

# ISABEL ESTATE



MARLBOROUGH

## 2023 Like Vines Sauvignon Blanc

**OUR GROWERS RANGE:** This range highlights exceptional single vineyard sites from across our beloved Marlborough. We work with growers who share our dedication in producing the most pure and expressive fruit.

**VINEYARD:** Situated on a river terrace plateau in the Waihopai Valley sits Richard and Ana Laugesans Craiglochart vineyard. Its elevation allows for perfect ripening time on the vine, and its unique terroir produces wonderfully expressive fruit.

**WINEMAKING:** Made and bottled by Isabel Estate. Fermented in stainless steel, prior to aging for 3 months on light lees.

**TASTING NOTE:** Pale lemon in colour. Vibrant aromas of fresh passionfruit, fully ripened citrus, and vibrant lime. Complementing these primary notes are nuances of dried herbs, lemongrass, and a touch of blackcurrant. A densely concentrated palate offers exceptional fruit purity and enduring presence. It delights with its remarkable texture, filling the mouth generously, and concludes with a prolonged and energetic finish.

**FOOD MATCH:** A wonderful choice with herb-driven sauces over chicken, tofu, or fish dishes.

**CELLARING:** Exceptional drinking now but can be cellared for 2-3 years

**WINEMAKER:** Jeremy McKenzie  
**ALC%:** 12.5  
**STANDARD DRINKS:** 7.5

