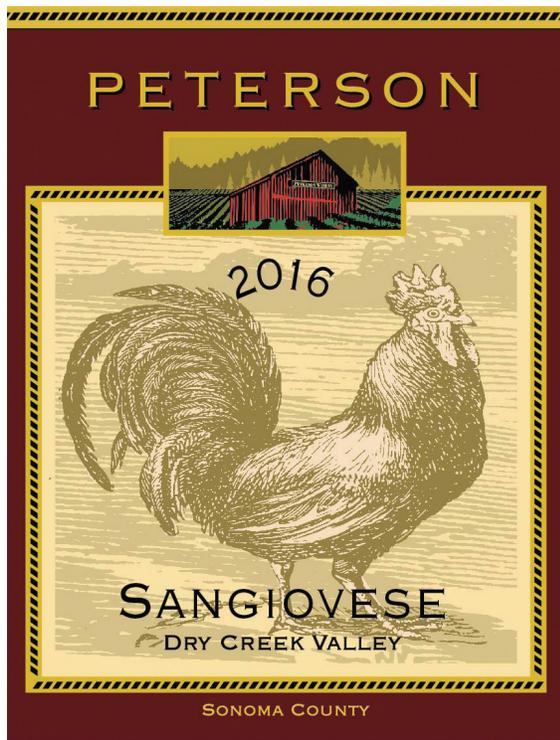


# PETERSON



## 2016 SANGIOVESE Dry Creek Valley Sonoma County



### Fred's (Peterson) Vintaged View

This 100% Sangiovese was produced from fruit grown in two exceptional small plantings in Dry Creek Valley—Teldeschi Vineyard and Spadoni Vineyard.

In the early 1990's, lifelong grapegrower Ray Teldeschi got Sangiovese budwood from me off Norton Ranch, and planted it on his "Home Ranch" that is next door to our winery on the Dry Creek bench. The southwest exposure and excellent drainage of the site helps the finicky Sangiovese vines fully ripen the grapes every year.

The Spadoni Vineyard is a tiny planting on the hillside behind the home of long time friends Ken and June Spadoni. They planted an acre of Sangiovese on the western edge of Dry Creek because of a love for the wine, and meticulously farm this small plot.

In 2016, Mother Nature gave us another bounty from this challenging grape. The overall large crop contained many small berries, allowing us to make a perfectly balanced wine.

### Technical Data

**Composition:** 100% Sangiovese

Vineyards

70% Teldeschi Vineyard

30% Spadoni Vineyard

Harvest Dates

August 31

September 12

**Appellation:** Dry Creek Valley, Sonoma County

**Alcohol:** 15.0%

**pH:** 3.64

**TA:** 0.65g/100ml

**Barrel Aging:** 25 months

**Type of Oak:** 100% 5-12 year-old, neutral oak barrels

**Bottling Date:** Nov. 16, 2018 (unfined & unfiltered)

**Closure Type:** Screwcap - Ramondin - saranex liner

**Production:** 250 cases | 750ml

**Release Date:** April 2020

### Tasting Notes

The classic Italianate nose showcases rustic aromas of dried cherry, a mineral essence and spicy earth notes. Delicious mouthwatering acidity fills the palate with black cherry, plum and tobacco, along with hints of rhubarb, sage and spicy cedar. The smooth mouthfeel and spicy texture marry seamlessly with the focused flavors, which makes this wine so easy to keep sipping.

Sangiovese is the perfect pairing partner for all types of cuisine. Enjoy it with spaghetti Carbonara, oven roasted pork ribs with onions and potatoes, or Tandoori chicken.