



# CLOS TROTELIGOTTE, EMMANUEL RYBINSKI VIN DE FRANCE "K-LIBRE" CHENIN BLANC 2015



The family vineyard, entirely replanted in 1987 by Emmanuel's father, is a single block of 29 acres located on the unique plateau of iron-rich limestone of Villesèque, small village situated at an elevation of 1,400 feet.

**Certified organic** since 2014 and **Certified Biodynamic** since 2017.

The name "K-libre" has multiple meanings. First, it follows the visual of the entire line of wines of the estate that are all given names starting or finishing with a "K", the first syllabus of Cahors. Second "Klibre", or "calibre", is the slang for gun, in that case Manu's secret weapon as a wine. As for "1040" it's the temperature of cooking of the red clay to make an amphora. And finally "libre" which means "free", since this wine and all the other under this name are aged in Amphora with no addition of SO2.

SOIL TYPE \_\_\_\_\_

On the plateau of Cahors made of Clay and "Siderolithique" limestone . Iron rich type of soil that gives finesse and texture.

VARIETAL \_\_\_\_\_

100% Chenin Blanc – Yield: 40 hl/H or 2 tons/acre

CULTURE \_\_\_\_\_

Organic treatment such as Trace element, marine algae (Photosynthesis), Orange terpene (Mildiou/Oidium) & sulfur.  
Disbudding in June, Grape removing in July. Natural grass cover between the row. Manual harvesting with parcel selection.

VINIFICATION \_\_\_\_\_

Fermentation at cold temperature with native yeasts and without SO2.  
Ageing on fine lees in red clay amphora during 12 months with no addition of SO2. Only 10mg of SO2 per litter added at the bottling. 250 cases produced.

TASTING NOTES \_\_\_\_\_

This natural wine aged in the most neutral content has everything to express the purest expression of Chenin Blanc. The fruit is ripe and dense yet displaying a bright mineral acidity. Aromas of marzipan and baked apple perfectly balanced by zesty notes. The finish is lengthy and lively.



- From the same Winery :
- "Klibre" Chardonnay 2016
- "Knor" Cahors-Malbec 2018
- "Kor" Cahors-Malbec 2018
- "Klys" Cahors-Malbec 2015
- "K2" Cahors-Malbec 2014

