

2018 OLD VINES GRENACHE SCEALES VINEYARD - 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

Coming off of a warmer 2017 vintage, 2018 was a change of pace with cooler and mostly moderate temperatures throughout the year. We were able to let the fruit hang on the vines longer so they could soak up some September-October sunshine and provide us with a bounty of concentrated fruit with beautiful character.

VINEYARDS & WINEMAKING

The grapes for this delightfully bright and juicy wine come from our Alexander Valley neighbors, the Sceales, who we are proud to work with on this luscious wine. The Old Vines Sceales Vineyard is located next to our estate vineyards to the south and are between 65-70 years old. We cherish every grape with vines as old as these, and we are excited to share this new offering from Foley Sonoma with you.

TASTING NOTES

Our Grenache is a fruit-forward, light-to-medium bodied wine with hints of strawberry and orange peel. Mild tannin and juicy acidity make this wine perfect as an apéritif or alongside a variety of cuisine.

TECHNICAL DATA

Appellation: Alexander Valley

Composition: 99% Grenache, 1% Sangiovese Aging: 12 months in French oak, 30% new

Alcohol: 14.7% TA: 7.3 g/L pH: 3.24

Production: 206 Cases

