

ITALY/FRIULI WHITE WINES

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PINOT BIANCO

90 **Russiz Superiore 2004 Riserva Pinot Bianco (Collio); \$30.** This creamy, rich Pinot Bianco will win you over at first sniff thanks to the intensity and purity of its aromas. You'll get peach, apricot, passion fruit, yellow and a light mineral dusting backed by rich concentration. Pair this wine with crustaceans or *risotto con crema di scampi*. Imported by Dalla Terra. **Editors' Choice.** —M.L.