

Lail Vineyards



GEORGIA SAUVIGNON BLANC VINTAGE 2013, NAPA VALLEY

ACCOLADES

94 Points

“The 2013 Sauvignon Blanc Georgia, 100% from the Totem Vineyard in Yountville, is also 100% Sauvignon Blanc, but treated identical to the older vintages, being fermented in 100% new French oak, where it was aged an additional 18 months prior to bottling. The wine shows notes of caramelized citrus, a touch of orange rind and marmalade, with medium to full body, beautiful acidity, striking concentration and a long, long finish.”

—Robert Parker, Jr., *The Wine Advocate*

WINEMAKER NOTES

“Our 2013 Georgia has beautiful Sauvignon Blanc Varietal notes, with aromas of lemon meringue, brioche, and citrus peel with hints of passion fruit and honeysuckle. In the mouth the wine is acid driven, floral, rich, and very complex with gorgeous, integrated vanillin oak. With a long and vibrant finish, the wine is immediately pleasurable now, and will improve considerably with time.”

—Philippe Melka, *Winemaker*

PARTNERS | Robin Daniel Lail, Erin Lail, Shannon Lail

VARIETAL | 100% Sauvignon Blanc

VINEYARDS | Totem Vineyard - Yountville

BARREL REGIMEN | 18 months in French oak barrels; 100% new

WINEMAKER | Philippe Melka

OUR STORY

Our story began in 1879 when Robin Daniel Lail's great-granduncle, Gustav 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 Moueix), 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.