## Half Bottles:

Chardonnay Sin Zin Merlot Cabernet Sauvignon

12 bottle cases Stelvin closures



## **Limited Availability:**



#### **Cabernet Franc**

Rich, lush wine with earthy flavors of plum, black cherry, vanilla and blueberry. Nicely balanced, great texture without the tannins. Extremely limited, small production 100% Cabernet Franc aged in French oak barrels. 2020: 91 points - James Suckling 750ml





Single vineyard 100% Cabernet Sauvignon aged in French oak barres for extended time. Winemaker Kevin Hall selects a single, unique lot to produce this one-of-a kind Cab. The big flavors, intense concentration, deep color and layers of flavor showcase the Alexander Valley's best Cabernet Sauvignon. 2018: 92 points - Decanter World Wine Awards. 91 points - James Suckling, 92 points & Gold Medal - LA Invitational Wine Challenge 750ml - 6 bottle case

### Syrah



Small lot, whole berry fermentation contributes bright fruitiness and aging in toasty French oak barrels adds richness, while a little Viognier increases the aromatics and rounds out the wine. Lush flavors of blackberry, blueberry and vanilla with silky tannins and a long juicy finish. 2019: 95 points -Sunset Intl Wine Competition; 93 points & Best of Class of Appellation -CA State Fair, 93 points - Beverage Dynamics 750ml

## Dry Rose' of Sangiovese



This Rose' explodes out of the glass with alluring pink color, enticing aromas and bright fruit. Medium-bodied with flavors of watermelon. strawberry and peach and nice minerality. Well-balanced with crisp acidity, a dry finish and very long aftertaste. The 2022 our 17tish vintage! 2022: 95 points - Beverage Dynamics, 93 points - BTI, 92 points & Gold Medal - CA State Fair 750ml stelvin closure

## **Visit AVV:**



Our tasting room is open daily 10-5 (closed on major holidays)

Cave tours daily: noon & 2:30

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## **XX** ALEXANDER VALLEY VINEYARDS

In 1962 Alexander Valley was mostly orchards and pasture when Harry and Maggie Wetzel purchased a portion of Cyrus Alexander's homestead. In 1963 they began planting premium grape varieties. In 1975 Hank Wetzel built their winery & produced AVV's first estate wines – quickly bringing recognition to the region.

Our vineyards stretch from the banks of the Russian River to the hillsides. Today, winemaker Kevin Hall creates balanced wines showcasing the grapes' varietal characteristics and the special valley that AVV calls home.

Sixty years later, the third generation of our family is continuing the legacy of family farming and winemaking, and Alexander Valley Vineyards is known for hand crafted, elegant age-worthy wines. Our family creates wines of distinction for everyone!

A California Sustainable Winegrower

Sonoma Green Business



Property purchased:

Location: 6 miles East of Healdsburg; 75 miles North of San Francisco

Vineyards First Planted: Winery Built:

Winemaker:

**Principal Varietals:** 

California Sustainable Winegrowing Program:

Sonoma Green Business

Caves:

1962

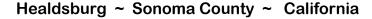
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Kevin Hall - joined AVV in 1998

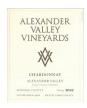
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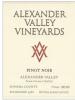
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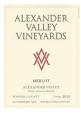


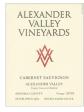


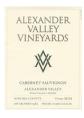
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### Chardonnay

Harvested from estate vineyards along the Russian River, our Chardonnay is dry, crisp and clean, with rich flavors of citrus fruits, peaches, green apples, minerals and vanilla. It is elegant and food friendly, 30% fermented & aged in French Oak & 70% in stainless. 2021 99 points & Dbl Gold - CA State Fair, 97 points, Dbl Gold & Best of Class - Sunset Intl Wine Competition, 96 points - Beverage Dynamics, Five Stars - Cheers 75ml & 750ml both in stelvin

#### **Pinot Noir**

Small production wine, vineyards planted along the banks of the Russian River to three Burgundian clones and aged in French Oak. This is classic Pinot Noir with silky texture and flavors of plum, cherry, red-black fruits along with touches of vanilla and cinnamon. 2021: 93 points & Gold Medal - Sunset Int Wine Competition 750ml

#### Merlot

A big, powerful Merlot with aromas of cassis & blackberry along with nuances of vanilla & cedar. The seductive rich flavors of blackberry, current and cassis and toasty oak combined with supple tannins give our Merlot immediate appeal. Often called the "Cab lovers Merlot", it has a finish that just goes on and on. Aged for 14 months in French & American oak. 2020: 95 points - BTI; 92 points Press Democrat Wine Challenge, 90 points - Decanter World Wine Awards, Dbl Gold & Best of Class - SF Chronicle Wine Competition 375 ml stelvin; 750 ml

#### **Cabernet Sauvignon**

Our flagship wine - elegant with rich complex flavors of black cherry, plum, cassis, chocolate and spicy polished finish. Lots of finesse, enjoyable in its youth; and an age-worthy value for the wine cellar. 2020: 97 points - Beverage Dynamics; 92 points - James Suckling, Best of Show Red & Gold Medal - Monterey Wine Festival 375 ml stelvin; 750 ml; 1.5 & 3L

### Cabernet Sauvignon - organically grown

This 100% Cabernet Sauvignon is harvested from a CCOF certified vineyard in the heart of the family estate. Rich, lush and earthy along with great balance. Aromas of dark fruits, chocolate and clove along with rich flavors of cherry, cassis, blackberry, plum, spice, oak and chocolate. 2019: 93 points - CA State Fair, 93 points - PD North Coast Wine Competition; 92 points - BTI 750 ml

#### **CYRUS**

We select the finest estate lots for this rich Cabernet-based blend. 24 months barrel aging and extended bottle aging adds refinement and complexity. Intense aromas of black cherry, plum, cassis and chocolate combine with rich complex fruit, spicy oak, and a velvety mouth feel. Firm tannins, beautiful balance and a long finish give testament to the opulence of this wine. 2017: 98 points -- Beverage Dynamics; 92 points - James Suckling, 91 points - CA State Fair 750 ml 6 bottle case

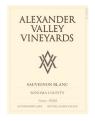


#### Zinfandel

We have a long history with Zinfandel and have a soft spot for the elegant, jammy, spicy fruit flavors of Zinfandel from the Alexander Valley. This release celebrates that style with our classic AVV label. 2019: 92 points - James Suckling, 92 points - BTI: 91 points - Wine Spectator 750ml

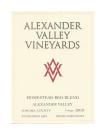
#### Sin Zin

Charming wine drinkers for over 40 years with aromas of cherry, plum, black pepper and wild strawberry and flavors of jammy red fruit - strawberry, raspberry and cherry along with classic black pepper & spice. Great acidity and elegant tannin make this a versatile and food-friendly wine. 2019: 99 points & Dbl Gold - CA State Fair, 95 points & Dbl Gold - Sunset Intl Wine Competition, 94 points - Beverage Dynamics, 90 points - James Suckling, 375 ml stelvin, 750 ml; 1.5L & 3.0L



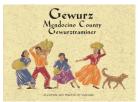
#### Sauvignon Blanc

This lively white wine is has bright acidity with fresh juicy flavors of guava, citrus - lime, grapefruit, and lemongrass, along with slight minerality. Bottled with a stelvin closure and extremely limited offering. 2022: 95 points &Gold Medal - CA State Fair; 90 points - Sunset Intl Wine Competition 750ml stelvin



#### Homestead Red Blend

We celebrate winemaking and family farming with this juicy, aromatic red blend. Dark purple with earthy aromas of berries, spice and violets. In the glass there are bright flavors of berry, plum, cherry, oak, vanilla and a touch of spice. We list the complete blend on the back label each vintage. 2020: 93 points & Best of Class of Appellation - CA State Fair, 92 points -James Suckling; 92 points & Gold Medal - Sunset Wine Competition, 91 points - Tasting Panel Magazine 750ml



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#### Gewürz - organically grown

Cold fermentation in stainless steel preserves the expressive nose of pineapple, lychee and pear and flavors of grapefruit and apple along with a hefty mineral component. This is a dry wine with a spicy, sweet nose that is nicely balanced by crisp acidity. 2021: 92 points - Sunset Intl Competition 750 ml stelvin



