2021 ZINFANDEL, LODI "OLD VINE" (RETRO LABEL)

OUR HISTORY

BARGETTO WINERY has been dedicated to producing fine Santa Cruz Mountain wines since 1933. As one of California's most historic wineries, and the oldest winery of the Santa Cruz Mountains, the third generation of Bargettos continues to pursue winemaking excellence and innovation.

THE APPELATION

Lodi has been a premium wine grape growing area as long as the Santa Cruz Mountains, both of which date back to the 19th century. While both are famous for wine grapes, the regions are focused on different varietals and yield different styles of wine. Long known as the home of old vine zinfandel vineyards, Lodi yields Zinfandel of highest quality. Our vineyards sources sit on the banks of the Mokelumne River. Gnarled and head pruned, the vines at this vineyard look as though they've been through 50 harvests, and they have!

WINE MAKER'S NOTES

This 2021 Old Vine Zinfandel opens with aromas of black cherry, blackberry, clove, and cinnamon. The palate is fruit-forward with flavors of black plum, cranberry, and baked cherry pie. Hints of black pepper, mocha, and toffee add intrigue and complexity. The wine is medium bodied, with rich tannins and a lingering jammy finish.

Suggested food pairings include: BBQ ribs or Tri-Tip, honey-glazed ham, and chocolate cake with raspberries.

Suggested Retail: \$20.00



TECHNICAL STATS

Varietal Composition	
	11% Petite Sirah
Appellation	Lodi, CA
Alcohol	14.9%
Wine Total Acidity	6.1 g/L
Wine pH	3.51
Malo-lactic	Complete
Oak Barrel Aging	Aged for 16 months in
	combination of 15% new
	French and American oak barrels.
Bottling Date	February 14, 2023
Cases Produced	