

35% Estate Vineyard
40% Norton Ranch
25% Maple Vineyard

91 Lytton Springs Vineyards, bottled March 93

This wine is made from three vineyards along Lytton Springs Road. They are virtually contiguous, with the same climate and similar soils, so are handled as a single vineyard. In 1991, Spring rains delayed the growing season, but an unusually warm September and October ensured full ripeness and concentration. Old-vine grenache and carignan add finesse; petite sirah adds depth and structure. This superb wine shows the intense fruit of young zinfandel, yet will develop further with five to ten years of bottle age. PD (2/93)

30 years ago, Ridge made its first Monte Bello, and two years later its first zinfandel. We searched California for other great vineyards where climate, soil, and varietal are perfectly matched. To bring the distinctive character of each vineyard to the wine, we use the minimal handling typical of traditional winemaking. For information, or to visit our Monte Bello (Santa Cruz Mountains) or Lytton Springs (Sonoma County) Wineries, send a note or call (408) 867-3233.

RIDGE 1991

CALIFORNIA

ZINFANDEL

LYTTON SPRINGS

GRAPE VARIETALS: 80% ZINFANDEL IN A VINEYARD BLEND WITH 12% PETITE SIRAH, 5% GRENACHE AND 3% CARIGNAN
DRY CREEK, SONOMA COUNTY ALCOHOL 14.1% BY VOLUME
PRODUCED AND BOTTLED BY RIDGE VINEYARDS, INC. BW 4488
17100 MONTE BELLO RD, BOX 1810, CUPERTINO, CALIFORNIA 95015

NET CONTENTS
750 ML

CONTAINS SULFITES



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GOVERNMENT WARNING: (1) ACCORDING TO THE SURGEON GENERAL, WOMEN SHOULD NOT DRINK ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DURING PREGNANCY BECAUSE OF THE RISK OF BIRTH DEFECTS. (2) CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IMPAIRS YOUR ABILITY TO DRIVE A CAR OR OPERATE A MACHINE, AND MAY CAUSE HEALTH PROBLEMS.