

2022

CERO

Blanc De Zinfandel

GRAND VALLEY



VINEYARD

Black Family Vineyard

GRAPE VARIETIES

70% Blanc De Zinfandel

30% Blanc De Cabernet Franc

ABV

13.2%

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TASTING NOTES

Subtle and delicate floral aromas of rose petal and rhubarb tease the nose. Bright, crisp acidity is balanced with a petrichor minerality. Faded cherry, hints of apricot, and an indistinct touch of clove linger with a palate cleansing finish.

WINEGROWING

Grown with a focus on sustainability. These grapes are farmed on alluvial soils mixed with larger volcanic strata. A properly managed, umbrella like canopy allows for just the right air flow and dappled sunlight onto the clusters to achieve maximum quality. A higher acid results from an earlier harvest while the fruit is less ripe.

WINEMAKING

Picked early for a crisp acidity. Zero skin contact, whole clusters of Zinfandel and Cabernet Franc went direct to press resulting in a nuanced aromatic white wine made from red grapes. Extensive lees aging in neutral French oak adds to the body and complexity of this wine.

AWARDS

2022 Colorado Governor's Cup- **BRONZE**