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## ZINFANDEL

### J DUSI WINES

Paper Street Vineyard

Willow Creek AVA

Paso Robles, California



Zinfandel 100%



French Oak 100%

**\$68 USD**

Suggested Retail

**Optimal Consumption**

2020 - 2026

**Release Date**

December 2020

Aged 18 Months

Alcohol: 15.2%

Production: 300 Cases

#### VINEYARD

Farmed by the Dusi Family, our Paper Street Vineyard straddles between Willow Creek and Adelaida AVAs in the hills of Paso Robles. Its virgin soils, steep slopes and rugged terrain make for intensely bold and saturated wines.

#### WINEMAKER

Janell Dusi is the proprietor and winemaker, specializing in Zinfandel. She is a 4th generation farmer who is the first of the family to go beyond farming to produce wines from the Dusi Vineyards. She honors her heritage by winemaking in the most native form; handpicking, hand sorting and stomping her wines by foot. Her signature style is continued with non-invasive wine handling and gentle barrel aging.

#### TASTING NOTES

Deep garnet in color, this wine opens with a pops of bright red fruit, explosive raspberry and blackberry take hold and are carried through the entire palette, followed by a touch of spice to round it out. This Zins structure has finesse, and power and a glossy finish. Take a sip and you'll be up on the Paper Street Vineyard, with its sweeping views and exceptional terroir. The vines are cloned from the Dante Dusi Vineyard – now you know what happens when you combine legacy and fortitude.

*Janell Dusi*

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