



HOOPES

VINEYARD

2013 ACCOLADES

FEATURE STORIES, REVIEWS, MENTIONS

- **Sandra Silfven (The Detroit News) 8/28** Reviews the 2010 Liparita and Hoopes wines and provides background on the brands. “Liparita is a top-shelf brand. It’s probably also one of those mystery labels that takes a good wine detective to sniff out. Think Luxury Boutique Cabs.” <http://blogs.detroitnews.com/wine/2013/08/29/liparita/>
- **Mary Ewing-Mulligan (Wine Review Online) 8/27** Mary dines with Jason in NYC and tastes the 2009 Liparita, Hoopes and Hoopla wines. She says “These wines all vary in weight and richness, of course, but to me they seem to share a common chord of moderation and balance -- and a common philosophy of sensible pricing”. Take a look at her review of the Liparita brand and her perspective on well balanced Napa Valley Cabernet here: http://www.winereviewonline.com/MEM_on_Liparita_Cabernet.cfm
- **Theresa Dillon (Great Wine News Magazine) 8/21** Jason Fisher holds forth in a personal interview on a variety of topics <http://greatwinenews.com/nothing-fishy-about-jason-fisher/>. Teresa asks some interesting questions including “What is the magic of our your terroir?”, “What is your favorite vintage and why?”, “What is your favorite varietal to work with?” etc. Jason also appears in the August issue <http://magazine.greatwinenews.com/#/74/>
- **Jim Van Bergen (JvB Uncorked) 6/19** Jim coaxes, tastes and connects, while Jason holds forth on life in the wine business, winemaking and the Hoopes, Liparita and Hoopla brands: <http://jvbuncorked.wordpress.com/2013/06/19/hoopes-hoopla-and-liparita-no-quiet-tuesdaynight/>. Of the 2009 Hoopes Cab, Jim says “This is a killer value”. The 2009 Liparita Yountville Cab elicited the following comment from Jim. “This may be the Screaming Eagle for the rest of us”.

- **Lynn Chamberlain (iWine Radio) 5/31.** Wine Radio Talk Show interview with Spencer Hoopes on his background, love of Napa Valley Wines, and history of Hoopes Vineyard. <http://www.winefairy.com/iWineRadio987b.mp3>
- **Simone Diament & Carole Kotkin (WSFG, Food and Wine Talk Radio) 4/16.** Radio Talk Show segment on Hoopes Vineyard and the history of Liparita Wines: http://www.southfloridagourmet.com/RADIO2013/04-16-2013_Liparita.mp3
- **Whitney Lader (HoopLABlog, Los Angeles) 4/17** Lifestyle Article on Hoopla Wines: <http://hooplalblog.com/2013/04/17/hoopla-wines/>
- **Philip Kampe (The Wine Hub, NJ & The Berkshire Beacon Newspaper, Boston) 4/11** Feature Articles on Hoopes Wines and history of the Liparita Brand as ‘Price to Value’ Napa Cabernets. Author says “Over Achieving Cult wine at give-away prices” and “Winemaking for the sake of winemaking”. <http://thewinehub.blogspot.com/2013/04/liparita-and-hoopes-vineyard-are-rare.html> and <http://berkshirebeacon.com/news/2013/04/rare-wine-bargains-from-napa-valley/>
- **Richard Auffrey (The Passionate Foodie, Boston) 4/9** Feature Article on all three Hoopes Wines brands, winemaker background, and detailed tastings of Liparita and Hoopla Wines: <http://passionatefoodie.blogspot.com/2013/04/liparita-cabernet-of-balance-complexity.html>