

# Terre Rouge SAUVIGNON BLANC "NATOMA"

A.V.A. Sierra Foothills

TERRE ROUGE means "Red Earth". This vermillion-colored soil is one of the hallmarks of our region. Our vineyards are in soils that are largely granite and volcanic-based. Wines made from Rhône varietals grown in the rugged and varying terroirs of this region: Syrah, Grenache, Mourvèdre, Viognier, Roussanne, Marsanne. High elevation sites up to 3200' contribute to the complexity of our wines.

Terre Rouge and Easton Wines was founded in the late 80s by husband and wife team Bill Easton and Jane O'Riordan. Bill is one of the original Rhône Rangers and pioneered the Rhône varietals in the Sierra Foothills. He received the Lifetime Achievement Award from the Rhône Rangers in 2016.



### COUNTRY

USA

#### VARIETAL

Sauvignon Blanc

## **SOIL TYPE**

Granitic and sandy loam

#### **VINEYARD**

Chatom Vineyard - Y'Quem Clone Saureel Vineyard - Musqué Clone 1600ft Elevation

#### **HARVEST**

By Hand

# **VINIFICATION**

Whole-cluster pressed
Fermented in stainless steel
Aging 9 monthsFrench oak on lees
NO Maloactic Fermentation

# **TASTING NOTES**

Retains delicious crispness. The complex and exotic fruit flavors suggest among other things: key lime, casaba melon, and papaya. Finish with brisk mineral notes.