

# EXIT FORTY ONE

SUISUN VALLEY AVA



### **OUR PROCESS**

This year Suisun Valley will celebrate 41 years since it earned the designation as an AVA (American Viticultural Area). The anniversary holds a special place in our family history, as our own Chick Lanza was instrumental in leading the effort. The approach of this historical date inspired us to create a wine that would define Suisun Valley in just one sip. Exit Forty One has exceeded the goal! This blend was destined to be predominantly Petite Sirah, Suisun Valley's signature grape, from the beginning. With this in mind, Rick set out to create a wine with the same adventurous spirit that embodies the experience that awaits at Exit Forty One.

Exit Forty One isn't just any red wine; it's a feeling that can transcend beyond the name, place, or experience. It's the lifestyle and culture of adventure...it's Suisun Valley's essence in a bottle.

## TASTING NOTES

Our Exit Forty One wine is an enjoyable blend of Petite Sirah and Cabernet Sauvignon, with Petite Sirah making up more than 80% of the blend. This unique wine showcases the best characteristics of Petite Sirah, with aromas of plums, figs, and cola on the nose. The full-bodied taste boasts concentrated flavors of pomegranate, toffee, and dark red fruits - a dream come true for any red wine lover.

Thanks to the warmer growing conditions in Suisun Valley, the dark fruit flavors in Petite Sirah are brought out, while the addition of Cabernet Sauvignon adds the crucial acidity needed for a well-balanced wine. For the best experience, we recommend pairing this wine with richly flavored dishes such as pork tenderloin or spaghetti and meatballs.

To fully enjoy the flavors and aromas of this wine, we suggest serving it at a temperature of 60-68 degrees and decanting it for at least 30 minutes before serving.

#### **BRAND**

Exit Forty One

#### VARIETAL BLEND

83% Petite Sirah / 17% Cabernet

#### TECHNICAL DATA

**Alcohol:** 14.3%

pH: 3.46 TA: 0.6g/100mL

RS: 0.15 g/100mL

Bottling Date: 5/25/2023

Cases Produced: 696
Release Date: 8/11/2023

#### VINEYARD SOURCE

Johnson Ranch Vineyard