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## 2012 Ricci Curbastro Franciacorta Satèn Brut

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Rating

**90**

Release Price

\$48

Drink Date

2017 - 2024

Producer

Ricci Curbastro

From

Italy, Lombardy, Franciacorta

Variety

Chardonnay

Source

Interim End of May, The Wine Advocate

Opening to soft and luscious appeal, the 2012 Franciacorta Satèn Brut (100% Chardonnay) caresses the palate with soft perlage and creamy texture. The bouquet first offers white peach and passion fruit, but it then moves forward to include anise seed, dried herb and white licorice root. The mouthfeel is subdued, but this elegant sparkler leaves its mark nonetheless. It is partially aged in oak for eight months.