Vineyard Notes
This wine was named “Romancer” by my iPhone. Originally, we purchased fruit from Rominger Vineyard for this blend. One day while walking the vineyard and taking notes on my iPhone about different varieties, it kept autocorrecting Rominger to “Romancer”. I tried to correct my phone, but it insisted that I was the one who was mistaken, and that “Romancer” was what I really meant. I can take a hint from the universe, so the blend of the three varieties was deemed “Romancer,” and amorous it is. The Romancer is a blend of equal parts of Malbec, Mourvèdre, and Petit Verdot, all from Heringer Vineyard located in Clarksburg. This vineyard is a family-run operation that is seven generations strong.

Production
Production Notes:
Pick Date: 10/16/17
Yeast: M2
Fermentation: Co-fermented in a stainless steel tank
Malolactic: Elios 1
Bottled: 7/2018

Winemaker Comments
Dayyyyum. This vintage of the Romancer screams Bordeaux. It tastes more like Malbec and Petit Verdot with the Mourvèdre doing some nice things for the structure of the wine. This is totally my favorite vintage of this wine, and it had a little bottle aging time too for all those flavors to come together. This unique blend boasts aromas of blackberry, cherry, sage, and plum, with a bouquet of graham cracker, cocoa puffs, pipe tobacco, and flavors that confirm the aromas and bouquet. Please enjoy this wine with someone you love.

Technical Specifications
Appellation
Clarksburg
Composition
34% Malbec
33% Mourvèdre
33% Petit Verdot
Alcohol
14.26%
PH
3.61
Total Acidity
0.58g / 100ml
Barrels
100% neutral French oak
Release Date
November 2019
Suggested Retail
$35