



Potted Rose Bushes

* Indicates Superior Hardiness

Climbing Roses

America™: Large, coral pink with a strong and **spicy fragrance**. Climbs 8'-10'

Blaze: The most popular climbing rose. Produces abundant clusters of pure red flowers. Blooms on old and new wood. Light **fragrance**. Climbing canes reach 12-14'.

Cloud 10™: A white, reblooming climber. Black spot resistant and dark green foliage.

***Cherry Frost™:** A zone 4 hardy climber with beautiful clusters of smaller dark red blooms. Own rootstock with superior disease resistance.

Don Juan: Large red velvety flowers. Best dark red, fragrant climber, with glossy green foliage. Blooms on old and new wood. Strong **fragrance**. Climbing canes reach 12-14'.

Eden®: Large, soft pink blooms, dark green foliage. Repeat bloomer with a **mild fragrance**. Climbs 10'-12'

Fruity Petals™: Large, prolific blooms, slightly scented, great disease resistance, and winter hardiness. Bushy climber at 6.5'.

Golden Showers: Considered one of the best climbers. **Very fragrant** yellow blooms. Rich green foliage. Climbing canes reach 6-8'.

Good Day Sunshine™: Beautiful, deep yellow blooms that just won't quit, in large ruffled clusters. A yellow climber that will make a good day.

Lavender Crush™: Grape to lavender colored flowers with a white reverse. **Intense fragrance**.

***New Dawn:** Large, double, **fragrant**, cameo pink flowers that fade to a creamy white. Blooms primarily on old wood. Climbing canes reach 18-20'.

Raspberry Cream Twirl™: The first striped climber with a classic rose exhibition type flower. Above average disease resistance.

Zephrine Drouhin: **Thornless** climber with eye-catching cerise-pink blossoms. Beautiful old rose **fragrance**. Heavy blooms in spring and fall. Tolerates some shade. Climbing canes reach 10-12'.

Garden Roses

A selection of Hybrid Teas, Floribundas and Grandifloras

Hybrid Tea: Produce single blooms on long stems throughout the summer.

The roses most suited for cutting.

Floribunda: Produce bunches of blooms throughout the summer months.

Dense and full, great for landscape color.

Grandiflora: Combo of both Hybrid Teas and Floribunda.

Multi-purpose plants great for cutting and landscape.

Angel Face: (Floribunda) Large, double, high centered to open flowers. A very **fragrant** rose. Deep mauve/lavender clusters. Glossy dark foliage. Low Height.

Bolero™: (Floribunda) Strong **fragrance** of traditional rose mixed with tropical fruit. Disease resistant foliage. Great cutting rose.

Burgundy Iceberg™: (Floribunda) Lasting supply of purple-red blossoms with cream reverse. Mild honey **fragrance**. Great color and contrast in the garden, will attract birds and butterflies. Medium height.

Chicago Peace: (Hybrid Tea) Large, well formed, fully open flowers of glowing pink with canary yellow and a slightly fruity fragrance.

Dolly Parton: (Hybrid Tea) Large red orange flowers. Intoxicating fragrance. Bushy repeat bloomer.

Double Delight™: (Hybrid Tea) A perfectly shaped, spice scented hybrid tea featuring yellow and red bi-colored flowers.

Dream Come True™: (Grandiflora) Big, vigorous, bushy plant with long-stemmed yellow blooms edged in ruby red. Bushes to all ruby on finish.

Elle®: (Hybrid Tea) Tall stems make this one great for cutting. Strong fragrance. Resistant to mildew and black spot.

Enchanted Peace™: (Hybrid Tea) Compact, disease resistant, bi-color flowers. Dark green glossy foliage.

Eternal Flame™: (Hybrid Tea) Soft buttery yellow. Strong fragrance. Good disease resistance.

Fragrant Cloud: (Hybrid Tea) Deep coral red-orange double blossoms. Strong sweet, spice, and rose **fragrance**. Dark green glossy foliage.

Gingersnap: (Floribunda) Brilliant yellow orange flowers with a ruffled edge. Dark green foliage.

***Iceberg:** (Floribunda) Big clusters of clear white blooms all season. Easy care, disease resistant. Medium/tall height.

Intrigue: (Floribunda) Deep purple-red buds open to medium sized plum, colored flowers. Strong citrus **fragrance**.

John F. Kennedy: (Hybrid Tea) Elegant buds have a greenish hue in early development. Large, double white flowers are great for cutting. Leathery foliage. Profuse **fragrant** blooms. Medium height.

Julia Child™: (Floribunda) Beautiful double yellow flowers, with very glossy dark green foliage. Strong **fragrance** and disease resistance,

King's Ransom: (Hybrid Tea) Urn shaped buds open to large, pure yellow, double flowers. Light, fruity **fragrance**. Neat, busy habit. Great for beds, hedges, and borders.

Love: (Grandiflora) Two toned, scarlet red – white. Dark green foliage and a slight rose **fragrance**.

Mister Lincoln: (Hybrid Tea) Velvety, rich red flowers. Strong damask **scent**. Blooms throughout the growing season. Very vigorous grower. Tall Height.

Nicole Carol Miller: (Grandiflora) Pale lavender and intense mauve flowers. Strong citrus fragrance.

Oklahoma: (Hybrid Tea) Enormous, double blossoms in a deep, black-red hue. Strong rose **fragrance**. Vigorous, ability to grow 7 feet high in one season.

Peace: (Hybrid Tea) Very large lemon, yellow edges on a pure pink blossom. Mild fruit **fragrance**. Compact habit.

Pinkerbelle™: (Hybrid Tea) Light cream and pink color with a spicy verbena **fragrance**. Superior disease resistance.

Queen Elizabeth: (Grandiflora) Clear pink flowers with a moderate tea fragrance. Tall upright form.

Sentimental™: (Floribunda) Burgundy-red flowers swirled with creamy white. Strong, sweet spice **fragrance**.

Stiletto™: (Hybrid Tea) Deep magenta t=color tht doesn't fade. Green and glossy foliage. Own rootstock.

Summer Romance™: (Floribunda) Cup shaped, dark pink flowers. Very double. A very vigorous, bushy rose, with a complex fragrance.

The McCartney Rose®: (Hybrid Tea) Massive, deep rosy pink blooms with medium green foliage and a strong scent of spice.

Tropicana: (Hybrid Tea) Large, double, well-formed and very **fragrant** flowers of coral/orange color. Great for cutting. Dark glossy foliage. Vigorous. Very free blooming. Medium height.

Voodoo: (Hybrid Tea) Very large orange, pink, and reddish flowers on single stems. Flower can be 5-6" in size! Moderate **fragrance**.

Landscape Shrub Roses

At Last®: Proven Winner rose with a nonstop display of flowers in an apricot tone. Sweetly perfumed.

Bonica®: Pure pink, double blossoms with a light **fragrance**. Drought tolerant. Voted *World's Favorite Rose 1997*.

Easy Elegance® Grandma's Blessing: Large full dusty pink blooms on a symmetrical vase shaped form.

Easy Elegance® High Voltage: Clusters of fragrant, double yellow blossoms on upright vase shaped plant.

***The Fairy:** Small, ruffled, double pink flowers. Mild apple **fragrance**. Excellent choice for a low hedge in sunny areas.

Icecap™: Dense flush of pure white flowers on a compact, rounded shrub. Repeat blooming and disease resistant.

***Knock Out®:** Continual clusters of deep cherry red flowers throughout the summer. Drought tolerant, disease resistant, even resistant to Japanese beetles. A most carefree rose.

***Double Knock Out®:** Loads of pinkish-red flowers. Outstanding disease resistance.

***Pink Double Knock Out®:** Many double pink flowers. Free Flowering.

***Pink Knock Out®:** Continuous, powerful pink blooms. Easy Care.

***Sunny Knock Out®:** Bright yellow blooms on compact shrub. Light **fragrance**.

***Pink Pavement:** This Rugosa hybrid has salmon pink, semi-double, fragrant flowers. Dark green, rugosa type foliage on a healthy shrub with a compact spreading habit.

***Purple Pavement:** A low growing rugosa rose with purple flowers and red rose hips in the fall. Rounded habit.

***Rosa rugosa:** Pink large, single flowers, that blooms almost continuously. Large red rose hips. Very **fragrant**, very hardy. Good seaside plant.

***Rosa rugosa Alba:** White large single flowers. Blooms in the spring with sporadic blooms throughout the summer. Large red rose hips. **Fragrant**, very hardy. Good Seaside plant.

Tequila® Supreme: Orange and pink aging to copper on scalloped petals. Continuous flowering.

Sunblaze Miniature Roses

A superb selection of miniature rose varieties from Star Roses and Plants Hardy and easy to grow, these compact roses bloom from spring until fall. They perform well when used as a border and are spectacular in containers.

Rainbow Sunblaze®: Covers itself with small buds that have a bright yellow cast with red undertones, transforming into stunning orange-red when open.

Red Sunblaze®: Vigourous, upright, and freely branching plantys create a spectacular hedge. Vivid red color.

Yellow Sunblaze®: Bright yellow blooms. Winter hardy with a vigorous growth habit. Blooms spring through fall.

Tree Roses

Beautiful specimens for patio or deck containers. Also a stunning garden focal point.
Special care needed for over-wintering.

Coral Knock Out®: Unique coral color on upright, rounded form.

Double Delight: A perfectlyu shaped, spice scented hybris tea featuring yellow and red bi-color flowers.

Double Knock Out®: Deep cherry red blossoms on a compact rounded form.

Mr.Lincoln: Classic, deep, velvety red blooms, with a strong damask fragrance. Tall upright form.

Drift Roses ®

Finally a perfect mix of groundcover and mini roses that out perform both! These tough roses are disease resistant, winter hardy and bloom continuously from spring to frost. Great choice for small gardens and containers.

Buttercream Drift®: Light yellow flowers with cuplike petals. Compact, rounded habit. 1.5' H X 2.5 W

Coral Drift®: Deep, coral-orange, double blossoms. Mounding habit with 3' spread.

Peach Drift®: Soft peach double blooms. Tough, hardy and disease resistant.

David Austin English Roses

Nationally recognized for quality, these classic roses are heavy petaled with strong fragrance, unusual colors and modern hardiness.

Bathsheba™: Apricot-yellow buds open to shallowly cupped, many petalled rosettes. They are a beautiful blend of subtle apricot-pink and soft yellow, giving the overall impression of apricot, with creamy outer petals.

Benjamin Britten®: Deep pink changing to red, deeply cupped flowers. Fruity fragrance with aspects of wine and pear. Dense, upright shrub.

Carding Mill®: Apricot-orange flower with a myrrh fragrance.

Charles Darwin: Large, yellow, cupped blooms with a strong and delicious fragrance. Vigorous and disease resistant.

Desdemona: Peachy pink buds open to white. Fragrance has hints of almond blossom and lemon zest. Neat round and bushy form.

Eustacia Vye: Soft glowing apricot pink. Medium shrub form. Strong fruity fragrance.

Gabriel Oak: Large blossoms are striking dark pink. Strong fruity fragrance.

Gertrude Jeckyll®: Early flowering, bright pink, strong old rose fragrance.

Golden Celebration®: Magnificent, cupped, golden yellow blooms. Delicious tea scent with hints of Sauternes wine and strawberry. An award-winning variety.

Graham Thomas®: Large, vibrant yellow, fully double blossoms. Strong tea and fruit fragrance.

James L. Austin: Large deep pink rosettes, each with a button eye. Light-medium strength fruity fragrance. Neat and tidy shrub with a bushy, upright habit.

James Galway®: Vigorous upright growth, climbing habit.

Lady Gardener®: Pure apricot flowers with a lovely tea fragrance. Has hints of cedarwood and vanilla.

Lady of Shallot: Chalice shaped salmon pink petals, with a hint of gold. Can be used as a climber. Light clove **fragrance**.

Molineaux: Rich yellow flower with a musky fragrance. Shrub form.

Munstead Wood: Deep, velvety crimson blossoms with a strong Old Rose **fragrance**. Fruity notes of blackberry, blueberry and damson.

Queen of Sweden: A charming rose with soft pink, cup-shaped flowers. Elegant with a classic myrrh fragrance. Exceptionally healthy and disease resistant.

Roald Dahl: Soft orange red buds open to medium sized apricot blossoms. Fruity tea scent.

Sceptor d'Isle: Numerous cupped, light pink flowers. Strong myrrh fragrance.

Silas Marner®: Soft medium pink flower. Shrub form. Old rose fragrance.

St. Swithun: Short vigorous climber. Large saucer like blooms. Soft frilly pink.

Teasing Georgia®: Free-flowering climber, which blooms into fall. Rich yellow, fading to a pale yellow.

Tess of the D'Urbervilles®: Large, bright crimson blooms. Good Old Rose **fragrance**. Flowers freely from early in the season.

The Albrighton Rambler®: A repeat-flowering rambler bearing sprays of small soft pink cup-shaped flowers. Light musky scent.

The Alnwick Rose®: Rick pink buds opening to soft pink blooms, scented with a hint of raspberry and Old Rose.

Vanessa Bell™: Yellow fading to white edges. Green tea **fragrance** with hints of lemon and honey. Bushy, and upright habit.

Windermere: Creamy yellow fading to white blossoms. Rounded buds open to cupped flowers.

Some varieties may not be available at certain times of the season.
Additionally, we may stock varieties that do not appear on this list.

Rose Planting Instructions

Dig a large hole, at least twice as wide as the pot. This will allow for easy establishment of new roots. It is recommended to perform a soil test to determine what amendments your soil needs. You can add compost to your soil without soil test results. Add a 1 inch layer, or 2 inches if your soil is very sandy or lacking organic matter. Thoroughly mix the compost with existing soil. To remove the plant from pot, place one hand on top of soil. Turn pot upside down. Grasp bottom of pot and lift up, cleanly removing pot from soil.

After carefully removing the root ball from the plastic pot, set in at the proper depth so the soil will cover the bud union by 1-2", or so the soil remains at the same level as it did when potted.

Spread a 2-3" layer of mulch around the plant, tapering towards the base of the plant. Mulching suppresses weeds and retains even moisture. Water slowly and deeply once a week unless we have received 1 inch of rain. Cut off faded blooms to promote greater flower development.

In winter, after the ground has frozen, mulch up with a mound 8-12" high to protect from winter damage.

Rose Pruning Guidelines

All roses should be pruned in early spring, after the first buds have begun to swell, to remove any dead, damaged or diseased branches. Weak and crossing stems may also be pruned at this time. Be careful about timing because a late frost may kill new growth. If you are unable to tell if a branch is alive simply scratch the surface. If the layers below are green it is living, if it is brown cut the stem back as far to the ground, or living branch, as you are able. You may also prune throughout the growing season as you deadhead or cut flowers for bouquets. When you deadhead the spent blooms the plants energy will be used to produce new buds. Always stop pruning 6 weeks before the first fall frost date to help the plant go dormant.

Pruning is done to provide good air circulation and create strong stems and good form. With old garden rose, shrub rose, ramblers, or climbers pruning time depends on whether or not flowers are produced on new or old growth. If it flowers at the tips of the stems it most likely produces on new canes. For those that produce on old growth wait until after flowering to prune, wait until climbers and ramblers are at least three years old to prune (unless removing damaged or diseased stems).

For roses which bloom on new growth prune in early spring. A heavy pruning removes all but 3-5 canes. These canes are then cut back to leave only three buds remaining. With a heavy pruning you will stimulate new growth and your rose bush will produce larger blossoms. A light pruning leaves 5-7 canes, 18"-24" tall. This will create more, but smaller, flowers. Generally, for hybrid teas, grandifloras, floribundas, and miniatures removing only one third to one half of the plant's growth is the best method.

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