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**2000 Paso Robles “French Camp Vineyards” Syrah**

<b>VARIETAL (S):</b>	100% Syrah
<b>APPELLATION:</b>	100% Paso Robles
<b>VINEYARD(S):</b>	100% French Camp Vineyards
<b>BRIX AT HARVEST:</b>	24.8°
<b>PH:</b>	3.83
<b>TA:</b>	0.577
<b>ALCOHOL:</b>	14.2%
<b>COOPERAGE:</b>	30% New Oak, French & American, barrel aged for 10 months

**FERMENTATION:**

100% de-stemmed, with as many whole berries as possible, into 1-ton open top fermentors, punched down by hand 2-3 times per day. Pressed at dryness, settled, then racked to barrel. The yeasts used were commercial strains including BM-45 (Brunello) and D-254 (Rhone).

**PRODUCTION:** 225 cases

**PRICING:** Retail (recommended) \$28/bottle

**NOTES:** Plums and dried fruits (prunes) in the nose, plus a bit of coffee, with dark fruits and smoke flavors on the palate. Very soft and smooth, with light tannins and a medium finish.

