Lail Vineyards

GEORGIA SAUVIGNON BLANC Vintage 2022, Napa Valley

WINEMAKER NOTES

"Georgia Sauvignon Blanc 2022 is medium straw in color. Intense and lifted, the aromas burst forth with vanillin, white flowers and citrus zest notes. Flavors of white peach, dried apricot and tangerine envelop the palate. There are the hallmark Georgia expressions of minerality, white truffle and toasted brioche filling out the zingy and energetic finish. The oak is beautifully integrated, framing and enhancing this gorgeous wine like a fine painting."

-Philippe Melka & Maayan Koschitzky, winemakers

PARTNERS |Robin Daniel Lail, Erin Lail, Shannon Lail
VARIETAL |100% Sauvignon BlancVINEYARDS |Totem Estate Vineyard - YountvilleBARREL REGIMEN |Fermented and aged 20 months in French oak; 60% newWINEMAKERS |Philippe Melka & Maayan KoschitzkyPRODUCTION |463 cases

GEORGIA STORY

"Georgia is grown on our three-acre, dry-farmed estate vineyard in Yountville, called Totem. This exquisite, Graves-style (dry white Bordeaux) Sauvignon Blanc was fermented and aged in 70% new French oak barrels. It displays unprecedented depth and complexity, amazing texture, and a long lingering finish. Lail Vineyards was the first winery in the New World to produce a Sauvignon Blanc in this complex and captivating style, beginning with the 2002 vintage. The proprietary name celebrates the first member of the sixth generation of our family's winemaking in Napa Valley, Georgia Eileen. It has been called by a leading wine writer '...California's most complex and multi-dimensional Sauvignon Blanc."



OUR STORY

Our story began in 1879 when Robin Daniel Lail's great-granduncle, Gustave Niebaum, pioneered fine winemaking in the Napa Valley when he founded Inglenook Winery. Inglenook was passed down to Robin's grandfather and then to her father, John Daniel Jr., a true innovator and wine industry leader who produced legendary wines. In 1995, after years working with other Napa Valley icons (Robert Mondavi, Bill Harlan, Christian Mouiex), Robin's dream of creating her own extraordinary wines set flight when she and her daughters, Erin and Shannon, assembled a multifaceted team of talent and set out on her own by launching Lail Vineyards. Today, the venture carries forward the stories and patina of over 135 years of winemaking into the 21st Century. The family continues its passionate quest to produce the very finest wines from the blend of its ingredients – the land, the seasons, the winemaking team, and the spirit of the generations who led the way.