



BARGETTO WINERY

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2023 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.

About the Appellation

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!

About the Label

The “retro” label used for the Bargetto old vine Zinfandel was first used by Bargetto Winery in the 1940s. It was re-introduced in 2008 as part of the winery’s 75th anniversary.

Winemaker’s Notes

This 2023 Old Vine Zinfandel opens with aromas of black cherry, blackberry, clove and cinnamon. The palate is fruit-forward with flavors of black plum, baked berry-pie, and cranberry. Hints of black pepper, mocha and toffee add intrigue and complexity. The wine is medium bodied, with rich tannins and a lingering jammy finish.

Food pairings include BBQ ribs or Tri-Tip, honey-glazed ham, or chocolate cake with raspberries.

Suggested Retail: \$20.00



Technical Stats

Composition	91% Zinfandel, 9% Other Red
Appellation	Lodi, CA
Vineyard(s)	100% Lodi
Alcohol	14%
Total Acidity	6.4 g/L
Wine pH	3.63
Malo-lactic	Complete
Barrel/Tank Aging	Aged for 12 months in neutral barrels.
Bottling Date	September 23, 2024
Cases Produced	430