



### Technical Data:

Composition:

100% Zinfandel

**Varietal Breakdown:**

89% Borkow Vineyard

11% Bradford Mountain Vnyd

**Harvest Dates:**

Aug. 31, 2007

Sept. 11, 2007

Appellation: Dry Creek Valley, Sonoma County

Alcohol: 15.4%

pH: 3.65

TA: 0.57g/100ml

Barrel Aging: 21 months

Type of Oak: 11% new Hungarian oak barrels  
89% 4-9 year-old French and  
American oak barrels

Bottling Date: June 5, 2009

Production: 225 cases

Release Date: October 2009

### Vineyards:

#### Borkow Vineyard

The Borkow Zinfandel Vineyard occupies a small, steep slope at the junction of Dry Creek Road and Canyon Road on the north end of the Dry Creek Valley. The combination of location, exposure and very poor, porous soil produces grapes with intense bright fruit flavors and incredible, perfumed aromas.

#### Bradford Mountain Vineyard

Planted in the 1980s on the western edge of Dry Creek Valley, our Bradford Mountain Estate Vineyard is 32 acres on the very top of the mountain (elevation 1000 feet). We took great pains to find the proper varietals and clones to plant in the mineral-rich mountain soil. The well-drained, red-clay soil, combined with sunny days and cool nights, produces small, intensely flavored grapes with a higher acidity and a lower pH than valley fruit.

## 2007 OLD SCHOOL ZINFANDEL DRY CREEK VALLEY

### PETERSON WINERY OLD SCHOOL ZINFANDEL



**Headed back to  
Dry Creek Valley  
from Healdsburg, Kathleen  
spotted an elderly Pomo  
(Native American) woman  
walking on the hot, dusty  
shoulder of the road.  
She pulled over and asked the  
woman if she would like a ride.  
With a silent nod of thanks, the  
old woman got into the car.  
Kathleen tried in vain to make  
small talk with her.**

### Tasting Notes:

This Zin overflows with tantalizing aromas —rich, spicy berry, creamy oak and a touch of earthiness and mineral. The lush texture holds bright raspberry and candied strawberry layered with subtle spices, leather notes and a nutty essence. It is easy to drink and pairs well with food, friends or your favorite after-work activity—sipping a glass of wine.