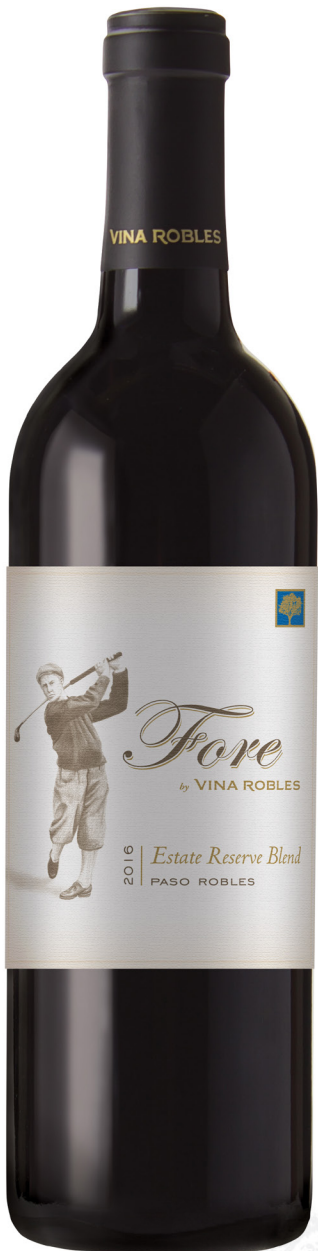




# VINA ROBLES

VINEYARDS & WINERY



## Fore

2016 ♦ ESTATE RESERVE BLEND ♦ PASO ROBLES

We have been growing estate wines for the past 20 years. Petite Sirah and Cabernet Sauvignon were two of our first choices to plant in Paso Robles and we quickly realized their potential. The grapes for this wine were handpicked from our sustainably farmed estate vineyards and sorted for quality on-site. The fruit was then fermented in small fermenters before undergoing malolactic fermentation and aging for 18 months in French, Hungarian and American oak barrels. This wine is a synergistic blend of three varieties that grow exceptionally well in our Paso Robles estate vineyards and showcases the bold, expressive fruit of our terroir along with the supple yet ageworthy tannins. Cabernet Sauvignon brings rich cassis flavors and juicy tannins to the blend while the Petite Sirah contributes dark fruit aromatics and creamy, textured tannins. A small percentage of Petit Verdot was added to enhance the structure and add backbone for aging.

### Tasting Notes

COLOR: Deep opaque garnet

AROMA: Dark cherries, boysenberries and cassis with hints of mocha and Amaretto

TASTE: Full-bodied with dark fruits and a rich creamy finish

### Technical Notes

HARVEST DATES	BRIX°	VINEYARD	BLEND	
09.27.16 - 10.25.16	25.8	Creston Valley	Cabernet Sauvignon	35%
		Huerhuero	Cabernet Sauvignon	15%
		Creston Valley	Petite Sirah	40%
		Huerhuero	Petit Verdot	10%

AGING:	18 months in French, Hungarian and American oak barrels
BOTTLING DATE:	04.11.18
RELEASE DATE:	07.02.18
CASES PRODUCED:	320
ALCOHOL:	14.5%
PH:	3.87
TOTAL ACIDITY:	5.5 g/L

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