place in an open-top tank, with hand punch-downs. This approach prevents harsh tannins from being imparted to the wine and allows the wine to be fruit-forward. My 2008 vintage was aged in 100% French Oak (40% New) barrels for 22 months.

Tasting Notes

Deep red in color, this is a robust, fruit-forward wine with notes of anise and pepper. The wine has a nice balance of flavors and medium mouth feel. The tannins are there, but tamed for an immediately drinkable wine. It's a perfect complement for your next barbeque.

—This wine will make you sit up and say delicious!



Information

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| Vintage: | 2008 |
| Appellation: | Dry Creek Valley |
| % Zinfandel: | 100% |
| Alcohol: | 14.5% |
| Produced: | 254 cases |

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