Comp Photography Assignment #1

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“Sunset at Wanake Ranch”

Details of the Picture

- A Caption:
  - “Sunset at Wanake Ranch”
- Location/Time/Context (ie. what is it?):
  - *July 10, 2014 at the Wanake Ranch in Beach City, OH*
  - *Obviously a sunset, but a peculiarly beautiful one*

What was the goal?

- What were you trying to capture?
  - *The sunset was especially beautiful that evening, and I wanted to remember it*
- Did you succeed?
  - *I believe the picture is one of the best I have taken, so yes, I think I succeeded*
- Did you do anything special ?
  - *No, just happened to be at the right place at the right time. When I uploaded it, Google found a cool filter that made the picture look even better*

Discuss the shot

- Did you plan the shot? Tell us about it?
  - *I did not plan the shoot. My wife and I were feeding the horses this evening and I captured this marvelous sunset, masked by clouds and framed by gentle rolling hills*
- How many pictures of the same scene did you take? Why did you choose to share this one?
  - *One. It is a beautiful picture and one that I won't get tired of looking at if we use it for the remainder of this course.*
- Did you do any post-processing? (ie. used some computer app to improve the picture?)
  - *Not intentionally. When the photo-backup occurred, Google automatically applied a nice filter and added a border*

What else can be done?

- What else would you have done to make this picture better?
  - *The extraneous features (car, building, trees) could have been removed to better show the landscape, but otherwise I don't think much could have been done. I am quite content with the shot.*
- Do you wish there was some computational photography process that you can use to make it better (or worse?).
  - *If there were software to remove the building and the trees so I could have gotten a better view of the sunset, that would be amazing.*

Any other details.

- Feel free to share other thoughts associated with this picture.