

meredith & michael

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photography by Brian Marcus

the reception

The reception unfolded in the open-air dining room at the vineyard estate.

The short, low centerpieces featured peonies in all shades of pink and other filler flowers. The arrangements were placed in low white containers in the middle of each table.

the gown

Meredith wore a strapless fitted gown made of all-white Belgian lace.



their story

A mutual friend introduced Meredith Fleming (now 33 and a director of sales development) and Michael King (now 46 and a director of research) at the gym outside of a spin class one day. A few months later, Michael bumped into the same friend and learned that Meredith had broken her nose. Taking the opportunity to woo her, Michael sent her flowers, and when Meredith called to thank him, he offered her dinner. For Meredith's birthday a while later, the couple took a trip to California. After dinner on their veranda, Michael ordered champagne, reached into his pocket, and proposed with a ring that had traveled from coast to coast. Three years to the day after their first meeting, the couple married at a Long Island winery. —Anja Winikka



the boutonniere
Michael's boutonniere was white stephanotis with lamb's ear.

the cake
The mouthwatering cake was a four-tiered, fondant and buttercream cake inspired by the fabric used on the tables. Pretty, pink sugar peonies adorned the bottom and top tiers.

the invitations
Invitation booklets described the wedding weekend festivities. The Tuscan-looking invite colors were brown and white with pink and pale blush accents and merlot lettering. >>



the ceremony décor

Meredith and Michael exchanged vows in the middle of the vineyard. The chairs for the guests were a rattan style, and the first three rows were swagged with peonies and raspberry pink ribbons.

the bridesmaid dresses

The three bridesmaids wore pink, silk dupioni dresses in varying shades and styles for the day. To tie together the look, each maid carried a pink peony bouquet, hand-tied with a pink silk ribbon.

the ring pillow

The ring bearer carried the wedding bands down the aisle on a custom-made pillow created from the same fabric as the table runners at the reception. >>



style notes

The color scheme was based on Meredith's favorite flowers—pink peonies. Most of the wedding day elements took on a raspberry sorbet color, while many of the accent colors were neutrals and pale pinks.



the bridal bouquet

Meredith carried down the aisle a lush cluster of her favorite flowers—peonies—tightly bound with a pink ribbon.

the menus

The menus coordinated with the rest of the wedding day stationery and were set atop each plate.

the cocktail hour

Benches set in the vineyard were covered with coordinating fabric and held a few simple pillows for guests to sit on during the cocktail hour and reception. >>



