



**KENWOOD**  
VINEYARDS



## 2014 House Vineyard Zinfandel

*Each vintage, our winemaker selects the very best vineyards in Sonoma for our small production Single Vineyard series. Only vineyards with consistent superior quality for each particular varietal will be chosen to ensure that the best fruit is used in each of our wines.*

### TASTING NOTES

Aromas of raspberry jam and molasses join spicy white pepper, vanilla and licorice notes. This Zinfandel has a rich body with exceptionally well-balanced tannins, leading to a long excellent finish.

### HOUSE VINEYARD

House Vineyard is located on the northern edge of Sonoma County just west of the small town of Cloverdale. The steeply-sloped vineyard has a southwestern aspect and rocky well-drained soil. These rugged conditions stress the vines giving the fruit concentrated flavor and color. Although we have only been receiving fruit from our House vineyard for five years, it has quickly become one of our favorite Zinfandel ranches given the high quality fruit and distinctive flavors.

### WINEMAKING

Harvested by hand on September 11th, after destemming and crushing, the fruit was fermented on the skins for two weeks before pressing. After settling in stainless steel tanks for six weeks the wine was then raked into European and American oak for 18 months. After barrel aging was complete, the highest quality wines were separated from the lot and assembled to be bottled as our Single Vineyard House Zinfandel.

### FOOD PAIRINGS

This rich-bodied Zinfandel compliments savory dishes such as, Duck Breasts with Tamarind Sauce, Lamb Shanks with Ancho Chile Honey Glaze, or Venison Stew.

### Composition

100% Zinfandel

### Appellation

Sonoma County

### Acidity/pH

6.6 / 3.42

### Alcohol

14.5%

### Production

424 cases

### Bottled

September 2016

### Enjoy Responsibly

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