



HILL FAMILY
E S T A T E



2023 N.O.T.G.

Production: 59 cases

Composition: 54% Sauvignon Blanc, 35% Albarino and 11% Muscat Canelli

Vineyards: Watson, Beau Terroir and Dunlap

Appellation: Napa Valley

Elevation: Steep hills about 600 ft and rolling hills

Cooperage: Stainless steel

Alcohol: 12.5%, TA 0.80, pH 3.02, 11.1% RS

Bottling date: April 1, 2024

Release date: Summer 2024

Release price: \$48.00

Cool breezes and frequent fog make a late harvest wine possible in Napa County even when other areas of the valley become too warm. Botrytis developed in the Sauvignon Blanc but it was a late season and rain was threatening, so we brought it in with the Muscat Canelli and the last of the Albarino. The fermentation was so pretty that we decided to just make one stainless steel barrel into a dessert wine to see how it turned out.

Winemaker Alison Doran's tasting notes:

The wine is pale straw in color and has a tangy nose with aromas of honey, grapefruit, lime blossom and kaffir lime. The palate is not as rich as past vintages, but has lovely acidity with flavors of osmanthus, dried apricot and Asian pear.