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Wine is made in their historic 270 year old cellar, but their approach is progressive and innovative: a plant improvement unit ensures that Bosman remains at the forefront of the development of new, clean plant material and varieties; while their vine nursery ensures a continuous supply of healthy rootstock and vines.

Their business model is both holistic and inclusive, fostering self-worth and investing in the potential of everyone.

Faith . Hope & Love

is the Bosman family motto, and it is a philosophy which the extended farm family live by every single day.

UPPER HEMEL-EN-AARDE SAUVIGNON BLANC 2023

In 2001 the family acquired a vineyard in the Upper Hemel-en-Aarde Valley which would supplement their offering with cool climate grapes.

Here the vineyards are planted between fields of indigenous 'fynbos' and in close proximity to the sea.

Ideal soil types combine with cooling breezes to create terroir rivalling the world's best; and resulting in wines with minerality, elegance, vivacity and finesse.

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ORIGIN	Upper Hemel-en-Aarde Valley, South Africa.
VINEYARDS	From our vineyards overlooking Walker Bay, at the foothills of the Babylonstoren mountains. Two different vineyards, one called Murasie (ruin) and a second batch from our newest Sauvignon blanc vineyard. A small addition of a high altitude Semillon is used to lift the blend.
VINTAGE REPORT 2022	This season will be remembered as a constant search for picking windows (always available over weekends) and balancing the risk of rot versus the need for physiological ripeness. Yields were down compared to the previous, above-average crop. When harvesting was possible, outstanding quality was achieved with expectations of balanced wines with lower alcohols, good acidity and high aromatic potential.
WINEMAKING	The cooled grapes are hand-sorted, destemmed and pressed to settle and clear overnight. The settled juice is then inoculated and fermented at cool temperatures to ensure complex compounded flavours that develop over an extended fermentation period. Components are blended two months prior to bottling.
ANALYSIS	Alc: 12.94% R/Sugar: 1.8 g/l TA: 6.8 g/l PH: 3.28
COLOUR	A vibrant green heart with a lime green rim.
NOSE	Mélange of kiwi, gooseberries, fresh passion fruit and white fig.
PALATE	Beautiful mouth feel with a long fruit packed finish.
FOOD	An ideal aperitif but it also pairs well with a green vegetable medley, seafood, goat's cheese or crisp salads.
AGEING POTENTIAL	To be enjoyed 1 to 5 years after the year of vintage.