

FOLEY F SONOMA

2021 ESTATE PATTY'S PATCH ZINFANDEL ALEXANDER VALLEY

Foley Sonoma is dedicated to mixing old-world tradition and modern technology to create limited production, luxury wines from estate vineyards in the Alexander Valley appellation within Sonoma County. Our family has been growing and creating wines since 1996 throughout California and beyond. The estate vineyards offer diverse terrain and soil types that cater to our focus on the five noble Bordeaux varieties — Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Malbec, and Petit Verdot. We look forward to sharing the wines from this special place with you and your family for years to come. — The Foley Family

VINTAGE

The winter of 2021 had minimal rainfall and mild temperatures leading to concentrated flavors and colors. With a warmer than average winter and spring, budbreak was two weeks ahead of normal. The warm weather resulted in beautifully ripened fruit and a fairly early harvest.

VINEYARDS & WINEMAKING

The vineyards of Foley Sonoma lie in the heart of our estate in the Alexander Valley. Patty's Patch Zinfandel hails from our estate, head-pruned Zinfandel vines that were planted in 2000. Following harvest, the grapes were fermented in stainless steel tanks and then racked to American oak barrels. After aging for 20 months in barrel (20 % new) with regular lees stirring, the wine was bottled.

TASTING NOTES

A wine that will grip your palate, our 2021 Patty's Patch Zinfandel is distinguished by having an impressive aromatic profile of baked red berry pie coupled with hints of sage and English toffee. Dense dark fruit flavors unfold on the palate, finishing with a hint of black pepper and smooth acidity.

TECHNICAL DATA

Appellation: Alexander Valley

Composition: 100% Zinfandel

Aging: 20 months in French oak, 20% new

Alcohol: 14.5%

TA: 6.35 g/L

pH: 3.75

Production: 244 cases

