

TURLEY

2017 Turley “Buck Cobb Vineyard,” Zinfandel, Amador County

Planted at 1500 feet on the volcanic, granitic hillside near our Amador winery in the foothills of the Sierra Nevada Mountains, the Cobb Vineyard Zinfandel is an homage to “Buck” Cobb from whom we purchased the vines. The rocky conditions and more extreme weather (including snow) in this dry-farmed vineyard make for a hearty, robust Zinfandel.

The 2017 Cobb is a fascinating, full mouth of wine, with textbook brambly, dusty fruits, green peppercorn spices and a hint of orange rind on the nose. Distinctive Amador granitic tannins on the palate, a bit coarser than years past, with refreshing acidity. This wine begs for food; follow Larry’s lead and cook whatever you wish, as long as it’s over an open fire!



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