

BREAD & BUTTER

2018 ZINFANDEL

SINGLE VINEYARD, OAK KNOLL, NAPA VALLEY

RELEASE DATE

June 2021

APELLATION

Oak Knoll, Napa Valley

VARIETAL

100% Zinfandel

AGING

18 months on

40% new French Oak

AGING POTENTIAL

7-10 years

ALCOHOL 14.5%

ACIDITY 6.3 g/L

PH 3.44

PRODUCTION 150 cases

SRP \$50

TASTING NOTES

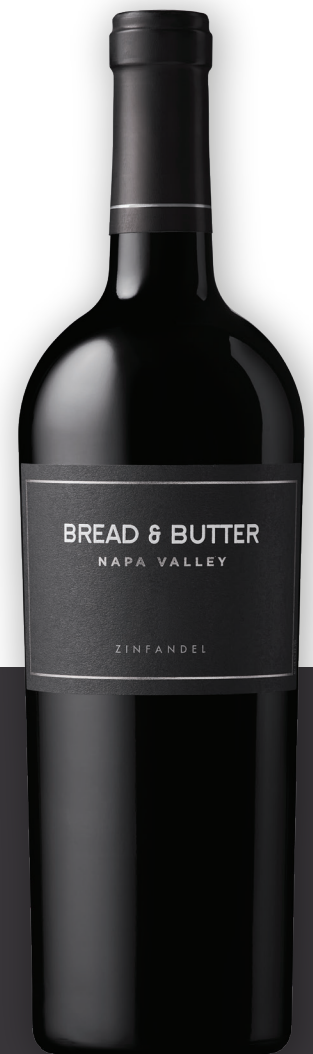
This is a fruit-driven wine with lifted aromas and flavors of juicy boysenberry, Bing cherry, warm spices, white pepper, vanilla and sweet toasty oak. The voluminous mouthfeel combines with velvety tannins and balanced acidity, and leads to a long, flavorful finish.

WINEMAKING

Zinfandel from Napa Valley is beloved for its power, red fruit notes, dusty tannins and structure. This wine is special because it is becoming more and more rare to find Zinfandel in the Napa Valley. Wines from Oak Knoll have a bright character with elegant notes.

The 2018 growing season in Napa valley was steady with great conditions for growing all varieties.

The beautiful conditions kicked off with a sunny spring that led to the vines flowering uniformly and ensuring even cluster development. Summer temperatures were steady, and the Valley befitted from a long, slow Harvest without heat spikes or rain. The grapes for this wine experienced extended hang time with warm days and cool nights, allowing the grapes to reach their full ripeness and expression. The complex, layered and high-quality wines of this vintage, especially the powerful reds which will continue to age gracefully, will be remembered and celebrated in years to come.



At Bread & Butter, we believe good things in life shouldn't be complicated. Good things should just be, well, good. And honest. And uncomplicated. Because when we second-guess, overthink, and decide that every, little thing is so important... We're ignoring what really matters. The good. The honest. And the uncomplicated. Which is why our Veteran Award-Winning Winemaker Linda Trottamakes thoughtful wines, that don't require any extra thought to enjoy. And those thoughtful wines? We have a carefree space where you can enjoy them. A tasting room dedicated to enjoying simple pleasures in a space that's comfortable, homey and authentic. Because we believe wine shouldn't add to the stress of everyday, in fact, it should do just the opposite. A great bottle should give you the opportunity to take a breath, let your shoulders drop, and stop overthinking. Go ahead, take a sip. And don't overthink it.

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