



No.079 BATCH VINTAGE 40)1ES

ZINFANDEL BATCH 79 | 2018 **CALIFORNIA**

THE STORY

A leader in crafting wine aged in bourbon barrels, 1000 Stories melds California's winemaking heritage with America's storied bourbon culture. Expertly crafted by Master Winemaker Bob Blue from renowned California vineyards, 1000 Stories gets its acclaimed nuance and complexity from time spent in charred bourbon barrels-revealing a uniquely American story in every glass.

THE JOURNEY

Lodi's historic old-vine Zinfandel sites stand out here. The old head trained vineyards produce small crops and Lodi's warm afternoons enhance spice and berry flavors in the grapes. Petite Sirah adds inky purple color and mineral notes while Zin's soft tannins round out the blend. In signature 1000 Stories fashion, Batch 79 aged in traditional French and American oak barrels, with a portion finished in charred bourbon barrels before assembling the final blend.

THE WINE

We release 1000 Stories Zinfandel in batches to reflect a unique mix of grape varieties, vineyards and bourbon barrels-no two batches are the same. This Zinfandel batch features rich, jammy fruit with concentrated spice framing red and black berry fruit highlighted by warm baking spices like cloves and cinnamon. The warm spice mingles with vanilla and charred sugar notes from aging in the bourbon barrels.

Bob Blue OB BLUE. *Winemake*.

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TOTAL ACIDITY: 0.61g/100mL **RESIDUAL SUGAR:** 0.62g/100mL **ALCOHOL:** 14.5%

pH: 3.60

