



# ZINFANDEL: YEA OR NAY?

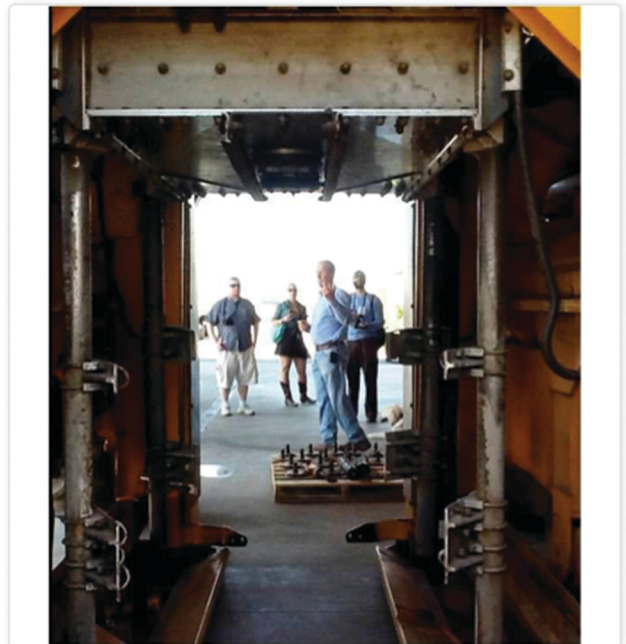
## Our Favorite Wine Writers Share Their Views!

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I made my thoughts regarding inexpensive Zinfandel known yesterday, and today we get feedback from some of our favorite wine writers. I feared that people might have a negative impression of Zinfandel, based on the style of wine that seems to dominate the bottom of the market, and the bottom of my ratings yesterday.

To my surprise many of the writer polled for this article came back with rousing recommendations and support for this most American of domestic wines. So if you like Zinfandel, fear not. Not only can you get recommendations for the best of the value priced bunch on Snooth but you also have suggestions across the pricing spectrum from our favorite wine writers to look forward to!

And if you haven't heard about the **Lodi Native** project yet, don't be surprised if you'll be hearing much more about it in the future. Terrific Zins well worth hunting down!



*I love Zin, specifically Old Vine Zins. Pretty much the coolest ones we've come across recently are the ones from the **Lodi Native Project**. The Lodi Native Project is a collaborative vision, with 6 winegrowers from the Lodi Wine Mokelumne River sub-AVA. The spotlight is on the region's heritage plantings – minimalist winemaking, native yeasts, and no new oak. Each of the single vineyard bottlings are totally unique and were a pleasure to drink.*

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