



**Cynthia Hurley French Wines Introduces Corsican Wines  
to Portfolio with Clos San Quilico**

**West Newton, MA – February 20, 2019** – Cynthia Hurley French Wines, a boutique importer of French Wines, is pleased to announce that it is the United States importer of Clos San Quilico a family-owned domaine in Corsica. Distribution rights will be for Cynthia Hurley French Wines and it's network of distributors beginning in March.

“This is our first venture into Corsica and the first time these wines will be available in the United States. We were impressed with the vibrancy and clarity of their wines.”- Bob Hurley, President Cynthia Hurley French Wines.

Clos San Quilico was founded in 1989 by the families of Orega de Gaffory and Piazza-Alessandrini. The Clos owns 35 hectares in the appellation of Patrimonio, the oldest and most well-known in Corsica. They cultivate the customary varietals of Patrimonio including Niellucio (Sangiovese) and Vermentino. Traditional winemaking practices are followed without the use of fertilizers or chemical pesticides – organic certification is pending. A member of the Vigneron Indépendant; the current winemaker is Philippe Rideau.

“We aim at making wines that are a proud expression of our extraordinary terroir. It all starts in the vines, where we use traditional techniques of cultivation, without any use of synthetic products or irrigation. In the cellar, we tend to limit our intervention to reveal the truth of the vintage.”- Mathieu Piazza-Alessandrini, Principal Clos San Quilico

Cynthia Hurley French Wines will import the following wines from Clos San Quilico Collection “Terroir” AOC Patrimonio: Clos San Quilico Blanc, Clos San Quilico Rouge, and Clos San Quilico Rosé.

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**About Cynthia Hurley French Wines**

For more than twenty-five years Cynthia Hurley French Wines has been importing exceptional wines from nearly every major wine region in France. Selections are artisanal and terroir driven from independent growers who use minimal to no intervention to create outstanding, appellation true wines. For more information, please visit [www.cynthiahurley.com](http://www.cynthiahurley.com).