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Another Star in our Crown

GERMAIN'S OF CALIFORNIA PROUDLY PRESENTS

Starfire
1959 ALL-AMERICA ROSE WINNER

Starfire, ALL-America Rose Selection Winner for 1959, is unique among red roses...its unusual currant-red color is sun-fast—will never fade...its brilliant urn-shaped buds open into distinctive perfectly contoured flowers...possesses unique luminous quality which gives texture and depth to each velvety petal. Blossoms abundantly against a background of bronzy green foliage. Flowers occur singly on long cutting stems...or in clusters. Stems from 6 to 12 inches long make it ideally suited for cut-flower use. Starfire continues to be fluorescently lovely even when fully open. Often lasts 8 to 12 days. Starfire...in every way...the rose lover's rose.

Starfire
U.S. Plant Pat. 1742
A LAMMERTS' CREATION

Also other outstanding roses offered in unusual celestial collections that are "Out of this world."

JUPITER I COLLECTION
Starfire is now offered in a collection...this fabulous 1959 All-America winner...along with 2 other outstanding Lammers' creations. WINNERS ALL!

Starfire...brilliant red
Sun Valley...glowing yellow
Queen Elizabeth...radiant pink

NF7703

ALL 3 ONLY $7.35
($8.50 value)

JUPITER II COLLECTION
Another radiant rocket collection featuring Starfire...fabulous new red rose. An ideal trio for rose collectors. (Perfect gift for a favorite friend.)

Starfire
Golden Showers
Queen Elizabeth

NF7701

ALL 3 ONLY $7.60
($8.75 value)

Starfire
Featured daily on "Queen for a Day," outstanding daytime television and radio program.

$3.50 each
3 for $9.30

Spring 1959—GERMAIN'S, INC.
Los Angeles, Calif.
GREAT
Brilliant
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A.A.R.S. Winner
GREATST RED ROSE IN AMERICA
CHRYSLER IMPERIAL
(U.S. Plant Pat. 1167) A.A.R.S. Winner 1953
AMERICA'S FIRST TRULY RED ROSE
The Chrysler Imperial Rose is unmatched by any other red rose. Its vivid, rich tones of crimson are enhanced by darker overtones of glowing oxblood red, and the gem-like lustre of garnet in the folds retains its sparkling beauty.
Long, tapering buds unfold even in adverse weather, opening to large, high-centered flowers measuring 4 1/2 to 5 inches with 40 to 50 wide petals. These are borne on sturdy, medium long stems. The opening of each glorious rose is a thrilling spectacle of changing, iridescent shades of red.
The flowers are very sweetly scented with true rose fragrance, borne singly on perfect cutting stems lasting up to one week when cut, even in warm weather. In growth, Chrysler Imperial Rose is compact and symmetrical. Its abundant dark green, semi-glossy, disease resistant foliage gives the bush the appearance of a handsome garden shrub.
NS8209
$2.50 Each
3 for $6.60

SUN VALLEY
(U.S. Plant Pat. 1133)
WARMEST, RICHEST, MOST RADIANT
YELLOW EVER CAPTURED IN A ROSE
SYMBOLIZING THE BREATHTAKING
BEAUTY OF FAMED SUN VALLEY
At last—in “Sun Valley”—Germain's presents the warmest, richest, most vibrant yellow ever captured in a rose. Rose growers, from coast to coast, in conclusive trials, have found “Sun Valley” the purest, non-fading yellow rose—and one that holds its pure color better—than any yellow rose they have seen.
For masses of dazzling sunshine in your garden all season—and long-lasting brilliant yellow bouquets—“Sun Valley” should be a “must.”
NS8253
$2.50 Each
3 for $6.60

ROSES MAKE
IDEAL GIFTS
—PERFECT
FOR ANY
OCCASION

QUEEN ELIZABETH
(U.S. Plant Pat. 1259)
A Lammer's Creation
THE QUEEN WON THEM ALL
Gertrude M. Hubbard Gold Medal; National Rose Society of England—Gold Medal and President’s Trophy; Bureau of Parks—City of Portland; Japan Rose Society’s Gold Medal.
1959 All America Winner
THE ROSE THAT CREATED A NEW CLASS
WORLD'S ONLY A.A.R.S. GRANDIFLORA WINNER
A new breathtaking color in roses—combining Soft Carmine Rose and Dawn Pink! IMAGINE! BOTH ON ONE BUSH! Flowers borne regally single on long straight stems, and gorgeous clusters of blooms as well! Even the bloom clusters have stems long enough so that the flowers can be used individually in vases, flower arrangements, etc. The entire bush is gloriously clothed right to the ground with glossy, deep green foliage.
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SAN GABRIEL (U.S. Plant Pat. 860)
Long pointed buds of glowing salmon with a heavy overlay of tangerine orange and fire red. Distinct saffron yellow at the base of each petal.

59428 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.60

MOJAVE (U.S. Plant Pat. 1176) 1956 A.A.R.S. WINNER
Exciting Hybrid Tea rose with thrilling radiant orange colored flowers. Produces large tapering buds which are pleasantly fragrant.

56328 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

SAN FERNANDO (U.S. Plant Pat. 785) ALL-AMERICA ROSE SELECTION WINNER 1948
A magnificent rose of glowing currant red with blooms of unusually heavy texture—on tall erect stems.

58428 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.60

HELEN TRAUBEL (U.S. Plant Pat. 1028) ALL-AMERICA WINNER FOR 1952
A blend of warm pink and luminous apricot with a bright undertone of near orange. Magnificent buds—long and graceful. Often 6 inches across.

54228 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG (U.S. Plant Pat. 445) ALL-AMERICA WINNER 1941
Lovely pointed buds of spectrum-red open to flowers of brilliant rose-pink. Petals edged with a silver line.

57028 $2.25 Each 3 for $5.90

WHITE KNIGHT (U.S. Plant Pat. 1359) 1958 A.A.R.S. WINNER
THE FIRST WHITE HYBRID TEA EVER AWARDED THE A.A.R.S. HONOR. Medium long, pointed buds open to high-centered blooms 4 to 5 inches in diameter. Petals of the purest white are retained without spot or blemish.

50628 $3.00 Each 3 for $7.85

MISSION BELLS (U.S. Plant Pat. 923)
An amazing rose! Excelling in size and vigor. The large, tapering, salmon buds open to perfect, high-centered blooms of brilliant, clear salmon-pink. ALL-AMERICA WINNER.

54328 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

PEACE (U.S. Plant Pat. 591)
One of the most glorious and sensational roses of all times. The big canary-yellow buds open to five-inch flowers that turn to alabaster white with picotee cerise edges. ALL AMERICA WINNER.

59328 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

PEACE

RAINBOW ROCET EIGHT I COLLECTION
Mojave San Gabriel San Fernando Helen Traubel
Charlotte Armstrong White Knight Mission Bells Peace
50348 ALL 8 ONLY $16.35 ($18.75 value)

RAINBOW JET IV COLLECTION
Charlotte Armstrong Peace White Knight Mission Bells
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San Gabriel San Fernando Mojave Helen Traubel
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Mission Bells

OUR SPECIAL SELECTION OF THE WORLD’S FINEST HYBRID TEAS

A RAINBOW

A RIOT OF
OOMS

CAPISTRANO (U.S. Plant Pat. 922)
All-America Award Winner for 1950. Beautiful long tapered buds of bright cherry-red open to immense, long-lasting, perfect blooms of clear sparkling rose-pink.
5028 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

NOCTURNE (U.S. Plant Pat. 713)
The color is bright cardinal-red, with intriguing darker shadings of Chrysanthemum-ee-sms. All-America Winner.
8328 $2.25 Each 3 for $5.50

SAN LUIS REY (U.S. Plant Pat. 890)
A treasure of golden loveliness. Long pointed buds of guinea gold. Tea scented.
6028 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.60

YOUR TRULY (U.S. Plant Pat. 677)
Fully double flowers of glowing rose-pink, deepening on the inside to bright rose, and enhanced by a rich golden tinge at the base. Long stems.
1628 $1.50 Each 3 for $3.90

FORTY-NINER (U.S. Plant Pat. 792) ALL-AMERICA WINNER 1949
The most brilliant of all bicolors. Inside, the petals are a vivid Orient red. Outside, chrome to straw yellow.
7128 $2.25 Each 3 for $5.90

SLEIGH BELLS (U.S. Plant Pat. 1004)
Rose growers have been looking for a good white rose that would have free flowering qualities, and plenty of vigor. Sleigh Bells gives us the answer.
5128 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

ROSE MARIE REID (U.S. Plant Pat. 1487)
An exceptionally tall, vigorous growing Hybrid Tea which bears large quantities of very double flowers. The beautifully shaped buds—long and full—open to a soft dawn-pink. These long-lasting flowers measure 6 to 15 inches across.
6428 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.00

SUTTER'S GOLD (U.S. Plant Pat. 885)
All-America Award Winner for 1950. Lovely deep burnt orange long pointed buds on long stems. As flowers open, the color changes to a golden yellow, with lines of deep orange and tawny gold.
4528 $2.25 Each 3 for $5.90

RAINFLOWERS

VANGUARD IV COLLECTION
Capistrano San Luis Rey
Nocturne Yours Truly
N08080 ALL 4 ONLY $6.55
($7.50 value)

THOR IV COLLECTION
Forty-Niner Sleigh Bells
Rose Marie Reid Sutte's Gold
N08087 ALL 4 ONLY $7.85
($9.00 value)

ROCKET EIGHT II COLLECTION
Capistrano Sleigh Bell
San Luis Rey Yours Truly
Forty-Niner Sutte's Gold
Rose Marie Reid
N0810X ALL 16 ROSES LISTED ON THIS PAGE FOR ONLY $30.25
(Value—$35.25) A Fabulous Saving!
OUR SPECIAL SELECTION OF THE WORLD'S FINEST HYBRID TEAS

A RAINBOW OF ROSES

SAN GABRIEL
(U.S. Plant Pat. 3002)
Large pointed buds of golden orange with a heavy overlay of tangerine orange and flame red. Distinct velvety texture and stems of the same color.
$1.75 Each
3 for $4.60

MOJAVE
(U.S. Plant Pat. 1785) 1954 A.A.R.S. WINNER
Fragrant Hybrid Tea rose with sprawling golden orange colored flowers. Produces large saucer-shaped blooms on exceptionally strong canes.
$2.75 Each
3 for $7.20

SAN FERNANDO
(U.S. Plant Pat. 7381) ALL-AMERICA ROSE SELECTION 1942
A magnificent rose of glowing copper red with leaves of unusually heavy texture—true tea form.
$1.75 Each
3 for $4.60

HELEN TRAUBEL
(U.S. Plant Pat. 1252) ALL-AMERICA WINNER 1975
Appearance of a rose with a history of winning medals for beauty and performance—true tea form.
$2.75 Each
3 for $7.20

CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG
(U.S. Plant Pat. 441) ALL-AMERICA WINNER 1941
Large pointed buds of a soft apricot spray which blooms in masses of brilliant orange. Pure yellow with a slight pink edge.
$3.25 Each
3 for $9.75

WHITE KNIGHT
(U.S. Plant Pat. 1201) 1939 A.A.R.S. WINNER
THE FIRST WHITE, RIDING TIE STAR AWARDED THE A.A.R.S. ROYAL. Medium long, pointed buds open in full-centered clusters to 6 to 8 inches in diameter. Petals of the purest white are rolled with a slight edge. Plant is vigorous and free flowering.
$3.00 Each
3 for $8.75

MISSION BELLS
(U.S. Plant Pat. 223) ALL-AMERICA WINNER 1983
An interesting rose lacking in color and size. The large, pointed, velvety buds open to perfect, full-centered clusters of brilliant, purplish-red. All-America Winner.
$3.25 Each
3 for $9.75

PEACE
(U.S. Plant Pat. 271)
One of the most unique and sensational roses of all time. The large, pointed, velvety buds open to five-inch flowers that turn to almond white with greenish purple edges. ALL-AMERICA WINNER.
$2.50 Each
3 for $7.50

RAINBOW IV COLLECTION

SAN GABRIEL
Helen Traubel
NOORDO
ALL 4 ONLY $6.55

SAN GABRIEL
Mojave
NOORDO
ALL 4 ONLY $7.85
(97.95 value)

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SAN GABRIEL
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IVORY FASHION (U.S. Plant Pat. No. 1688)

1959 ALL AMERICA WINNER—the floribunda with the new look. An Ivory colored Fashion with equal charm and grace, as its parent Fashion. Long slender buds open gradually with their high centered form to a striking, slightly cupped fully open fragrant flower. The petals are firm and heavy textured and retain their Ivory color to the very end. Strong stems carry 5 to 10 buds which open gradually. The plant reaches 24 to 30 inches in height. The foliage is a rich dark green, clean and disease resistant. A SUPERB GARDEN ROSE!

NF 7705

$2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

1959 ROSE PARADE COLLECTION

Starfire . . . Fire 'n Ice
Ivory Fashion . . . Everything nice

These 3 beautiful All America Winners—now offered for the first time in a collection—just as they are featured in the Tournament of Roses, be the first in your neighborhood with this famous collection.

Only $5.50 (Value $6.25)

GOLD CUP

(Prop. Rights Res.)

1957-58 AARS WINNER

Everblooming Floribunda Rose. Richly colored blooms on a bushy, hardy plant.

$8200

$2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

MONTEZUMA (U.S. Plant Pat. 1383)

This everblooming Grandiflora rose is noteworthy for its unusual coloring. The bright scarlet-orange long buds slowly change to a lovely salmon-orange as they unfold into large double blooms. This vigorous plant, typical of the Grandiflora class, has very attractive foliage and a profusion of flowers in clusters with long individual stems for excellent cut specimens.

NS 8237

$2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

EASTER PARADE (U.S. Plant Pat. 1200)

It is remarkable to watch this glorious Floribunda go through such an amazing transition of colors. At first the buds are bright golden yellow. Then, while opening, the undersides of the petals becomes edged with salmon pink and cerise, remaining yellow on the underside. And finally, Easter Parade emerges a gorgeous light crimson rose with delicate yellow tonings.

NS 8213

$2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

CIRCUS (U.S. Plant Pat. 1382)

1956 AARS WINNER—Only Multicolor rose ever to win. Floribunda rose actually changes color as the buds open into fully blown flowers. At the start the buds are rich yellow and red, then as if by magic, exciting orange-buff appears, flushed with apple blossom pink, and finally to the gayest red you've ever seen. The high-centered blooms are fragrant and long lasting.

NS 8210

$2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

FANCY FLORIBUNDA COLLECTION

Circus  Mexicali Rose  Easter Parade
NS $8429

ALL 3 ONLY $6.10
(Value $7.00)

MULATCOLOR FLORIBUNDA COLLECTION

Gold Cup  Easter Parade  Ivory Fashion
S 00280

ONLY $8.50
(Value $9.75)
TOURNAMENT OF ROSES

APOLLO COLLECTION

All New! All Beautiful!

KORDES PERFECTA . . .
Hybridizer’s Dream Rose

IVORY FASHION . . .
White perfection combine

GOLD CUP . . .
Richly colored blooms

ALL 3 ONLY $7.60
($8.75 Value)

KORDES PERFECTA

(U.S. Plant Pat. No. 1604)

Hybrid Tea

The hybridizer’s Dream Rose is the name given this commanding new descendant of the Peace Rose. Intriguing color combination, completely different, the wonderful plant vigor, the great numbers of flowers produced and the luxuriant dark glossy green foliage all combine to make this one of the most outstanding new hybrid tea roses in years. 4½ to 5 inches in diameter...extremely long lasting plant when cut. Superb exhibition rose. Grows 3 to 3½ ft. produces great numbers of gorgeous flowers throughout the year. The bud shows color as petals separate and becomes a constantly changing picture. The basic color a cream white, is lined with deep carnarmine pink that spreads throughout. Truly beautiful.

NF 7704
$3.50 Each 3 for $9.30

SKYROCKET COLLECTION

Cl. Chrysler Imperial
Cl. Golden Showers
Cl. Peace
Cl. Queen Elizabeth $4248A
ALL 4 ONLY $9.15 (Value $10.50)

CELESTIAL CLIMBER COLLECTION

Cl. Golden Showers
Descanso Pillar
Cl. San Fernandez $8425
ALL 3 ONLY $6.30 ($7.25 Value)

CLIMBING QUARTETTE COLLECTION

Cl. Peace
Cl. Queen Elizabeth
Cl. Chrysler Imperial
Cl. Blaze $7248A
ALL 4 ONLY $8.00 ($9.25 Value)

STARDUST COLLECTION

Cl. Queen Elizabeth
Cl. Golden Showers
Cl. Chrysler Imperial $50272
ALL 3 ONLY $7.20 ($8.25 Value)

CI. BLAZE

One of the hardiest climbing varieties. A vivid, glowing scarlet that practically covers the plant all through the season.

$1.50 Each
NS 8274 3 for $3.90

CI. GOLDEN SHOWERS (U.S. Plant Pat. No. 1557)

First pillar and climbing rose in 10 yrs. to win the AARS award.

NS 8266 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

CI. PEACE (U.S. Plant Pat. No. 932)

Climbing form of the world’s leading rose—one of the most glorious and sensational roses of all time. Large yellow buds open to 5” flowers of albaster white with pistil carmine edges.

NS 8271 $2.65 Each 3 for $6.00

CI. QUEEN ELIZABETH (U.S. Plant Pat. 1315)

WORLD’S FIRST GRANDIFLORA WINNER

The Rose that created the Grandiflora class! The flowers are unusual in color—combining soft carmine rose and dawn sunk—and are borne royally single on long straight stems, as well as in clusters. The entire bush is gloriously clothed with glossy, deep green foliage on almost thorn-free stems.

S 0161 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

CI. SAN FERNANDO (U.S. Plant Pat. 1123)

A climbing form of the outstanding All America Winner. Has some currant red color and exquisite fragrance.

NS 8275 $2.62 Each 3 for $3.25

CI. TALISMAN

Produces great quantities of flowers which are a combination of gels, apricot, yellow and old rose. A vigorous climbing rose.

NS 8297 $1.50 Each 3 for $3.90

SPECTACULAR DESCANSO PILLAR ROSE

Giant Clusters of Deep Coral Blooms—on a SINGLE STEM. The all time top seller in a self-standing, ever-blooming Pillar type rose. This amazing rose, the Descanso Pillar, is horticulture’s most exciting rose. Not a HYBRID TEA, not a FLORIBUNDA, not a GRANDIFLORA, not a TREE ROSE, but a remarkable type rose that grows up to 8 FEET HIGH without any support of any kind—THE VERY FIRST YEAR!

You can pick a BOUQUET on one stem! The gorgeous, large flowers are coral to scarlet with a yellow shading at the base, borne on long almost thornless stems measuring 3 to 4 feet high. Long lasting as cut flowers.

ENJOY PERFECT FLOWERS UP TO 6 INCHES ACROSS ALL SEASON LONG

NF 7212

$2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

CI. CHRYSLER IMPERIAL (U.S. Plant Pat. 1528)

NOW the famous All America Winner Chrysler Imperial Rose in climbing form. Hundreds of long tapered crimson buds on vigorous canes, covering fences, walls or banks in vivid oxblood red. Unfolding even in adverse weather, the buds open to large, high-centered flowers measuring 4½ to 5 inches with 40 and 50 wide petals. The opening of each rose is a thrilling spectacle of changing, iridescent shades of red. The flowers are sweetly scented with true rose fragrance.

NS 8263
$2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

PILLAR COLLECTION

"The finest pair found anywhere" Golden Showers Descanso Pillar

N 00230 (Value $5.25)

BIG BARGAIN OFFER

THREE FAVORITE CLIMBERS

Cl. Blaze
Cl. San Fernandez
Cl. Talisman

S 6248A

ALL 3 ONLY $4.25 (Value $5.25)

You’ve Never Seen a Rose Like This Before—Grows 8 Ft. High Without Support

IMAGINE!

You Can be Literally Surrounded by Roses ALL SEASON LONG—from just a single DESCANSO ROSE BUSH
Pink Champagne

Something new from (down) under the sun ... this NEW fabulous import from Australia is as sensational as a pink poodle. As gay and sparkling as its name, PINK CHAMPAGNE ... brings a new touch of glamour to the old reliable MARGUERITE family—a long time “old friend” with gardeners everywhere. Like hundreds of sparkling pink bubbles, Pink Champagne has a double-double crested center surrounded by daisy-like petals as soft as pink velvet. PINK CHAMPAGNE boasts greater stem strength, has unusually long lasting blooms ... both in cutting arrangements and in the garden. Easy to grow (like all Marguerites) and gay as a greeting. You will want to order several Pink Champagnes—GERMAIN'S gorgeous new import!

**NS 8496 $2.00 EACH**

**FREE OFFER**

1 SNOW WHITE absolutely FREE with these 2 fabulous new PINK MARGUERITES.

**NS 8495**

**ALL 3 ONLY $3.95**

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**SNOW WHITE**

This pure white Marguerite predominates in plantings with shrubs and flowers with its large white blooms and light green foliage. In the garden or in bouquets SNOW WHITE is superior among Marguerites and a source of pride to the gardener throughout the blooming season. Plant with the Pink Marguerites for beauty of contrast and consistency of size and contour.

**PRINCESS ROSE MARGUERITE**

A rose pink Marguerite, truly a Princess! Blooming profusely, the large single rose pink flower is strikingly lovely and showy against dark green foliage. Princess Rose Marguerite is a boon to Gardeners with its multitude of colorful flowers and its ease of culture.

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**THE DAISY FAMILY**

The Daisy Family in its many varieties is one of the most hardy, vigorously growing, dependable perennials famous for mass display of beauty, ease of culture, and abundance of lasting flowers for cutting. Daisies have an indispensable place in every garden.

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**ROYAL DIadem DAISY COLLECTION**

2 Each Elizabeth, Daisy-mum, Esther Reed, Majestic, Marconi

**NS 8486**

**ALL 10 PLANTS ONLY $4.95**

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**PHLOX**

FOR A PANORAMA OF COLOR

Unsurpassed for borders—beds—hedges. The finest of all perennials for garden show and cutting. These brilliant flowers will do well in most any type of soil and will bloom for years with little care.

**RAINBOW COLLECTION**

In this beautiful collection we will offer one each of the following selected varieties:

- **AFRICA** Deep dazzling scarlet
- **GRAF-ZEPPLIN** White with red eye
- **JULY LIGHT** Light red with blood red eye
- **WM. RAMSAY** Deep purple
- **MRS. E. P. STRUTHERS** Orange red
- **Majestic** Light blue
- **H. B. MAY** Very large, spikes of bright pink

With the above collection we will include FREE REMBRANDT Pure white of enormous size

**NS 8860 ALL 8 ONLY $4.95**
GIANT

An Amazing Ever-Bearing Strawberry Variety
THINK OF IT! 50 PINTS OF LUSCIOUS BERRIES FROM JUST 25 PLANTS—THE VERY FIRST YEAR!

GERMAIN'S Fabulous Strawberry
(20th Century Selected)

HUGE, DELICIOUSLY SWEET, RICH RED STRAWBERRIES OFTEN AS EARLY AS 60 DAYS AFTER PLANTING

Germain’s outstanding Strawberry “SWEETHEART” (20th Century Selected) is so prolific it produces a full, abundant crop the very first year. The color is brilliant, sparkling red and the luscious, firm flesh is deliciously sweet. In California and the West it bears three main crops each year.

NS8901 25 for $2.95 50 for $5.50 100 for $9.95

Miniature Roses

SWEETHEARTS OF THE ROSE WORLD

Tiny yet perfectly formed little hybrid tea type roses in Red, Yellows, Pinks and White. Only 8 to 12 inches tall when full grown. Small bushes covered with blooms all season long make this unique variety a wonderful house plant as well as outdoor plant in window boxes, along walks, borders, etc. Just think what a marvelous gift these little fellows would make. Novel and unusual, they will be a welcome addition to any house or garden.

**CLIMBING JACKIE** (Pat. R. R.)
Soft yellow buds. Vigorous healthy plant. Here at last is your favorite "Jackie" in climbing form. Elegant, ever-blooming.

**CLIMBING MAGIC WAND** (Pat. R. R.)
Brand new red ever-blooming miniature climber. Minute Tom Thumb buds, produced on tiny, glossy, fern-like foliage. Will climb up to 3-4 feet. Will even bloom in 4-inch pot!

**CLIMBING PINK CAMEO** (U.S. Plant Pat. 1451)
First truly Everblooming Miniature Rose Climbing Form. Perfect Miniature rose-pink buds. Long lasting cut flowers—wonderful boutonnieres, corsage and small bouquet rose. Shrub or small pillar (up to 5 feet). Will bloom first year.

**DIAN** (Pat. R. R.) NEW 1958 INTRODUCTION
Brilliant soft red flowers with glowing undertone. Fragrant, long lasting cut flowers. Excellent border or pot plant. Grows 14 to 16 inches high.

**BIT O’ SUNSHINE** (U.S. Plant Pat. 1631)
Brightest yellow miniature. Shapely yellow buds in profusion on a bushy 12-inch plant. Excellent pot plant.

**JACKIE**

**LITTLE BUCKAROO** (P.A.F.)
Hardy, vigorous plant, will grow to 15 inches. Perfect border rose. Very lasting bright red flowers.

**FROSTY** (U.S. Plant Pat. 1412)
One of the world’s whitest roses. Glossy, disease free foliage on a nearly thornless plant. Excellent for pots, planter boxes and borders.

**PINK JOY** (U.S. Plant Pat. 1378)
Fragrant, double pink flowers with beautifully shaped buds showing just a touch of salmon.

**PATTY LOU** (U.S. Plant Pat. 1325)
First bi-color. Blooms are rose with silver pink on reverse side of petals. Fully double and fragrant.

**RED IMP** (U.S. Plant Pat. 1032)
Tiny, double bright red flowers. Blooms profusely.

**MARY HAYWOOD** (P.R.R.)
Very double one-inch flowers. Bright pink from bud to fading flower. Makes a neat free-flowering plant about 10 inches high. Abundant foliage. Excellent edging or pot plant.

**CENTENNIAL MISS** (Pat. 1301)
Fragrant, fully double flowers. Rose red to deep wine red. Compact free-flowering plant will grow 10-12 inches high.

**WHITE ASTER** (Pat. R. R.)
First of a new type. Very bushy, compact plant covered with tiny soft pink buds which open into double one-inch white flowers. Numerous narrow petals give individual flowers the appearance of tiny crego aster blooms.

SPECIAL OFFER #1
One each Pink Joy, Patty Lou and Red Imp PLUS Famous Jackie.
NS 8463
ALL 4 ONLY $4.95
($5.75 value)

SPECIAL OFFER #2
1 each Mary Haywood—Centennial Miss—White Aster Miniature Roses PLUS new DIAN.
NS 8465
ALL 4 ONLY $4.95
($5.75 value)

MINTHE THUMB

INTRODUCTORY COLLECTION
1 EACH DIAN—RED, JACKIE—YELLOW, FROSTY—WHITE.
NS 8456
ALL 3 ONLY $5.00
($6.00 value)

TEX LUXE MINIATURE ROSE COLLECTION
1 EACH DIAN—BIT O’SUNSHINE, JACKIE, LITTLE BUCKAROO, FROSTY, WHITE.
NS 8455
ALL 5 ONLY $8.75
($10.25 value)
**MUM'S the word for these OUTSTANDING**

**STEPHANIE**
An exquisite exhibition flower of clear fuchsia purple with silvery pink reverse side.

**NS 8617**
$1.00 EACH
3 for $2.50

**SUPER EXHIBITION MUMS**

These varieties develop into magnificent flowers 3 to 4" across and on some, 6 to 8" across. The most beautiful of all types of Mums. Giant, fully rounded blooms in gorgeous colors.

- **AMBASSADOR** Very large white incurved exhibition type. Oct. 15th.
- **ART TASHIMA** One of the best large yellows. Exhibition type. Oct. 15th.
- **BRONZE CHAMPION** Solid coppery bronze. Globular shape flowers supported by good stems. Excellent keeping quality. Oct. 20th.
- **BUTTER BALL** Clear lively yellow incurved. Giant size. Best in the early class. Oct. 5th.
- **GWEN PATTON** Most attractive globular flower in pink. Oct. 25th.
- **GRAPE BOWL** Very large incurved exhibition type. Deep purple at beginning, fading to rosy lavender as it matures.
- **ORANGE BOWL** The color is a most beautiful shade of warm bronze with an orange overcast. Oct. 15th.
- **CORONATION PINK** A true reflexed type exhibition flower in peerless shade of light rose. October 20th.
- **POCKET'S MAROON** Enthralling shade of ver oxblood red with buff reverse. Oct. 10th.
- **ROSE BOWL** Tremendously large incurved flower in the giant exhibition class. The color is a most pleasingly deep orchid pink, almost rose. Also has extra strong stem and broad glossy foliage. Oct. 30th.
- **SHIRLEY BEAUTY** Deep maroon with buff reverse. Acclaimed by thousands during our show as one of the most outstanding recent introductions in this color. Lovely dark green foliage and medium height. Oct. 25th.
- **WATANABE** Spectacular maroon incurved yellow. Perfectly formed and easy grown. Oct. 5th.

**EXHIBITION MUM COLLECTION**

1 each, Ambassador, Art Tashima, Bronze Champion, Butterball, Gwen Patton, Grape Bowl, Orange Bowl, Coronation Pink, Pocket's Maroon, Rose Bowl, Shirley Beauty, Watanabe, Say Edgar, PLUS the fabulous STEPHANIE.

**NS 8540**
ALL 14 ONLY $5.50 ($7.50 value)

**BIRNOSE CHAMPION**  
(top left)  
**ART TASHIMA**  
(top right)  
**SHIRLEY BEAUTY**  
(bottom)
Note: We ship Rooted Cuttings from carefully selected disease-free parent stock. Properly packed and ready to plant. Shipping: We ship from mid-April thru June. In order to insure safe arrival of your plants, we ship Air Parcel Post where distances are great enough to be benefited by this service.

FREE AIR PARCEL POST WITH ORDERS OVER $5.00
Add 50¢ for orders less than $5.00

Culture: Complete instructions for growing mums with each order.

**CHRYSANTHEMUMS**

**Picture Collection**

**Early Blooming Hardy Mums**

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**Picture Collection**

**Decorative Mum Picture Collection**

Huge flowers up to 4" across in exquisite clear colors. 1 each variety pictured. LEFT (top to bottom): GOLD DUST—yellow, DEANNA—tall; CENTER: PRISTINE—white, LINDA—orchid pink. RIGHT: CELEBRITY—rose, PURPLE QUEEN—deep purple, QUEEN OF PINKS—orchid pink, CORAL FROST—rose, and pink

| NS 8563 | All 10 Only $3.95 |

**Complete Mum Garden**

The greatest money saving offer in the entire list, 25, JUST THINK! 25 selected Chrysanthemums. Enough for planting a complete mum garden the very first year. Exhibition types, Spider types, Decorative types, and others make up a terrific combination at a price you can't turn down. Don't delay, ORDER TODAY.

| NS 8541 | All 25 Plants Only $5.95 (Value: $12.50) |

**Fantasyland Spider Mum Collection**

1 each ANNE—white, BRIDESMAID—lavender, MAMORU—orange, GEORGINA HEDINGER—pink, PAUL MILLER—bronze, MELODY—yellow, RAYONANTE—rose, WHITE RAYONANTE—white, TRANQUILITY—white, WALTZTIME—orchid, PLUS ORIENTAL QUEEN.

| NS 8593 | All 11 Only $4.95 |

**Oriental Queen**

Like a Spectacular Burst of Fireworks

| NS 8618 | $1 each 3 for $2.50 |
GIAN T BLOOMING
RANUNCULUS
AMERICA'S FAVORITE CUT FLOWERS

LARGEST STRAIN IN THE WORLD. Giants of California. A semi-hardy, fast-growing bulb that will produce an abundance of glorious Camellia flowered blooms for weeks and weeks. VERY EASY TO GROW. Plant bulbs in your garden from August to Spring in areas of mild winters. (If you have severe winters, pot a few and grow the rest in your garden next spring.) Beautiful bright and exotic colors will fill your garden with unsurpassed brilliance. Unexcelled as cut flowers for your home.

RANUNCULUS
A brilliant mixture of beautiful shades.
No. 5042
25 Bulbs (Bedding Size) $1.00

ANEMONES
GIANT FRENCH POPPY SHAPED — Germain's selected BEST. Another favorite flower that can be planted along with brilliant colored Ranunculus—any time from August (in areas of mild winters) to Spring. These Giant French Anemones resemble enormous poppies and come in exciting bright hues of Blue, Red, Pink, White.

ANEMONES
A superb mixture of choicest colors.
No. 5030
50 BULBS $1.00
(Bedding size)

THE PARTY COLLECTION
Combining the PICTURE collection of Ranunculus PLUS THE PATRIOTS collection of Anemones and you have the combination offer of the season. A garden of gaiety in a riot of color.
No. 5034 — 55 BULBS
(All the bulbs shown on this page)
ONLY $2.98

PICTURE COLLECTION RANUNCULUS
5 Each selected bulbs of the 5 beautiful colors shown here.
No. 5050
25 Bulbs ONLY $1.75

Spicy CARNATIONS
Here they are! Germain's world famous carnations; some old favorites again by popular demand, some BRAND NEW ones for you Carnation collectors. All the very finest available. Get these fine varieties NOW for months and months of brilliant color in your very own garden.

GARDEN SPICE COLLECTION
1 each, 12 beautiful carnations, at left.
NS 8889
ALL 12
ONLY $5.50

GAILTY Exciting new white background with red stripes.
MILLER'S YELLOW Best of all yellows, strong stem and sound calyx.
WHITE SIM Best of pure white. Icy clear petals delicately separate, borne on strong calyx.
JANET TASHIMA Lovely deep orange-bronze shade. Delightfully different.
PINK SIM The best of light pinks. Nice long stems PLUS each flower fully double.
BOSTON Deep rose pink. Excellent new variety.
MAMIE White ground color with red penciling.
ORANGE QUEEN Orange and white striped and blotched.
HOLLYWOOD SIM Deep rose tinted with light rose on tip of each petal.
NECTOR Salmon bronze.
RED SIM Giant, fully double, dark scarlet red flowers on long stems.
BETSY Pale whitish lavender ground color with each petal edged and penciled in purple.
**FANCY LEAF CALADIUMS**  
**THE IDEAL HOUSE PLANT**

One of the most popular potted plants of today. The strikingly beautiful, decorative foliage makes this plant perfect for your indoor garden, and is equally suitable for outdoor planting. The luxuriant, colorful foliage will create a tropical paradise in your garden. Needs very little care. The collection includes the finest varieties, selected for beautiful contrast in colors.

### SPECIAL OFFER

**FANCY LEAF CALADIUMS**  
**HUGE BULBS**

These super jumbo bulbs will produce the most spectacular plant you can imagine. The brilliant colored leaves grow in such abundance that many can be cut for use in flower arrangements and the plant will retain a profusion of magnificent foliage in the pot or garden. Cost: high. Yes, but well worth it. TRY THEM THIS YEAR.

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### MASTER COLLECTION

**A special collection of the following combination of colors. White with green veins—Rose spotted green—Green edge with large pink center—Light green with rose pink veins—Rose pink solid color.**

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### CALLA LILIES

#### Golden Yellow

Grand, deep yellow flowers on tall stems. Leaves are spotted white.

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#### Rare Pink

Exceptionally lovely calla produces dainty carmine rose flowers about 2" in diameter.

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### GLOXINIA

**Showy, Shade-loving Plants For Pots or Shade Gardens**

Velvety leaved, with beautiful large bell-shaped flowers. Gloxinia bulbs can remain in pots for at least 3 years without repotting; just allow foliage to dry up in late August. Each collection will contain 1 bulb of a different color.

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### BIRD OF PARADISE

**STRELEITZIA REGINAE — The most exotic of all garden plants. The Bird of Paradise rivals the splendor of the tropical bird of paradise as it perches in the jungle trees. This flower with its combination of red, yellow, blue and orange is truly a thrilling garden spectacle.**

**EASY TO GROW — out of doors wherever oranges thrive or very suitable as a tub plant in the colder sections. Should be left undisturbed in a sunny location in a rather rich soil and liberaly watered for most abundant bloom.**

*Our NS 8672 is larger this year by your many requests.*

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DOUBLE PICOTEE FLOWERED

The Picotee type is characterized by its contrasting colors. Generally these flowers are either daintily edged or heavy bordered with a contrasting color, or may be strikingly mottled or spotted. Resemble huge roses. A beautiful and spectacular addition to your garden.

No. 5080 5 TUBERS $1.95 10 TUBERS $3.65

BEGERNA BARGAIN OFFER

Smaller tubers than those listed on this page, but sure to produce exceptionally fine flowers for your Begonia garden. These will grow larger each year and for several years. We choose the colors.

No. 5100 ALL 4 TUBERS ONLY $1.00

GERMAIN'S SELECT HANGING BASKET BEGONIAS

Pre-selected tubers are also offered in the Hanging Basket type of Begonia. These choice, hand-picked tubers will produce vigorous plants with a multitude of bloom.

No. 5082 3 BULBS ONLY $1.85
6 BULBS ONLY $3.45

TUBEROUS BEGONIAS IN POTS

The bulbs will be especially selected at the bulb ranch in California. They will be planted in a 3" square PEAT POT in the proper planting material—to sprout and then to grow to a size of 3 to 5 leaves. They are then ready to plant in semi-shady location in the garden, planting pot and all. The pot will decompose as the plant grows on successfully. No root damage, no transplanting shock, and no foreign dirt against the stem.

No. 5095 5 TUBERS PLANTED IN THEIR OWN PEAT POTS $2.45
GLADIOLUS
GERMAIN'S AGAIN OFFERS
GLADIOLUS BULBS TREATED BY HEAT THERAPY
High crowned #1 bulbs from COOKED PLANTING STOCK!

By this we mean these bulbs were produced from smaller bulbs or bulblets that were HOT WATER TREATED. Yes, actually immersed in hot water to destroy disease common to gladiolus such as fusarium, crown rot, bacterial scab, and the minor diseases. This process, now perfected, has proven a boon to the gladiolus industry. A clean bulb produces a much better flower and is a healthier propagator than the untreated gladiolus.

GERMAIN'S FAMOUS
TIP TOP GLADIOLUS COLLECTION
THE ALL-TIME FAVORITE
You'll pick armloads of flowers for weeks and weeks from these especially selected varieties produced from LARGE #1 size bulbs. A well balanced mixture.
No. 5279
25 BULBS ONLY $2.50
50 BULBS ONLY $4.75
100 BULBS ONLY $8.50

GERMAIN'S SPECIAL
"MAD-Glad" BARGAIN COLLECTIONS
Medium size bulbs, but a riot of gorgeous colors—larger than the small bulbs used by commercial cut flower growers in Southern California. Beautiful blooms from every bulb.
No. 5278 SPECIAL
15 BULBS ONLY $1.00
30 BULBS ONLY $1.89
45 BULBS ONLY $2.75
60 BULBS ONLY $3.65

TRUE MINIATURE GLADIOLUS
DELIGHTFUL GARDEN NOVELTY
Don't confuse these fine MINIATURE GLADS with the baby glads that are planted in the fall. These True Miniatures are planted in the spring just like the regular glad, ONLY the plants and flowers are charming miniatures of their bigger brothers. We feel that the MINIATURE GLADIOLUS are sure to find a place in the smaller modern gardens. They make wonderful flower arrangements, too! Sensational mixed colors.
No. 5285
10 BULBS ONLY $1.95

PREKELIA FORMOSISSIMA
Spectacular Beauty
Also known as the famous Aztec-lily from Mexico. A flower of unexcelled beauty. Exotic, deep red, orchid-shaped flowers 4 inches across, on stems 1 to 2 feet tall. Foliage is of a glossy, deep green. Excellent for corsages, bouquets, or as a thrilling table decoration. Ideal as an indoor pot plant.
No. 5815
3 BULBS ONLY $2.25
6 BULBS ONLY $4.00

TIGER-FLOWER
(Tigridia)
One of the most rewarding plants we know. Beautiful colors with chartreuse spotted center cup. Plant in a sunny location and grow like gladiolus, but remember they are harder than gladiolus in cold areas. For spectacular garden effect, plant in clumps of about 6 bulbs in a 6” circle. Beautiful blend of mixed colors.
No. 5779
12 BULBS ONLY $1.00

GIANT AMARYLLIS
AMERICAN HYBRIDS
A really out of the ordinary strain of Amaryllis. Giant trumpet flowers—striped and blotched, with glossy strap-like leaves. You can grow them outdoors in mild climates, or in colder climates use them as pot plants or in window boxes. Very easy to grow. Mixed colors.
No. 5005
3 for $1.39
6 for $2.69
Once again GERMAIN'S are proud to present these SUPER GIANTS of the flower world in exciting new collections never before offered. Each group contains a wide range of colors—a favorite flower for every member of your family! Order today for gorgeous giant blooms all summer and fall.

SELECTION NUMBER 1
COMMANDO—10" to 12" blooms of blush lavender, 4 ft. bush.
D'ARCY SAINSBURY—10" best all round pure white. Cutflower too, 4 ft. bush.
DEEP VELVET—8" to 9" deep black red. A favorite variety, 5 ft. bush.
MURASHI—10" reddish base with rose pink markings. Spectacular! 4 ft.
SCARLET PRIDE—8" velvety scarlet, sometimes with a slight yellow edging on the petals. 4 ft. bush.
WANDA MEADE—(Illustrated) Bright red with white tips. 8" flowers in mass blooming all season. 4 ft. bush.

All 6 for only $4.25

BOTH COLLECTIONS OF GIANT DAHLIAS ONLY $7.50 POSTPAID

SELECTION NUMBER 2
CLARIAM KELTON—10" blooms of bright flame yellow shaded salmon, 5 ft. bush.
D-DAY—7" blooms of soft shell pink. Extra for cutting too, 5 ft. bush.
DR. KENNETH TAYLOR—5" bright red on massive 6 ft. bush. Heavy blooming variety.
HOUSE OF ORANGE—4" blooms of rich golden orange. Very popular, 4 ft. bush.
LILAC TIME—Outstanding new lilac shaded dahlia. Loads of 8" flowers on 6 ft. bush.
ROSE GLORY—One of the most widely grown dahlias of all time. 9" rose pink flowers on 5 ft. bush.

No. 5584

All 6 for only $3.75

CUTTING SIZE
3" to 6" across

LADY SUNBEAM: 4" golden yellow blooms will last a week when cut. 3" bush.
MONTAFON: 3" delicate lavender with white undertones. Low, 2½" bushes are a gorgeous mound of color all season.
CHEERIO: A very striking new dahlia. The 5" flowers are a bright cheerful shade of plum purple with tiny silver tips on each petal. One of the best cut-flowers yet. Free flowering 4" bush.
VADER DE LOOF: Rich, deep blood red flowers on ideal stems for cutting. 5" blooms on a 5" bush.
ATOMIC: A lovely 6" white cut-flower which lasts for days when cut. 5" bush.
ZENITH: Early blooming 6" flowers of deep purple with reverse petals of silver. 5" bush.

No. 5589
Entire collection only $4.75

KING SIZE
8" to 12" across

CONSTANT PERMEKE: 8" blooms are a deep red. Excellent cut-flower with good stems. 6" bush.
GIANT OF BAARN: Outstanding 10" to 12" new giant with good form and a bright vermilion red with salmon hue. Long stems on 8" bush.
NAGEL'S SOLIDITE: 7" to 8" rich pink with incurved form. Long stems, excellent for cutting. 6" bush.
RAYONNANTE: 8" blooms of bronze blended with rose. Heavy blooming 6" bush.
VAL ST LAMBERT: 8" finely petalled blooms. Rich cream center brushed with cerise pink along the outer edges. 5" bush.

No. 5591
Entire collection only $4.30