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**Grappa Nonino
Cru Monovitigno® Picolit**
in the “HALL OF FAME”
of the prestigious quarterly
SPIRIT JOURNAL

 **NONINO**
Distillers in Friuli since 1897

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THE HALL OF FAME

To honor on a permanent basis the handful of distillates that go well beyond a five-star rating or, for that matter, an annual favorite spirits list, we're instituting the F. Paul Pacult's Fame. These point-of-reference displayed in category. The F. Paul Hall of Fame will comprise of ice-influenced sippers, reviews we after year for their category. We'll choose no less than 100 members of our TOP honored and life members pantheon of r&l. The first surprise to describe.

HIGHLAND PARK 19 GLENNEYS ISLANDS SINGLE MALT WHISKY (Scotland)

No big surprise here. Since 2005, I've called this whisky the Best Spirit in the World for good reason. It is 100% 100% without any doubt in my mind or my experience the finest distilling I've ever tasted, and time and time again it unambiguously proves it. The quintessential whisky, to put the ultimate expression of the distiller's art and magic. The greatest distillate of the current generation.

F. Paul Pacult's Spirit Journal Hall of Fame Inductee No. 2/ Class of 2011: COUNTRY LIQUEUR (France)

The perfect liqueur in every sense of the word. Delicious served on its own in a small glass and the indispensable ingredient in some of the legendary.

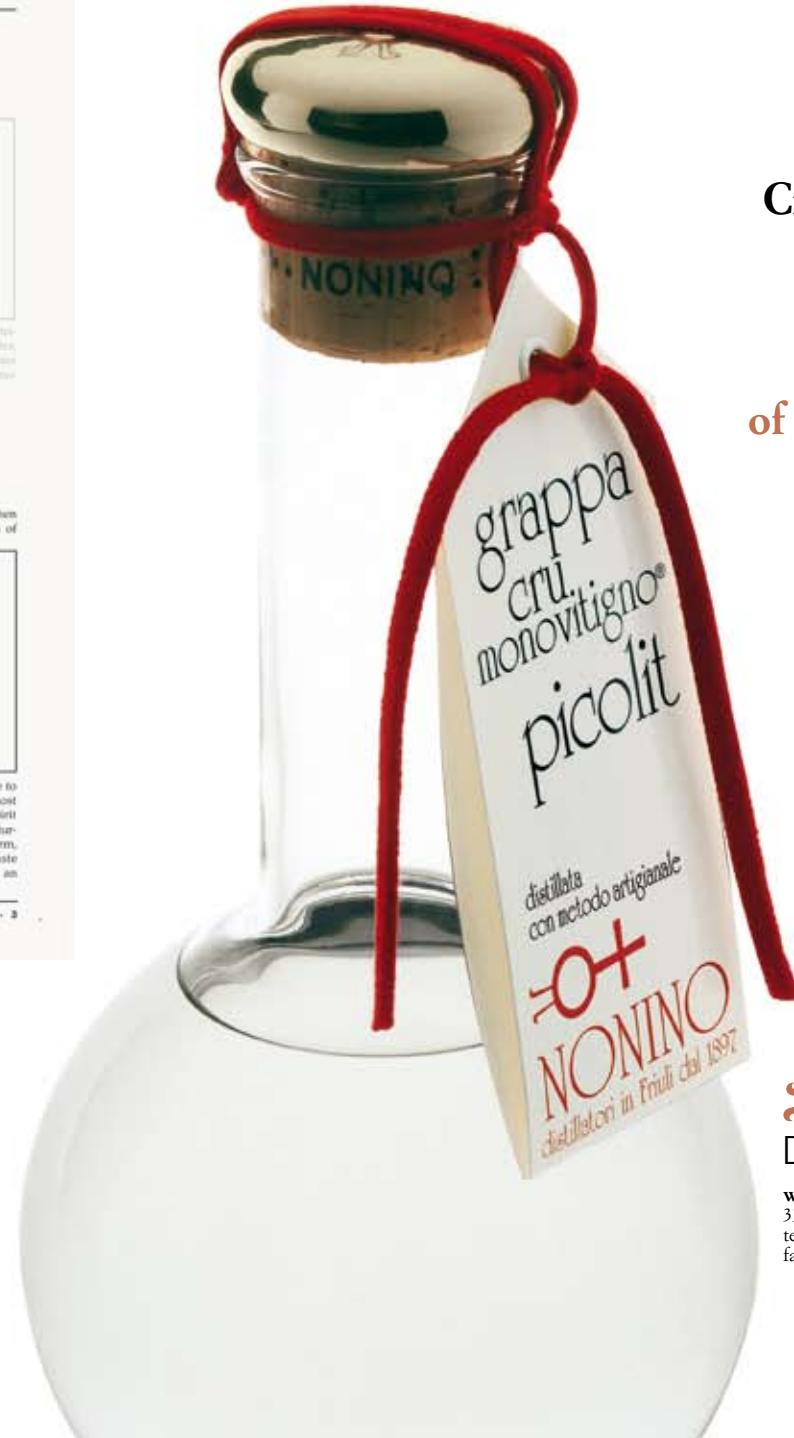
F. Paul Pacult's Spirit Journal Hall of Fame Inductee No. 4/ Class of 2011: NONINO CRU GRAPPA DI MONVITIGNO PICOLIT, COLLI ORIENTALI DE FRIULI (Italy)

Still sends chills down my spine when I taste it. The prototypical grappa of this generation and probably of one to two generations to come. The most harmonious unaged grape-based spirit that I know. Perfection from the alluringly nuanced bouquet to the firm, tight-as-a-drum but bountiful taste that lasts and lasts. Superlative; an elixir of the top echelon.

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F. Paul Pacult, SPIRIT JOURNAL, June 2011



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is the only grappa
in the most prestigious pantheon
of distilled spirits in the world,
which, apart from price, rises
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