

## **Trois Noix Napa Valley Chardonnay**

COUNTRY REGION GRAPE VINTAGE

United States California 100% Chardonnay 2019

## **ABOUT THE DOMAINE**

Trois Noix is French for 'three nuts', and is a homage to Founder, Jaime Araujo's love of France, and the commitment to using wine as a catalyst for social change. Trois Noix was founded in 2013 and was born out of a lifelong love of wine. Standing on that foundation today, this Estate is a bridge between "Established Napa" and "Next Napa," holding onto that sense of place while inviting as many people as possible to revel in their shared love of wine. While Trois Noix push the boundaries, they retain tradition in their winemaking. They make wines that are enjoyable and pleasurable – fresh, precise, and approachable with structure to last.

## WINEMAKING

In 2019 the Napa Valley experienced a long and mild summer coupled with a nice long string of foggy mornings helped preserve freshness while the fruit enjoyed nice and even ripening. Fermentation in 12% new French oak. This wine has been aged in 100% neutral French oak and stainless steel.

## **TASTING NOTES**

Crafted from a small lot of the historic Muir-Hanna Vineyard in Oak Knoll, the 2019 Trois Noix Chardonnay offers delicate notes of white peach, green apple, and jasmine. This wine has foregone any malolactic fermentation to maintain the fruit's freshness and purity of expression, resulting in a wine with medium body, crisp acidity, and minerality. Though a cold glass is enjoyable on its own, the racy acidity and medium body makes it a perfect pairing for grilled halibut or a creamy risotto.



**TECHNICAL NOTES** 

Alcohol by volume 14.1%

**pH** 3.32