

# TWISTED™

## OLD VINE ZIN

2012 CALIFORNIA

### Growing Season

The 2012 vintage produced a bountiful crop of exceptional quality. Moderate weather throughout the growing season put little pressure on the vines which provided the grapes with well-balanced structure and concentrated flavors. A warm, dry spring helped the vines to set a sturdy crop followed by a summer with substantial amounts of afternoon sunshine and cool nights. Warmer weather just before harvest allowed the grapes to gradually ripen delivering bright acidity and tannic structure. Harvest in California began on time which resulted in mature fruit with, ripe, rich flavors and outstanding quality all around.

### Tasting Notes

Twisted 2012 Old Vine Zinfandel is medium-bodied with aromas of black cherry, red currant, blackberry bramble and a hint of spice. Concentrated ripe fruit, dark berry flavors and black pepper carry through to the palate while nicely balanced acidity and plush tannins lead to a lingering finish.

Enjoy Twisted Old Vine Zinfandel with braised short ribs, BBQ chicken pizza or pulled pork sliders.

### Technical Information

Appellation	California
Alcohol	13.5%
Total Acidity	0.62 grams/100ml
pH	3.56
SRP (750ml)	\$12.99 (1.5L); \$7.99

