The 7 Deadly Zins
2014 | Lodi Appellation

TASTING NOTES
“Savory pepper and grilled beef aromas make this wine appetizing, its rich berry and ripe plum flavors bringing excellent concentration and depth to the palate. It’s big and bold, yet polished. Firm tannins interlacing with ripeness and spiciness to keep it balanced and help propel a lingering finish.” Editors’ Choice.

91 POINTS
-Wine Enthusiast
April 2017

HISTORY
Sinful indeed! This wickedly delicious Zin is temptation at first sip. And that’s not just our pride talking... blame it on the Catholic school upbringing of brothers Michael and David or their lust for hedonistically seductive wine. Our flagship Old Vine Zinfandel hails from the enviable Lodi Appellation where Zin reigns supreme. Here for six generations, we’ve given our souls to growing the finest grapes so that saints and sinners alike can enjoy The 7 Deadly Zins.

GROWING CONDITIONS
An unusually hot summer gave way to the earliest harvest Lodi had seen in 8 years as we started to press Chardonnay on August 4th, 2014. The 2014 vintage brought its challenges as Zinfandel, Petite Sirah and everything in between reached its optimal ripeness within days of each other, needing to be picked at the same time! Our final lot of Cabernet Sauvignon was picked on October 17th, marking the end of the fast and furious harvest season.

Technical Data:
T.A.: 0.61g/100ml
pH: 3.66
Alc.: 15.0%

Composition:
Zinfandel with a touch of Petite Sirah

Time in barrel:
12 months American oak