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Bianca clutched an organic arrangement of eucalyptus and white ranunculus.

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Homemade lamb chops and an array of indulgent desserts were served during the ballroom reception, along with a classic vanilla cake baked specifically for the bride and groom. As a nod to their shared love of travel, every rustic farm table was named for a city beloved by both Bianca and Aaron.



**BIANCA & AARON'S
WEDDING INGREDIENTS**

- CEREMONY & RECEPTION SITE** Bay Harbor Yacht Club, Bay Harbor
- PHOTOGRAPHY** Clane Gessel Photography
- VIDEOGRAPHY** Everly Films
- DESIGNER & PLANNER** Sealed With A Kiss Events
- FLOWERS** BLOOM Floral Design
- OFFICIANT** Nick Twomey **GOWN** Galia Lahav, Bergdorf Goodman, New York City
- HAIR & MAKEUP** Inn at Bay Harbor
- VEIL** Galia Lahav
- SHOES** Manolo Blahnik
- ENGAGEMENT RING** Lavdas Jewelry
- WEDDING RINGS** Boone & Sons Jewelers
- JEWELRY** French Jewelry, Inc.
- BRIDESMAID DRESSES** Various
- MENSWEAR** Groom: Robert Talbot; groomsmen: TheBlackTux.com
- STATIONERY** Rosely Calligraphy
- RENTALS** A Touch of Whimsy Events; Gala Rentals
- CATERING** Bay Harbor Yacht Club
- CAKE & DESSERTS** Simply Sweet By Jessica
- MUSIC** Double Trouble DJs; Lindon Gjellaj
- FAVORS** Ghirardelli Chocolate Company
- TRANSPORTATION** Bay to Bay Shuttle
- HONEYMOON** Ball
- GUESTS** 190
- BUDGET** \$\$\$\$\$ (see key, p. 8)

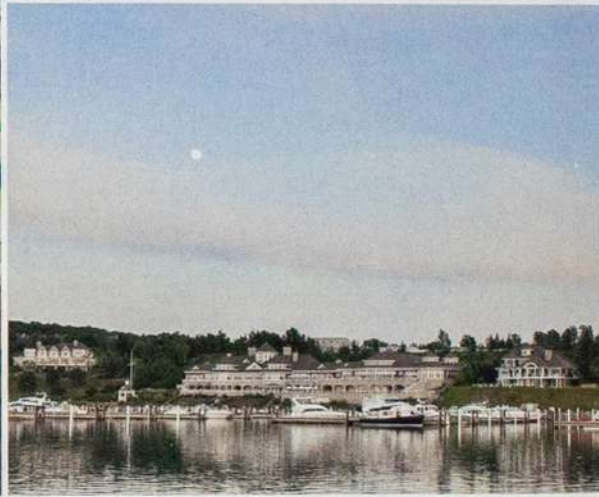
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THEIR STORY

BRIDE Bianca Moiseff, 27, a medical student **GROOM** Aaron Palushaj, 26, a professional hockey player **HOW THEY MET** As undergraduates at the University of Michigan **WEDDING STYLE** The couple channeled the feel of a California vineyard using an abundance of greenery and candlelight. —RS

With the help of his father, Aaron built a ceremonial wood cross flanked by two whiskey barrels. There, the college sweethearts exchanged vows before inviting guests to celebrate with Albanian dance music and oysters by the hundreds.



For his walk down the aisle, the couple's ring bearer carried a sign that read "If you don't take her, I will."



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