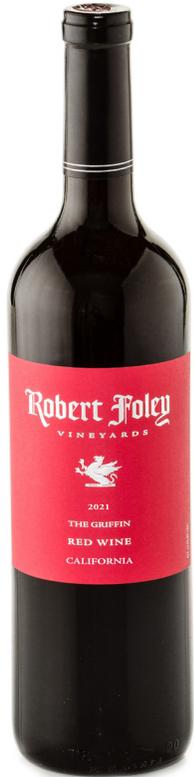


Robert Foley

VINEYARDS



2021 THE GRIFFIN

Deep in color, pleasant aromas of cherry and spice, berries and flowers introduce this blended red table wine. The medium-full body explodes on the palate with balanced acidity and mouth-coating tannin. Super-long in the finish, this is a versatile delicious food wine.

Like its namesake, this Griffin is a powerful combination of strengths. This year's blend is 52% Syrah and 48% Merlot.

The Griffin – on the Foley family crest in Irish heraldry combines the strengths of the lion, king of beasts, with the eagle, king of the skies. A winemaker's dream is to be artistically free to combine characters into wine that is purely hedonic and non-compliant with varietal regulations, so The Griffin's blend changes with every vintage.

SPECIFICATIONS

Wine: 2021 The Griffin
Appellation: California
Vineyard: Multiple locations – Valley Floor and Mountain AVAs
Varieties: Syrah and Merlot
Harvest: Hand-picked September-October 2021
Vinification: Ten-day fermentation, French Oak barrels
Alcohol: 15.5%
Bottled: May 2023
Production: 482 cases
Winemaker: Bob Foley