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## 2024 Napa Valley Sauvignon Blanc

**Production:** 605 cases

**Composition:** 99% Sauvignon Blanc and 1% Semillon

**Vineyards:** Watson, Windy Flats, Stewart Ranch and Solano

**Elevation:** Stewart Ranch and Dunlap are slightly below the valley floor, Windy Flats is on hillside slopes, and Watson is on a steep hillside.

**Cooperage:** 90% stainless steel fermented, 10% Acacia and French oak barrel fermented.

**Alcohol:** 13.5%, TA 7.1, pH 3.24

**Bottling date:** December 17, 2024

**Release date:** Winter 2025

**Release price:** \$30.00

The 2024 Napa Valley Sauvignon Blanc is split between 3 lovingly farmed sites. Stewart Ranch with its proximity of the San Pablo Bay, just south of the city of Napa, is a late developing site showing tropical flavors, crisp acidity and cool climate chemistry. Windy Flats is a warmer windier site carved into the eastern facing cliffs of Wooden Valley. Our coolest site, the Watson Vineyard just south of downtown Napa came in a couple of weeks later with fully developed flavors and sugars. 2024 had plenty of rain, saturated soil profiles, and normal bud break in late March, but after a little cold weather, the season warmed up resulting in another early start to harvest.

### **Winemaker Alison Doran's tasting notes:**

The 2024 Napa Valley Sauvignon Blanc expresses freshness and bright fruit, with no perceptible oak character. The delicate aromas reflect the Musque character of this Sauvignon Blanc. Orange blossom, nectarine, and white rose swirl in the glass. Made in an entirely dry style, the white peach and melon flavors create a creamy lingering palate with balanced acidity that caress the finish.