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2016 Lytton Springs, bottled December 2017

Welcome winter rains brought relief from the drought. Fine weather in May was ideal for flowering and fruit set; crop levels rebounded to near normal levels. Natural yeast fermentations were slow but steady. Plentiful color and tannin balanced the sumptuous dark fruit typical of Lytton Springs. Aging for fourteen months in tempered american oak adds a touch of spice. Appealing as a young wine, this exceptional vintage will mature over the next ten years.

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Ingredients: Hand-harvested grapes; indigenous yeast; tartaric acid; 0.3% water addition; naturally occurring malolactic bacteria; oak from barrel aging; minimum effective SO<sub>2</sub>.

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750 mL

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69% ZINFANDEL, 23% PETITE SIRAH, 6% CARIGNANE
2% MATARO (MOURVEDRE) SONOMA COUNTY
DRY CREEK VALLEY 14.4% ALCOHOL BY VOLUME
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