



## MICHAEL TORINO – Senior Vice President, Global Sales

Michael Torino is the Senior Vice President of Global Sales. In this position, Michael oversees our global distributor network spanning over 55 countries, our sales managers, the Wholesale Customer Service Department, and serves on the Executive Committee at Ridge. Michael joined Ridge Vineyards in 2008 as the Eastern Regional Sales Manager. He was promoted to Vice President of US Wholesale, in 2016 and to his current position in 2021.

As an industry veteran with over 20 years of experience, Michael has enjoyed a highly successful career. Beginning in the restaurant business at The Breakers Hotel in Palm Beach, he then moved into the distribution side of the wine business, working as a Sales Manager for TransAtlantic Wine & Spirits, a division of Southern Wine & Spirits. Michael then progressed into the supplier end of the wine business managing the North East for Bonny Doon Vineyard and launching the Pacific Rim Winemakers brand in the Eastern half of the US.

Originally from New York, Michael currently resides in South Florida with his wife Lisa and their son Leonardo. In his free time, Michael enjoys sports, cooking, wine, travel, and the outdoors.

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