

Paris Valley Road Founders Red

THE FACTS

COUNTRY: USA - CA

REGION: Central Coast

APPELLATION: Central Coast

CEPAGE: 44% Zinfandel, 23% Cabernet Sauvignon, 19% Petite Sirah, 12% Syrah, 2% Merlot

ANNUAL PRODUCTION: 1489 cases

THE STORY

Named for the historic dirt road which houses its Chalk Knoll vineyard, Paris Valley Road is located just 35 miles from the Pacific Ocean on the southern Monterey coast. Their chalky soils and cool coastal climate offer a slowly ripened fruit, creating rich yet delicate, intensely aromatic wine.

BIOGRAPHY: In the 1990s, the Stoller family planted Chalk Knoll Vineyard. Craig and Nancy Stoller later founded The Craig Stoller Collection, home to Paris Valley Road Estate Winery. With a rich history on the Central Coast and a background in vine growing, they are dedicated to showcasing the winegrowing potential that California's Central Coast has to offer.

THE ADJECTIVES

OVERALL: Fruity with depth

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Darker fruit, pyrazine spices, cherries, Oceanspray cranberry

MOUTHFEEL: Smooth & Flowing

THE SELLING POINTS

A versatile yet powerful red blend

PAIRINGS: BBQ beef dishes, rich pasta dishes

