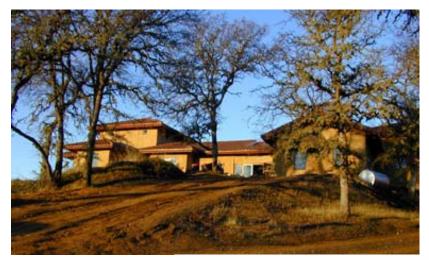
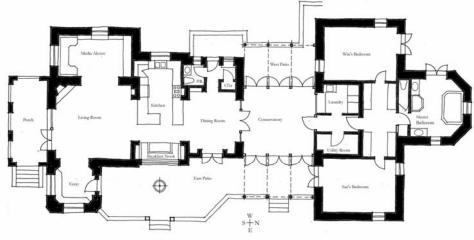


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This house is built with super insulated straw bale walls and a tile roof, the forms inspired by the client's travels in Morocco. The site is expansive, with a range of topographical variation, and a building program that specified that the family members spend a good amount of time on their own. The building plan itself reflects the variety of the site, and provides many places for privacy and contemplation. A special effort was extended to preserve the venerable Blue Oaks near the construction areas.