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2010 "Laika" Grüner Veltliner

"We launched our first Veltliner with the ambition to make a wine that would define a new generation of Northern Michigan white wines. We began with an exceptional vineyard site, an unknown clone, and abiding respect for the great wines of the Donau. "Laika" is our test pilot for a style of wine that we hope will lead ever upwards as the vines mature and our experience deepens.

Winemaker Notes:

Second Edition: This is our second vintage producing Grüner Veltliner, and we are happy to report that it retains the same beguiling "peppery" aroma and flavor that made our inaugural 2009 Laika such a hit. The 2010 is from a much warmer vintage, and was fermented to near dryness to match the riper flavors and softer acidity. At recent wine dinners this wine has paired remarkably well with delicately citrus flavored dishes such as lemon infused Venetian bread and Leek and Lentil Terrine with Wild Sorrel.

<i>Year:</i>	2010	
<i>Appellation:</i>	Old Mission Peninsula	
<i>Vineyard:</i>	100% Bailiwick	
<i>Varietal:</i>	100% Grüner Veltliner	
<i>Harvest Analysis:</i>	<i>Harvest Date:</i>	October 8, 2010
	<i>Titrateable Acidity:</i>	6.0 g/l
	<i>Harvest Sugar:</i>	21.2° Brix
	<i>Harvest pH:</i>	3.18
	<i>Bottle Analysis:</i>	<i>Alcohol:</i>
	<i>Residual Sweetness:</i>	3.0 g/l
	<i>Titrateable Acidity:</i>	6.00 g/l
	<i>Bottle pH:</i>	3.45
	<i>Bottling Date:</i>	October 8, 2011
	<i>Cases Produced:</i>	142 Cases
<i>Wine Maker:</i>	Sean O'Keefe	
<i>UPC Code:</i>	0 83161- 20093 9	

