



## **Randy Caparoso**

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#### **Randy's Biography**

Randy Caparoso is a multi-award winning wine journalist who lives in Lodi, California. He is Editor-at-Large and the Bottom Line columnist for *The SOMM Journal*, and currently blogs and does social media work for Lodi Winegrape Commission's [lodiwine.com](http://lodiwine.com). He also pens wine columns for *The Tasting Panel* magazine, *San Joaquin Magazine*, and *Lodi News-Sentinel*; and in the past, he has bylined a biweekly wine column for his hometown newspaper (*The Honolulu Advertiser*, from 1981 to 2002). In a previous incarnation, he was a founding partner of the Roy's family of restaurants, where he was VP/Corporate Wine Director for 13 years; earning distinctions of being named *Santé's* first Wine & Spirits Professional of the Year (1988) and *Restaurant Wine's* Wine Marketer of the Year (1992 & 1998).

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