



ESTD 1883  
**WENTE**  
 VINEYARDS

*Beyer Ranch*

ESTATE GROWN  
 ZINFANDEL  
 LIVERMORE VALLEY · SAN FRANCISCO BAY  
 2014

*“Our Beyer Ranch Zinfandel comes from three different estate vineyards in the Livermore Valley. Each vineyard is picked ripe to accentuate the deep jammy fruit flavors, yet the alcohol remains balanced. The wine features all of Zinfandel’s classic aromatics and full body.”*

*- Karl D. Wente, Fifth Generation Winemaker*

#### VINEYARD

Since 1883, five generations of our family have handcrafted fine wines that express the very best of our vineyards and winemaking expertise. Our Estate Grown Beyer Ranch has historically been a premier Livermore Valley location for Zinfandel. The estate vineyards are planted on carefully selected sites on the sloping benches that lead to the banks of the Arroyo del Valle and Arroyo Mocho streams. Grapes from these Zinfandel vineyards produce luscious wines with deep richness.

#### WINEMAKING

**FERMENTATION** Each variety was fermented separately in stainless steel fermenters and were pumped over two to three times daily to maximize extraction of flavors and colors.

**AGING** The wine was aged in a combination of stainless steel tanks and neutral oak barrels to maintain the fruitiness and freshness of the wine.

#### TASTING NOTES

Our 2014 Beyer Ranch Zinfandel has notes of dark cherry and spices such as black pepper, balanced by the perfect amount of oak which introduces the vanilla and texture into the wine.

**VARIETAL COMPOSITION**  
 80% Zinfandel,  
 20% Petite Sirah

**ALCOHOL** 13.5%  
 pH 3.57  
 TA 0.63/100ml

**HARVEST DATE(S)** 9/26-10/12  
**BRUX AT HARVEST** 24.7  
**RELEASE DATE** March 2018

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*Safra 2011. Prova na Adega Brasil Delicatessen em 29/08/2014.*