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GERMAIN'S 1958 ROSE INTRODUCTION

Merry
Widow

Rose

by GERMAIN'S of California
SPRING 1958
Las Vegas (Pat. 1486)

AMERICA'S MOST FABULOUS HYBRID TEA ROSE
SYMBOLIZING AMERICA'S MOST FABULOUS CITY

ALL THE WARMTH AND GLOW OF A DESERT SUNRISE
FOR THE FIRST TIME CAPTURED IN A ROSE

The Las Vegas, Germain's 1957 rose introduction, is a radiant, warm, salmon-pink with a golden sheen at the base of each petal. The large, long, pointed buds open into high-centered blooms revealing the warm glowing color of the rose. As the blooms further develop, the petals cup and the spectacular color becomes more intense, giving an even deeper radiance to the flower. The blooms, measuring up to 6 inches across, are produced freely on exceptionally long cutting stems. Las Vegas is a truly long lasting cut flower, whose petals have a satiny lustre that imparts a depth and warmth to the bloom, such as that seen in a desert sunrise.

The plants bearing these gorgeous flowers are vigorous and well branched. The foliage covers the plant well, with semiglossy dark green leaves.

NS8228 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

MARDI-GRAS COLLECTION

Merry Widow—As Gay and Alluring as its name.
Golden Showers—Can be grown 3 DIFFERENT WAYS.
Las Vegas—All the warmth and glow of a desert sunrise.
Mexican Rose—Gayest, brightest colors captured in a rose.

NS8410 ALL 4 ONLY $9.20 ($10.50 Value)
Golden Showers
(Pat. 1557)

1957 A.A.R.S. Winner—First Pillar & Climbing Rose in 16 Years to Win the National All America Award. No Other Rose Has All These Spectacular Features.

Leading rosarians agree: "No other rose like this in floricultural history."

GOLDEN SHOWERS is the first winter-hardy, ever-blooming Pillar and Climbing rose that blooms continuously from early spring until late fall.

GOLDEN SHOWERS lends itself to any landscape treatment; as a beautifully arching, self-supporting Pillar Rose, 8 to 10 feet tall; trained as a climber, this 1957 A.A.R.S. winner will reach up and along a trellis or a fence. Or it can be shaped as an eye-level symmetrical bush, combining exquisitely shaped daffodil yellow, long pointed buds with fragrant, high centered, 25 to 30 petaled, 4½ to 5 inch yellow open blooms. Almost thornless, with long beautifully decorative bronze cutting stems, Golden Showers lends itself to spectacular cut flower arrangements. The plant is magnificently covered clear to the ground with large, glossy foliage, and is so vigorous that it is highly resistant to rose diseases such as mildew and black spot.

NS8266 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

NEW! A 3-WAY FUNCTIONAL ROSE
THE ONLY VARIETY THAT CAN BE GROWN 3 DIFFERENT WAYS! THE ROSE THAT STARTED AN ENTIRELY NEW TREND IN ALL-ROSE LANDSCAPE DESIGN FOR THE MODERN HOME.

Mexicali Rose (Pat. 1496)

This truly spectacular floribunda, acclaimed one of the most unusual developed in this century, introduces gay, vivid colors—bright as a Fiesta—to achieve one of the most dazzling displays ever created in the rose world!

Imagine these exquisitely shaped buds of bright yellow, suffused with vivid red, opening to lovely 4-inch blooms of deep yellow—then turning various bright shades of deep rose pink—maturing to a brilliant cerise red. As the blooms open, the petals begin to quill into a spectacular dahlia form. These excitingly vivid and fragrant flowers are borne in great profusion—both in clusters and singly—and bloom again and again all season long. The MEXICALI ROSE bush grows 4 to 5 feet tall, is clothed with bronze foliage and is extremely disease resistant. It provides strong stems for cut flowers, and also makes an excellent hedge.

NS8233 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

Mexicali Rose—Gayest Brightest Rose Ever Developed
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 4½ to 5 inches with 40 and 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  (Pat. 1135)

WARMEST, RICHEST, MOST RADIANT YELLOW EVER CAPTURED IN A ROSE

SYMBOLIZING THE BREATH TAKING BEAUTY OF FAMED SUN VALLEY

At last—in "SUN VALLEY"—Germain's presents the warmest, richest, most vibrant yellow ever captured in a rose.

Its true guinea golden yellow holds its magnificent brilliant tone in open blooms for days—even in bright hot sunshine—with a trace of fading.

The full, beautifully shaped buds open to large, strong and lasting blooms on long straight stems. The foliage is disease resistant and its vigorous, shining dark green tone forms a perfect foil for the golden flowers borne in season-long profusion.

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

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.

Queen Elizabeth is the most unusual and wonderful rose ever offered. First winner in the GRANDIFLORA Class of roses, you'll enjoy the profusion of season-long bloom of the FLORIBUNDA, as well as the wonderful bud forms, large, long-lasting flowers and splendid cutting stems of the HYBRID TEA.

COLOR? You'll really be thrilled when you see the superb and radiant PURE PINK shade, hitherto found only in choicest CATTLEYA ORCHIDS, and never before captured in a rose.

THE BUSH? The entire bush is gloriously clothed right to the ground with glossy, deep green foliage.

NS8243 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

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
**President Eisenhower** (Pat. 1217)
Rich and exciting, large, brilliant red blooms on long strong stems. Blooms continuously and is very fragrant. Plant grows 2 1/2 to 3 feet tall, is heavily caned and bushy. Dark green, leathery, disease-resistant foliage adds to its virtues.

NS8242 $2.25 Each 3 for $6.00

**Helen Traubel** (Pat. 1028)
ALL-AMERICA WINNER FOR 1952
Named for the great American singer, it is a blend of warm pink and luminous apricot with a bright undertone of near orange. Magnificent buds, long and graceful. Often 6 inches across, the open flowers maintain rich color, and have a fine spicy fragrance. A tall attractive bush that is seldom without buds or blooms.

NS8224 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

**Candleglow** (Pat. 1199)
Handsome pointed buds of a glowing buff and warm pink shade. The flowers are deeper in color in cooler weather, with a tint of golden yellow at the base of each petal. An exceedingly good keeper as a cut flower. It has a soft old rose fragrance. The dark green foliage sets off the color of the flower extremely well. Flowers are often five to six inches across when fully open.

NS8204 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.65

**Rose Marie Reid** (Pat. 1497)
Rose Marie Reid is 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 5 to 6 inches across, and have 45 to 50 petals. Its exquisite blooms are set off majestically by deep green, leathery foliage. The blooms make gorgeous cut flowers because of extra long stems.

NS8246 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

**HIT PARADE EXTRA**
Molave, Tiffany, Candleglow, Best Regards
NS8416
ALL 4 ONLY $7.40

**GERMAIN'S CELEBRITY COLLECTION**
White Knight—Rose Marie Reid
Helen Traubel
President Eisenhower
NS8415
ALL 4 ONLY $9.15 ($10.50 Value)
1955 A.A.R.S. WINNER (Pat. 1304) **Tiffany**

The outstanding Hybrid Tea Rose for 1955. Extremely LARGE blooms and vigorous growth. Long pointed buds, golden yellow at the base, shading to gorgeous phlox pink. Each flower opens to a perfectly formed double high-centered bloom. Long stems and outstanding fragrance plus beautiful dark foliage provide a real winner for your garden.

**NS8256**
$2.50 Each
3 for $6.60

_**Best Regards**_

This magnificent rose presents a strikingly beautiful color combination. On the inside, a brilliant cardinal red suffuses the upper part of its lovely petals which are marked at the base with a contrasting deep yellow tone. The outside of the flower is vivid Tyrian rose, heavily ringed with a glittering coppery oversheen.

**NS7201**
$1.50 Each
3 for $3.90

1958 A.A.R.S. WINNER (Pat. 1359) **White Knight**

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. White Knight is a vigorous, disease-resistant plant of medium height, and the long, strong stems make it ideal for cut flowers.

**NS8260**
$3.00 Each
3 for $7.95

1954 A.A.R.S. WINNER (Pat. 1176) **Mojave**

Exciting Hybrid Tea rose with thrilling radiant orange colored flowers. When your MOJAVE blooms this season you can see why this variety has been selected as an A.A.R.S. winner. Produces large tapering buds which are pleasantly fragrant. Tall upright growth and luxurious foliage make this variety outstanding.

**NS8236**
$2.75 Each
3 for $7.20

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**GERMAIN'S PAGEANT COLLECTION**

FOR A SPECTACULAR DISPLAY OF COLOR IN YOUR GARDEN

White Knight, Rose Marie Reid, Helen Traubel, President Eisenhower, Mojave, Tiffany, Candleglow, Best Regards

ALL 8 ONLY $16.55
($19.00 Value)

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**WHITE KNIGHT**

THE PERFECT WHITE ROSE
The 1958 All America Rose selection winner in the hybrid tea class.
Hit Parade of Hybrid

**GERMAIN'S**

**GIANT NINE COLLECTION**

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**Yours Truly (Pat. 697)**

You'll be amazed at its size and delightful fragrance. Fully double flowers of glowing rose-pink, deepening on the inside to bright madder rose and enhanced by a rich golden tinge at the base. Magnificent in bud. Long stems.

**Mark Sullivan (Pat. 599)**

This gorgeously colored rose has a base color of golden-yellow. The large firm petals are heavily veined and shaded with deep rose-pink and cerise. The attractive blooms are 4 to 4½ inches across and are freely produced all season. Their fragrance is alluring. Long stems, glossy foliage.

**Charlotte Armstrong (Pat. 445) All America Winner 1941**

Lovely pointed buds of spectrum-red open to flowers of brilliant rose-pink, are long and are six inches in diameter. Petals edged with a silver line.

**Forty-Niner (Pat. 792) All America Winner 1949**

Undoubtedly this is the most brilliant of all bicolors. Inside, the petals are a vivid Orient red, changing to cherry red with age. Outside, chrome to straw yellow. The buds are delightfully formed, opening into a large, well-shaped, pleasantly fragrant flower of 25 to 40 petals.

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**All 9 Only $16.30 ($18.75 Value)**

**WISHING WELL COLLECTION**

"FOR A WONDERFUL GIFT"

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**NS8418**

**All 3 Only $5.45**
Teas

**The Stork** (Pat. 1134)
Extra long streamlined buds of deep coppery salmon pink, which are produced on stiff stems. Flowers when open are of extremely large size due to the unusually large petals.

NS8255 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

**Sutter’s Gold** (Pat. 885)
All-America Award Winner for 1950
Lovely deep burnt orange long pointed buds that are borne on long stems. As flowers open, the color changes to a golden yellow with lines of deep orange and tawny gold. Few roses can boast a plant so strong and vigorous.

NS8254 $2.25 Each 3 for $6.00

**Nocturne** (Pat. 713)
The color is bright cardinal-red with intriguing darker shadings of Chrysanthemum-crimson, opening to a somewhat lighter shade in hot weather. The large petals are richly textured, and there are plenty of them so that the flower lasts. All America Winner.

NS8238 $2.25 Each 3 for $6.00

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**Peace** (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 picote cerise edges. Shadings of color vary from flower to flower. The foliage is glossy green. Strong grower. All America Winner 1946.

NS8239 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

**Sleigh Bells** (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. The plant is a strong grower; with excellent foliage and fine long stems.

NS8251 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

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**GOLD RUSH COLLECTION**
Sutter’s Gold  Forty Niner  The Stork
NS8403 ALL 3 ONLY $5.65 ($6.50 Value)
San Fernando (Pat. 785)
ALL AMERICA ROSE SELECTION WINNER 1948
A magnificent rose of glowing currant red with blooms of unusually heavy texture—proudly borne on tall erect stems. Dark green, leathery foliage. So heavy is its pleasing perfume that just one bush will fill your whole garden with lovely fragrance.
NS8248 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.65

San Luis Rey (Pat. 861)
A veritable treasure trove of golden loveliness. Long pointed buds of guinea gold opening to perfect flowers of satiny texture deepening at the base to rich cadmium yellow. Tea scented.
NS8250 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.65

San Gabriel (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. As the flower opens the petals reflex, showing all the beautiful coloring. Pleasing tea fragrance.
NS8249 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.65

Mission Bells (Pat. 923)
Mission Bells, the Top Hybrid Tea Rose Winner in the 1950 All America Selections is the first rose in ten years to retain its crown a second year.
An amazing rose! Excelling in size and vigor, it grows beautiful, heavily branched bushes with an abundance of huge roses, often 5 to 6 inches across. The large, tapering, salmon buds open to perfect, high-centered blooms of brilliant, clear salmon-pink.
NS8234 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

Capistrano (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; borne nearly always singly on long slender stem; ideal for cutting.
Heavy bushes with large, shiny green leaves. Its exceptionally rich rose fragrance adds much to its charm.
NS8205 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

GERMAIN'S MISSION TRAILS COLLECTION
COMPLETE MISSION SERIES
Mission Bells, Capistrano, San Fernando, San Gabriel, San Luis Rey
ALL 5 ONLY $8.00
($9.25 Value)
NS8422

WORLD FAMOUS GERMAIN'S MISSION TRIO
3 OUTSTANDING ROSES THAT WILL PROVE MAGNIFICENT IN YOUR GARDEN.
San Fernando  San Luis Rey  San Gabriel
ALL 3 ONLY $4.65
($5.25 Value)
NS8421
MERRY WIDOW
GERMAIN'S 1958 ROSE
INTRODUCTION
A new red rose created by Dr. Lam- merts attains a height of 4 to 4½ feet.
NS8232 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

GERMAIN'S GRANDIFLORAS

Montezuma  (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.
NS8237 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

Buccaneer  (Pat. 1119)
Another new Grandiflora rose that will fill your rose garden with golden beauty. Very bright color-fast yellow. The perfect background rose that grows 4 to 6 feet tall.
NS8203 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

Carrousel  (Pat. 1066)
Vivid red blooms that will take desert heat, as well as coastal fog. Grows 4 to 5 feet. The fully opened flower sometimes three to four inches. The foliage is excellent and disease resistant. The high-centered blooms have excellent keeping qualities as cut flowers.
NS8206 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

Roundelay  (Pat. 1280)
Not 5 or 6 blooms at a time but literally scores of vivid red blooms growing in clusters—with each rose having a long cutting stem. Even the plant, which is extremely vigorous and upright will add beauty to your garden scene. Roundelay is a rapid grower with dark-green foliage.
NS8247 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

GERMAIN'S GRANDIFLORA COLLECTION

Did you know Germain's originated GRANDIFLORAS? The QUEEN ELIZABETH ROSE, A.A.R.S. Winner 1955, created this new class of roses. The Grandifloras combine the abundant bloom of the FLORIBUNDA with the magnificent flowers and stems of the HYBRID TEA.
Queen Elizabeth  Merry Widow
Montezuma  Buccaneer
Roundelay  Carrousel

NS8412 ALL 6 ONLY $13.05
($15.00 Value)
Cl. **Charlotte Armstrong** (Pot. 523)
Lovely pointed buds of spectrum-red open to flowers of brilliant rose-pink. The buds are unbelievably long and open to flowers six inches in diameter. Each petal is edged with a silver line.

NS8262 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

Cl. **Golden Showers** (Pot. 1557)
First pillar and climbing rose in 16 yrs. to win the A.A.R.S. award.

NS 8266 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

Cl. **Peace** (Pat. 932)
Climbing form of the world’s leading rose—one of the most glorious and sensational roses of all times. Large yellow buds open to 5” flowers of alabaster white with picotee cerise edges.

NS8271 $2.25 Each 3 for $6.00

Cl. **High Noon** (Pat. 704)

NS8269 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

Cl. **Heart’s Desire** (Pot. 663)
Great dark red blooms of fine form and texture. Vigorous climber.

NS8268 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.65

Cl. **San Fernando** (Pot. 1123)
A climbing form of the outstanding All America Winner. Has same currant red color and exquisite fragrance.

NS8275 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

**BARGAIN OFFER**
**THREE FAVORITE CLIMBERS**
Cl. Blaze Cl. Hadley Cl. Talisman
NS8426 ALL 3 ONLY $3.90 ($4.50 Value)
Climbers

Cl. Chrysler Imperial

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.

NS8263 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

Cl. Talisman

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

NS8287 $1.50 Each 3 for $3.90

Cl. Mrs. Sam McGredy

Outstanding for its coppery orange flowers and buds. This variety unlike most climbers blooms profusely the first season after planting. The beautiful flowers are set off by the most luxurious handsome foliage imaginable.

NS8270 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.65

Cl. Hadley

Well known rose in climbing form. Flowers are deep, velvety crimson. Fully double, well formed blooms are extremely fragrant.

NS8280 $1.50 Each 3 for $3.90

Descanso Pillar

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. We regret that our previous limited supply only allowed a few of you to get this amazing rose. Now we have an abundant quantity of these world renowned bushes. However, to be sure, place your order NOW, as the demand is always so great for these sturdy, vigorous everbloomers. This amazing rose, the Descanso Pillar, is horticulture’s most exciting new rose. Not a HYBRID TEA, not a FLORIBUNDA, not a GRANDIFLORA, not a TREE ROSE, but a remarkable new 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! Clusters of blooms are borne on single erect stems measuring 3 to 4 feet high. Long lasting as cut flowers, too!

NS8212 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

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
**Germain's**

**Spartan** (Pat. 1357)  
NEW Floribunda rose that will bloom all season long with burnt orange buds turning to orange-red and softening to reddish coral.  
NS8252 $2.75 Each 3 for $7.20

**Pinocchio** (Pat. 484)  
A prolific and continuous bloomer. The plants are literally covered with great quantities of beautiful buds which are salmon-pink flushed with gold. Plant is compact and upright. It is a bushy, vigorous grower and makes a wonderful rose hedge.  
NS8241 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.65

**Red Pinocchio** (Pat. 812)  
Has all the fine qualities of Pinocchio plus new glorious red color. 3½-inch flowers appear in large, long-lasting clusters, with individual blooms scattered between the mass flowering. Color is a rich carmine, which deepens and acquires a velvety cast as it opens fully.  
NS8245 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.65

**Jiminy Cricket** (Pat. 1346)  
1955 A.A.R.S. WINNER  
Has masses of dainty, tangerine-red buds that open into 3½" blooms of coral-orange and vermilion, turning to a soft, pink-coral shade. The 4-foot bush is covered with splendid rich green foliage, and the upright growth makes it ideal for hedges or massed effects.  
NS8226 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

**Snowbird**  
One of the most prolific bedding roses. A very fine, almost pure white rose which is not well known, but is one of the prettiest white roses that can be grown. Long, beautifully shaped, white buds of small to medium size open into snowy white, high-centered blooms, often 4 inches across. Very fragrant.  
NS8264 $1.50 Each 3 for $3.90

**Floradora**  
The gayest Floribunda of them all. It is spectacular, constantly in bloom, and an entirely new shade—a brilliant cinnabar-red, as arresting under artificial light as in the garden. Flowers are carried on sprays of 6 to 12 blooms.  
NS8293 $1.90 Each 3 for $5.70

**Goldilocks** (Pat. 672)  
The first bright yellow Polyantha, fully double fragrant flowers. Grows about 2½ feet tall. The delightfully cupped blooms gradually open to a full 3½ inches across; each plant is a continuous riot of golden-yellow color as the new buds come on almost daily. The blooms develop in clusters, adding to the striking golden effect although each individual flower has lovely, perfect form.  
NS8221 $1.75 Each 3 for $4.65

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**THE 1958 ALL AMERICA ROSE SELECTION WINNER IN THE FLORIBUNDA CLASS**

**Fusilier** (P.A.F.)  
This new Floribunda winner is a rich orange-red of great brilliance which runs to a darker cherry-red in the fall. Flowers are produced in heavy clusters and the lustrous effect created by the unevenness of the frilled petals.  
NS8218 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

**Lilabet** (Pat. 1209)  
Named for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. The soft dawn-pink color, delicate fragrance, buds and blooms of charming form, make this an exceptionally good plant. Heavy foliage.  
NS8229 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

**White Bouquet** (Pat. 1415)  
An exciting new white floribunda. The well-formed pure white buds open to a 4-inch bloom. The flowers, borne singly and in clusters, clothe the entire plant in a mantle of white. Plant is not tall, from 2 to 2½ feet.  
NS8273 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

**Fashion** (Pat. 789)  
1950 A.A.R.S. WINNER  
The blooms are rich coral-peach in color, up to 3 inches. The golden stamens are surrounded by graceful, wavy petals. Flowers open slowly into a lovely miniature hybrid tea form, and are generally borne five in a cluster. Plant grows 2 to 2½ feet tall.  
NS8216 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

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**AMIGO** (Pat. 1042)  
A beautiful Floribunda type with dark currant red flowers, fine foliage, and very free flowering. Bushes reach a height of 3 to 4 feet and are well branched, making beautiful specimens, covered with blooms throughout the season. The flowers are medium size, fragrant and splendid for cutting.  
NS8200 $1.50 Each 3 for $3.90

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**SPARTAN**  
**PINOCCHIO**  
**AMIGO**  
**LILIBET**  
**FUSILIER**  
**LILABET**  
**WHITE BOUQUET**  
**FASHION**  
**GOLDILOCKS**
Floribundas

MULTI-COLOR FLORIBUNDAS

Easter Parade (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 upperside 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.

NS8213 $2.00 Each 3 for $5.25

Circus (Pat. 1382)
1956 A.A.R.S. 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.

NS8210 $2.50 Each 3 for $6.60

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Margo Koster
NS8230 $1.50 Each 3 for $3.90

China Doll (Pat. 678)
The bright pink flowers grow in a multitude of clusters. The vast profusion of blooms so covers the plant that the foliage cannot be seen. Ideal for a low hedge.

NS8208 $2.25 Each 3 for $6.00

STORY BOOK FLORIBUNDA COLLECTION
Plant a “Story Book” garden. These lovely floribunda roses, named after favorite story book people, are as delightful as the memories they bring back.

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FAMOUS ROSES AT SPECIAL PRICE

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Countess Vandal  (Pat. 38)  NS8284
Enthusiastically received by all rose lovers. Long pointed bud; distinctive shading of coppery bronze, suffused with soft gold, its form a continuous "movie" developing new beauty during its long life.

Crimson Glory  (Pat. 105)  NS8285
This beautiful, vigorous and free flowering rose has proved to be one of our very best dark reds. The large pointed buds open to flowers of intense deep and vivid crimson shaded with deep red. Plentiful foliage spaced on exceptionally long stems.

Eclipse  (Pat. 172)  NS8288
The long, stream-lined bud, enhanced by ornamental sepals, is of rich gold without shading. Erect, strong growing, free-flowering plants. Good for cutting; good foliage; strong stems; one of the finest of its color. Beautiful in the bud.

Etoile de Holland  NS8290
This large splendid red rose ranks among the best in its color. Long, tapering buds open to brilliant vivid red blooms of huge size. Perfect in half open state. Holds its color.

Floradora  NS8293
Spectacular, constantly in bloom, and an entirely new shade in roses—a brilliant cinnabar-red. Flowers are carried on sprays of six to twelve blooms.

Margo Koster  NS8230

Night  NS8233
One of the darkest of all roses, deep dramatic crimson-shaded black and maroon. You'll thrill to its delightfully spicy clove fragrance.

Picture  NS8240
This lovely, perfect rose is a picture in form and coloring. Every bud perfectly formed, and a glowing shade of light rose-pink. Full petalled and long lasting, blooming continuously from spring to fall.

Snowbird  NS8264
One of the most prolific bedding roses. A very fine, almost pure white rose; is one of the prettiest grown. Long, beautifully shaped, flaring white buds of small to medium size open into snowy white, high-centered, perfectly formed blooms, often 4 inches across.

Texas Centennial  (Pat. 162)  NS8257
Strong, tall, with heavy strong stems and magnificent large full buds and blooms. The color is a bright, glowing carmine-red which in cool weather becomes deeper blood-red.
A Rose
IS A ROSE . . .

The Rose holds the distinction of being the favorite flower of the American gardener—an honor it has maintained the world over.

The Rose has been found blooming in its wild state on every continent of the world north of the equator. In ancient times, the Greeks cultivated roses for medicinal purposes as well as used the petals for perfume.

The Rose varieties that were popular in American and European gardens more than 100 years ago are still found in commercial avenues today.

The Rose has never lost its appeal—indeed, its popularity has steadily increased.

Consequently, the spectacular success of Germain’s in the hybridizing, development and marketing of prize winning roses has commanded the attention of home gardeners and florists everywhere.

Distinguished roses offered by Germain’s include the Cl. Queen Elizabeth, Descanso Pillar, Best Regards, The Stork, Cl. San Fernando, Amigo, Cl. Chrysler Imperial, Sun Valley, Easter Parade, Las Vegas, Mexicali, Rose Marie Reid, Candlelight, Yours Truly, San Luis Rey, and the San Gabriel.

In the last ten years alone, of the many roses Germain’s has introduced, seven have been winners of the All-American Rose Selections, Incorporated—the Hall of Fame of the rose world. These roses have included:

San Fernando, 1948  Chrysler Imperial, 1953
Mission Bells, 1950  Queen Elizabeth, 1955
Capistrano, 1950  Golden Showers, 1957

One of the newest and most sensational roses in the Germain’s family has been the Merry Widow—a rose of such breathtaking beauty that it has become a favorite of rose lovers from coast to coast almost overnight.

Furthermore, the immediate rose future for Germain’s and for gardeners everywhere promises to be the most exciting in the history of the 87-year-old company according to Dr. Walter E. Lammerts, Germain’s noted hybridizer.

Called the “father of scientific rose breeding,” Dr. Lammerts has long been recognized for his outstanding achievements in the development of prize winning roses. Even before his interest and success in the world of roses, Dr. Lammerts had achieved fame in commercial laboratories and at the University of California, Los Angeles, for his work with different species of fruit.

At the present, Dr. Lammerts is spending all of his time on rose breeding at Livermore, California. His goal is to develop roses that will be rust resistant; mildew resistant; blackspot resistant; non-fading and winter hardy.

He is getting closer and closer to this goal all the time.

Many people still think of roses as they were 25 years ago—superbly beautiful, but far too exacting for the average gardener. This isn’t the case any longer, Dr. Lammerts says. Varieties of roses are now being produced which are as easy to plant and take no more care than any other popular flower. Through the efforts of men like Dr. Lammerts, it is becoming increasingly easy to achieve classic rose gardens at home with minimum fuss and bother.

Just recently one of Dr. Lammerts’ prize creations—the beautiful pink Queen Elizabeth rose—was awarded the coveted Gerrtrude M. Hubbard Gold Medal of the American Rose Society. This award is made only once every five years by the Society to the originator of the best American rose during that period.

Other creations of Dr. Lammerts include the famous Charlotte Armstrong, Chrysler Imperial, Mirandy, Taffeta, High Noon, Debonaire, The Chief, Golden Showers, Merry Widow and many others.

Germain’s roses are renowned throughout the nation. Their beauty, vitality and abundant bloom stem naturally from California’s rich soil, milder climate and longer growing season. This means a more sturdy, beautiful rose for gardens in any climate.

Germain’s is truly a symbol of highest quality in roses.
12 DIFFERENT LAWN SEED VARIETIES

...blended into one all-purpose perennial mixture... GERMAIN'S 12-BRAND! Whether your lawn is in the sun or shade (or both!), on level or sloping ground (or both!), Germain’s 12-Brand Lawn Seed will give you a lush green lawn 12 months of the year. 12-Brand, the all-purpose mixture, is scientifically blended to give you the best lawn under all conditions. This amazing formula of newest grasses produces a GREEN LAWN ALL YEAR LONG!

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GERMAIN’S BEAUTILAWN BRAND DICHONDRA

Scared for quick germination
Germain’s Beautilawn Brand Dichondra seed will produce an amazing dark green lawn of small velvety leaves. Grows well in sun or shade providing a strong healthy turf that will not mat. After starting, the maintenance of your Germain’s Beautilawn Brand Dichondra Lawn is very slight. It will choke back bermuda and other bothersome weeds. And—it will take the roughest usage that you can give it. You can plant Germain’s Beautilawn Brand Dichondra right in your old lawn and within two years you will have a dichondra carpet. When planting a new Germain’s Beautilawn Brand Dichondra lawn it should be sown with clover for best results.
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1 lb. Carton—$4.95—Plant at the rate of 1/4 lb. to 1000 sq. ft.

Easy to Use—No Waste
Convenient Shaker-Top Canister

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(Trifolium Repens)

America’s favorite lawn seed. Easiest to grow. Used extensively as a nurse crop for many fine lawn seeds. The brightest green rounded leaves will give your lawns a sparkling appearance. Excellent to use with dichondra.
Plant at the rate of 1 lb. to 200 sq. ft.
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THE MIRACLE LAWN
Coated 16 Times Larger for Easy Planting
GERMAIN’S SENSATIONAL—NEW KOLORCOAT* DICHONDRA


- Deep, Rich Green
- Thrives Back Bermuda All Year
- Requires No Mowing
- Forms Dense Turf
- Thrives in Sun and Shade

Dichondra is a low-growing American plant, native to the southeastern part of the United States, from Virginia south. It is known botanically as Dichondra Repens or D. Repens var. Carolinensis. Germain’s Kolorcoat Dichondra makes a dense sod by means of runner-like stems, growing very close to the ground, but never forms a thick mat like bermuda grass. The kidney-shaped leaves, about 1/4 in. wide, and seldom over 1/2 in. tall have a rich, dark velvety-green color. Dichondra is tough in texture and hard usage will not injure the strong turf or mar its beautiful appearance.
In mild climates dichondra can be started any time of the year. Since summer is the best growing season for Dichondra, spring or early summer planting gives quickest results. When planting during the colder months a nurse crop is suggested. In the East or Middle West we recommend spring or early summer planting. This allows enough time to develop a strong root system for the plants to make seed. When the foliage and top growth is hurt by rigorous weather the lawn will then renew itself from the roots and self-sown seeds.
No. CS04 JUMBO (6"x9") Package Germain’s Kolorcoat Dichondra Lawn Seed (Contains enough seed to cover 300 sq. ft.)

ONLY $1.00

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A MORE BEAUTIFUL, MORE PERMANENT LAWN
- DISEASE RESISTANT
- STANDS CLOSE MOWING
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- ECONOMICAL

Less Watering—Mowing—Core
Germain’s Brand Merion Kentucky Bluegrass is the finest of all lawn grasses. Exhaustive tests have proved that this handsome lawn grass will stand long, hot, dry spells better than any other bluegrass. Forget about mowing too close—just set your mower for the fine turf effect you’ve always wanted and go ahead. Get that golf green appearance with Germain’s Brand Merion Kentucky Bluegrass.
The thrilling apple green color of Germain’s Brand Merion Kentucky Bluegrass will provide a luxurious velvety background to your entire landscape. And—it takes less water—mowing—and care to have the neighborhood’s most beautiful lawn.
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Economical! Why, you can plant your whole lawn area with Germain’s Brand Merion Kentucky Bluegrass at less than 1¢ per sq ft. 1 lb. will cover approximately 750 sq ft.
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DICHONDRA BLENDED WITH WHITE CLOVER

Shaker-Top Canister
Germain’s Brand Clover makes an ideal nurse crop for Dichondra. Now mixed in the right proportions to start a fine Dichondra lawn.
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ROSES WILL BE SHIPPED AT PROPER PLANTING TIME FOR YOUR AREA

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Gladiolus
GERMAIN'S SPECIAL
GLADIOLUS BARGAIN COLLECTIONS
Medium size bulbs, but larger than the bulbs used by commercial cut flower growers in Southern California. Beautiful flowers from every bulb. This is our FAMOUS "$" SPECIAL in Gladiolus.
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Tiger-Flower (Tigridia)
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One of the most rewarding plants we know—yet few people are familiar with this flower. Beautiful colors with chartreuse spotted center cup. Plant in 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

Ranunculus
Best Bulb bargain ever offered. These bedding size Ranunculus bulbs will produce a mass of colorful cut flowers that will highlight your whole garden.
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Anemones
These bargain bedding size bulbs will produce an abundance of 3 to 4 inch flowers in exciting colors the very first year.
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Giant Ranunculus and Anemones
The perfect combination for cut flowers and garden show.
NO. 5055—COMBINATION OFFER
(25 Ranunculus and 50 Anemones)
75 BULBS ONLY $1.89

Cactus Dahlia
THREE SEPARATE VARIETIES IN BEAUTIFUL COLORS
NO. 5582
3 CACTUS DAHLIA TUBERS $1.00

Pompon Dahlia
EACH ONE DIFFERENT. CUT FLOWERS GALORE!
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Giant Dahlias
THREE DIFFERENT GARDEN GIANTS IN GORGEOUS SHADES
NO. 5580
3 GIANT DAHLIA TUBERS $1.00

Fancy Leaf Caladiums
BEDDING SIZE BULBS
NO. 5180—3 BULBS ONLY $1.00

Begonia Bargain Offer
Sure to produce exceptionally fine flowers for your Begonia garden. These will grow larger each year and for several years. 4 Beautiful Camellia Flowered Begonias. We choose the colors.
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ALL 4 TUBERS ONLY $1.00

Calla Lilies
GOLDEN YELLOW
Grand, deep yellow flowers on tall stems. Leaves are spotted white.
NO. 5148—3 BULBS ONLY $1.00

Calla Lilies
RARE PINK
Exceptionally lovely calla produces dainty carmine rose flowers about 2" in diameter.
NO. 5145—3 BULBS ONLY $1.00
Flower gardening has been revolutionized—made easier—more fun—more sure.
The reason is KOLORCOAT, an exclusive process of seed coating developed through extensive experimentation in the Germain's laboratory.
As a pioneer California company, Germain's has always led the industry in developing new and improved flower seeds.
Carefully selected and processed through our modern laboratory and facilities, Kolorcoat seed is the gardener's best friend.
With this exclusive Germain's process each seed is individually color-coated so that the gardener knows in advance the actual, true shade of the flower itself. KOLORCOATING takes the guesswork out of planting.
A Big Surprise
Buddy and Cissy

A RARE PAIR OF BORDER BEAUTIES BRINGS NEW GAIETY TO YOUR GARDEN. GLAMOROUS IN APPEARANCE! EASY TO GROW! BUDDY AND CISSY BRING A NEW LOOK TO YOUR BORDERS.

Recently in the Gomphrena (or Globe Amaranth) family a variety called “Buddy” was introduced which was very dwarf and compact, making an attractive garden plant. BUDDY has clover-like blooms of bright purple. This year’s introduction, CISSY, has identical plants and blooms, except that they are pure, snow white, having only 6 inches tall, and with a full three months or more of blooms under any and all weather conditions. These little plants are wonderful subjects for a twin border or edging row. No special insect or disease problems, nor fancy care—just lots of durable blooms and neat little plants; also an everlasting flower that can be used for making unusual winter bouquets. Watch the garden magazines pick this up!!

BUDDY—No. 3034 ........................................ $1.00 Pkt.
CISSY—No. 3035 ........................................ $1.00 Pkt.
COMBINATION OFFER—1 Pkt. each—CISSY & BUDDY—3035A ............................ $1.60

AMERICA’S FAVORITE FLOWERS

Alyssum—Carpet of Snow. The plants are flat and compact. Very dwarf. Spreads in carpet-like mass of white the entire season.
No. 2045 Pkt. 15¢

No. 2048 Pkt. 25¢

Aster—New California Giants Superfine Mixed. Chrysanthemum-like flowers, measure from five to six inches across. Blooms fall to the center with broad curled and interlaced petals, borne on long, heavy non-lateral stems.
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Bells of Ireland—Mauraella Lewis is the botanical name of this skyrocketing favorite. 24 inches tall, Bell shaped flowers. Both foliage and flowers are a pleasing apple green. Fine cut flower. Can be dried and used as an everlasting.
No. 3392 Pkt. 25¢

Bachelor Button—(Centaurea Cyanus)—Red-White-Blue. The three favorite colors of this popular cut flower. Succeeding anywhere and responding quickly to what little care and cultivation may be bestowed upon it. Dependable for summer and winter bouquets.
No. 2631 Pkt. 25¢

Mandarin Cosmos—We are proud to introduce this year this strongly double, brilliant orange cosmos. Flowers frequently have 40 or more petals, a real innovation in this class, but even more impressive are the Mandarin plants. The heavy, dense cover of foliage makes it superior to any other variety. This pleasing foliage is maintained all through the season, even after the plants have been in bloom a long time, and converts cosmos from a sparse, open plant to a luxurious garden specimen.
No. 2759 Pkt. 50¢

Cosmos—Sensation Mixed. Easily grown from seed and succeeding anywhere. Flowers are extra large and will bloom fully two weeks before regular variety. A full range of colors in a well balanced mixture: Crimson, Pink, Radiance and White.
No. 2773 Pkt. 15¢

California Poppy—(Eschscholtzia) Deep Orange. The Golden Poppy of California, a native of our valley and hillsides, has become one of the favorite garden annuals throughout the world.
No. 2924 Pkt. 15¢

Larkspur—(Annual Delphinium)—Giant Imperial Mixed. Larkspurs are one of the most dependable of sources of cut flowers over a period of months. The Giant Imperial are fully double, and the colors are distinct and different from those of existing strains.
No. 3233 Pkt. 25¢

Morning Glory—(Ipmoea)—Clarke’s Earliest Heavenly Blue, Annual Climber, Sky Blue, shading golden yellow in throat; extremely early.
No. 3201 Pkt. 15¢

Nasturtium—Semi-Double Glorious Gleam Hybrids Mixed. For color, length of bloom, ease of culture and general usefulness in the flower garden, the Nasturtium has no equal. The Giallo Hybrids are especially sweet scented. Have a wide range of colors. Excellent for borders.
No. 3430 Pkt. 15¢

Portulacea—Double Mixed. Sun loving, unequalled for summer color in low borders, beds and edgings. Brilliant ground cover. Flowers are like little roses.
No. 3720 Pkt. 15¢

Sweet Peas— Early Flowering Mixed. A very wide range of colors are available in this group. Extra large, wavy peraled blooms. Flowers are long stemmed and very fragrant. Early flowering variety bloom fully 3 weeks earlier than the regular strain.
No. 4039 Pkt. 15¢ 1/2 oz. 30c; 1 oz. 50c; 1/2 lb. $1.75

Sweet Peas— New Spring Flowering Cuthbertson Mixed. Where spring planting is the rule and where early summer heat is a hazard, Cuthbertsons are the newer, stronger variety. Clear popular colors. Vigorous growth and large flowers.
No. 4119 Pkt. 15¢ 1/2 oz. 25¢; 1 oz. 45¢; 1/2 lb. $1.40

Verbenae—Hybrid. Choice Mixed. Effective perennial bedding plants. They require little attention when once established and are exceedingly bright in color and free blooming.
No. 4010 Pkt. 15¢

Zinnias—Lilliput, Baby or Pompon Mixed. The Lilliputs are among the most popular for cut flowers. Have a wide range of colors. Small flowers, very double. Zinnias are very easy to grow and very showy.
No. 4150 Pkt. 15¢

Zinnia—Lucky Strike. Newest color shades you have ever seen. Lucky Strike is acclaimed THE FINEST GIANT ZINNIA OF ALL TIME. The huge flowers are on extra long stems. Vigorous plants grow 3 feet tall and bloom profusely the entire season. Easy to grow.
No. 4129 Pkt. 25¢

Ortho Polka Zinnia—Giant, big gaily striped zinnias. More colorful and TWICE as big as Peppermill Stock. Ortho Polka comes in some solid colors, but mostly in combinations of white and pink, rose and white, red and white, lavender and white, scarlet and yellow, orange and yellow, red and orange, pink and rose, and other lovely bi-colors. Markings vary often on the same plant, from tiny dots to broad stripes and even to blooms that have one half one color and the other half a different one.
No. 4104-Large 6x9 pkg. 50c ea.
Germain's Exclusive

Alyssum Mix
ROYAL CARPET AND CARPET OF SNOW

Now offered for the first time in fabulous Kolorcoat. Brilliant garden gems, with a spreading compact habit in rich velvet purple and snowy white. Wonderfully effective in low borders, edgings, carpet bedding, etc. A hardy annual, easy to grow, with season long bloom. Uniform plants, growing 3 inches high with 12 inch spread, and serve as a carpet-like ground cover of great beauty.

No. 2040AK—Kolorcoat Seed
Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 95c; ¼ oz. $1.60

Crackerjack
MARIGOLD

Giant blooms up to 5 inches across on compact, 2 to 3 foot plants. Flowers are fully double and come in primrose, yellow, gold and orange. Earlier and better than Sunset Giants, and offered again this year because of their overwhelming popularity during the past season.

No. 336SK
Kolorcoat Seed …………..25c pkt.

Peach Satin
F₁ HYBRID PETUNIA

The third member of the Satin series is Peach Satin. Newly opened flowers of this F₁ hybrid multiflora petunia are nearly coral in tone, and as the bloom becomes full the color softens to an appealing, warm salmon-pink.

Flower size is greater than Red Satin or Pink Satin, measuring 3 to 3½ inches, and the plants are slightly taller, reaching 14 to 16 inches. But the compact habit and resistance to "splitting" is the same, as well as the strong will-to-bloom.

No. 3597K—Kolorcoat Seed .50c pkt.

Pink Satin
F₁ HYBRID PETUNIA

As illustrious as its predecessor, Red Satin, this new F₁ hybrid multiflora petunia, PINK SATIN, possesses the same attractive, globe shaped plant, the same ability to cover itself with bloom, and the same persistently compact habit of growth. The brilliant rose-pink flowers command attention by their intense concentration of color and then relieve that intensity with a clean, white area deep in the throat of the bloom.

No. 3603K—Kolorcoat Seed .50c pkt.

Red Satin
(Hybrid multiflora Petunia)

The All-America winning petunia for 1937. Flowers are of a brilliant scarlet-red, 2½ in. across, and strictly non-fading even in brightest sunshine. The plants are a wonderful example of hybrid vigor, and although they preserve a neat, compact foot high mound right through the season these plants are generous flower producers, too, with 30 blooms or more open at one time. Ideal for borders, low beds or pot plants. Red Satin was also acclaimed the best flowering plant introduced for commercial use at the 1956 California International Flower Show.

No. 3595K
Kolorcoat Seed …………..50c pkt.

Another Germain's exclusive process whereby each seed is individually coated and colored to denote the actual shade of the flower itself. KOLORCOAT seed insures these advantages: 1) Individual color of seed permits color selection before planting. 2) Makes it easy to plan your own color arrangements and to plant a garden to your own color scheme. 3) Feeds, protects and promotes early growth. 4) Size of coated seeds permits hand spacing, which saves labor and reduces or eliminates thinning and transplanting. 5) Promotes greater emergence, healthier plants, faster maturity, better flowers.
CLIMBING JACKIE (Pot. R.R.)
Soft yellow buds. Vigorous healthy plant. Here at last is your favorite "Jackie" in climbing form. Fragrant, everblooming.
NS8449  $2.25 EACH  3 FOR $5.75

CLIMBING MAGIC WAND (Pot. 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.
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CLIMBING PINK CAMEO (Pat. 1451)
First truly Everblooming Miniature Rose Climbing Form. Perfect miniature rose-pink buds. Long lasting cut flowers—wonderful bouquets, corsage and small bouquet rose. Shrub or small pillar (up to 3 feet). Will bloom first year.
NS8452  $2.25 EACH  3 FOR $5.75

DIAN (Pot. R.R) NEW 1958 INTRODUCTION
Brilliant soft red flowers with a glowing under tone. Fragrant, long lasting cut flowers. Excellent border or pot plant. Grows 12 to 14 inches high.
NS8443  $2.00 EACH  3 FOR $5.25

BIT O' SUNSHINE (Pat. 1631)
Brightest yellow miniature. Shapely yellow buds in profusion on a bushy 12-inch plant. Excellent pot plant.
NS8444  $2.25 EACH  3 FOR $5.75

JACKIE
NS8451  $2.00 EACH  3 FOR $5.25

LITTLE BUCKAROO (P.A.F.)
Hardy, vigorous plant, will grow to 15 inches. Perfect border rose. Very lasting bright red flowers.
NS8445  $2.00 EACH  3 FOR $5.25

FROSTY (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.
NS8447  $2.00 EACH  3 FOR $5.25

Tiny yet perfectly formed little hybrid tea type roses in Reds, 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.

ANY VARIETY LISTED BELOW
$1.25 EACH  3 FOR $3.50

Pixie Hedge Rose (P.R.R.) NS8450
A compact miniature form of a multificra hedge rose. Hundreds of delightful double soft pink tiny blooms all the size of a quarter. The everblooming plant has tiny glossy foliage and will grow to only 3 or 4 feet when fully mature. Perfect for lining walks, hedge rows, along fence lines and many other different ways.

Mary Haywood (P.R.R.) NS8440
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.

Pink Joy (Pat. 1378) NS8454
Fragrant, double pink flowers with beautifully shaped buds showing just a touch of salmon.

Patty Lou (Pat. 1332) NS8460
First bi-color. Blooms are rose with silver pink on reverse side of petals. Fully double and fragrant.

Centennial Miss (Pat. 1301) NS8452
Fragrant, fully double flowers. Rose red to deep wine red. Compact free flowering plant will grow 10-12 inches high.

Red Imp (Pat. 1032) NS8453
Tiny, double bright red flowers. Blooms profusely.

Oakington Ruby NS8458
Miniature red buds open to double one-inch flowers. Hardy—free flowering. Ideal hedge or border plant. One of the best all-around miniatures.

White Aster (Pat. R.R.) NS8441
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.

Cinderella (Pat. 1051) NS8442
Petite, double white blooms on a bushy vigorous plant.

FOR BORDERS OR PLANTER BOXES
12 PLANTS ANY ONE VARIETY (NO MIXTURES) FOR THE PRICE OF 10.
12 $1.25 Plants (same variety) $12.50
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SPECIAL OFFER = 1
Any 3 $1.25 Miniature Roses PLUS Famous Jackie. ($5.75 VALUE)
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1 EACH DIAN—RED, JACKIE—YELLOW, FROSTY—WHITE.
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DE LUXE MINIATURE ROSE COLLECTION
1 EACH DIAN, BIT O' SUNSHINE, JACKIE, LITTLE BUCKAROO, FROSTY.
NS8455
ALL 5 ONLY $8.75 ($10.25 VALUE)
Queen of the African flowers, these exotic, graceful Transvaal Daisies are a beauty blockbuster in any garden. Dynamic and different, the GIANT DUPLEX GERBERA will be the conversation piece of your garden.

GERBERAS yield an abundance of brilliant, sun-like flowers on tall, leafless stems in striking shades of light red, deep rose, orange, salmon, yellow, and coral pink. Their long period of bloom, exquisite colors, and marvelous keeping quality as cut flowers class them among the most decorative and graceful of all garden flowers. GERMAIN'S GIANT DUPLEX MIX produces beautiful flowers which bloom from early spring until late fall. The Gerbera, or Transvaal Daisy, becomes a thrilling hobby for many gardeners, and few plants give such gratifying reward of beauty and consistency of bloom throughout the growing season. GERBERAS merit an honored, prominent display in all gardens!

CULTURE: Gerberas like full sun and deeply cultivated, loamy, well-drained soil. It is important that the crown of the plant be even with soil level, and light fertilizing is recommended after plants are well established. They should be well watered when planted, then moderately thereafter. In mild climates GERBERAS may be left in the ground all winter; divisions of crowns being made approximately every four years.

NS8670
3 for $1.65   6 for $3.25
12 for $5.95
**EARLY BLOOMING HARDY MUMS**

**Sensational**

Gorgeous mums blooming in your garden weeks earlier than ever before. Famed the world over for the most striking brilliant show of color. The early blooming hardy varieties can be planted in massive displays, along driveways, or used for general garden planting. **FILL YOUR GARDEN WITH COLOR THIS FALL.**

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**Avalanche—NS8542—Luscious ivory white. Sept. 15.**

**Carnival—NS8543—Glorious blend of gold and bronze. Oct. 10th.**

**Courageous—NS8544—Red decorative type. Oct. 5th.**

**Cydonia—NS8545—Vivid, fiery orange-red. Oct. 5th.**

**Huntsman—NS8546—Reddish bronze, lively and vivid. Oct. 5th.**

**Red Velvet—NS8547—Smooth, soft, velvet red. Oct. 5th.**

**Salmon Frieda—NS8548—Lovely salmon pink. Oct. 5th.**

**September Dawn—NS8549—Early clear pink. Sept. 15th.**

**Sequoia—NS8550—Rich, mellow amber. Oct. 10th.**

**Yellow Avalanche—NS8551—Soft yellow. Decorative type. Sept. 15th.**

**PICTURE COLLECTION EARLY BLOOMING HARDY MUMS**

1 each variety pictured left. LEFT (top to bottom): AVALANCHE, CYDONIA, COURAGEOUS, SEPTEMBER DAWN. CENTER: YELLOW AVALANCHE, CARNIVAL. RIGHT (top to bottom): RED VELVET, SALMON FRIEDA, SEQUOIA, HUNTSMAN. NS8552

**ALL 10 ONLY $3.95**

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**DECORATIVE MUM PICTURE COLLECTION**

Huge Flowers up to 4" Across in Exquisite Clear Colors.

1 each variety pictured. LEFT (Top to Bottom): GILD DUST—Clear yellow, DEANNA LEE—Bright red, PRISTINE—White, CATTLEYA—Orchid Pink. CENTER (Top to Bottom): PINK DREAM—True pink, LINDA—Rose Pink, CELEBRITY—Apricot-bronze. RIGHT (Top to Bottom): PURPLE QUEEN—Deep Purple, QUEEN OF PINKS—Orchid Pink, CORAL FROST—Bronze, coral and pink.

NS8563

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**Stephanie**

Exquisite exhibition flower of clear fuchsia purple with silvery pink reverse side.

NS8617

$1 Each 3 for $2.50
NOTE: We ship Rooted Cuttings from carefully selected disease-free parent stock. Properly packed and ready to plant.

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CULTURE: Complete instructions for growing mums with each order. Approximate blooming period of each variety listed at end of description.

SUPERB 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**—NS8500—Very large white incurved exhibition type. Oct. 15th.

**Art Tashima**—NS8501—One of the best large yellows. Exhibition type. Oct. 15th.

**Bronze Champion**—NS8504—Solid coppery bronze. Globular shape flowers supported by good stems. Excellent keeping quality. Oct. 20th.

**Butter Ball**—NS8507—Clear lively yellow incurved. Giant size. Best in the early class. Oct. 5th.


**Grape Bowl**—NS8510—Very large incurved exhibition type. Deep purple at beginning, fading to rosy lavender as it matures. Oct. 15th.

**Orange Bowl**—NS8513—The color is a most beautiful shade of warm bronze with an orange overcast. Oct. 15th.

**Coronation Pink**—NS8514—A true reflexed type exhibition flower in peerless shade of light rose. Oct. 20th.

**Pickett's Maroon**—NS8516—Enthralling shade of velvety oxblood red with buff reverse. Oct. 10th.

**Rose Bowl**—NS8522—Tremendously large incurved flower in the giant exhibition class. The color is a most pleasantly deep orchid pink, almost rose. Also has extra strong stem and broad glossy foliage. Oct. 30th.

**Shirley Beauty**—NS8521—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**—NS8524—Specular large incurved yellow. Perfectly formed and easily grown. Oct. 5th.


ANY ABOVE EXHIBITION VARIETIES

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**SPIDER MUM PICTURE COLLECTION**

LEFT (Top to Bottom): MARIE, Paul Miller, GEORGINA HEEDING, BESS WITT, RUTH SCHRADER, CENTER: SARAH MORTON

NS8592
ALL 7 ONLY $2.95

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**FANTASYLAND SPIDER MUM COLLECTION**

1 each ANNE—white, BRIDESMAID—Lavender, MAMORU—Orange, GEORGINA HEEDING—Pink, PAUL MILLER—Bronze, MEL-ODY—Yellow, RAYONANTE—Rose, WHITE RAYONANTE—White, TRANQUIL—White, WALTZTIME—Orchid, PLUS ORIENTAL QUEEN.

NS8593
ALL 11 ONLY $4.95

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**COMPLETE MUM GARDEN**

The greatest money saving offer in the industry. Just think! 25 selected Chrysanthemum, enough for planting a complete mum garden for the very first year! Deco- Complete mum garden, 25 types. Spectacular, Blooms of all colors, some, white, pink, green, blue, yellow, orange, and red. Oct. 25th.

NS8541
ALL 25 PLANTS ONLY $5.95
($12.50 Value)

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**Oriental Queen**

Like a Spectacular Burst of Fireworks


NS8618
$1.00 Each
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America's Outstanding CHrysanthemums

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Stephanie
Exquisite exhibition mums of idea fuchsia purple with
delicate pink central eye.
NS8547
$1 Each 3 for $3.50

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discs from perfect stock. Properly packed and ready to
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Butter Ball—NS8555—One large white bloom. Oct. 15th.
Grape Bowl—NS8557—one large white, exhibition size. Oct. 15th.
Carnation Pink—NS8559—One large white exhibition size. Oct. 15th.
Pickett’s Maroon—NS8560—One large white bloom. Oct. 15th.
Shirley Beauty—NS8562—One large white bloom. Oct. 15th.
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**HOW TO GROW IRIS**

There is no secret in growing iris—the following simple suggestions will insure success, and you will be more than repaid when the next iris-time comes around:

1. Select a sunny, well drained location.
2. Do not plant too deeply—the rhizomes should be just below the surface of the ground. Be sure the roots are firm in the ground securely.
3. Keep well watered until the plants are established.
4. Fertilize lightly at least twice a year with a good commercial fertilizer, or well-decomposed manure, but be sure this does not come in direct contact with the rhizomes—it is the roots which need the food.
5. Divide and transplant iris every three years to insure maintaining good size flowers and abundant bloom.

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**WHITE**

**New Snow**—Snow-white blossom with a rich yellow beard and heavy substance. NS8930 75c each

**Tranquility**—Serene white with a white beard, good form and substance. NS8931 $1.00 each

**White Ruffles**—A white beauty, gracefully ruffled, broad and flaring petals. NS8932 $1.00 each

**CREAMS**

**Desert Song**—Large, ruffled cream or very light golden tan iris. NS8933 75c each

**Lady Mohr**—White standards; chartreuse fall with strong veining, patch of red-violet. NS8934 75c each

**Star Shine**—An iridescent cream with a pearly blue flush in the falls. NS8935 $1.50 each

**YELOWLS**

**Arcadia Buttercup**—Brilliant deep yellow with a satiny sheen. NS8936 $1.00 each

**Gold Ruffles**—A very beautiful soft yellow, frilled and ruffled. NS8937 75c each

**Gold Sovereign**—Medium sized flowers of a vivid and intense orange-yellow color. NS8938 75c each

**Green Pastures**—A chartreuse yellow with a touch of blue at the end of the beard. NS8939 $1.00 each

**Mohr Beauty**—Beautifully ruffled light yellow iris. Very large blooms. NS8940 $1.50 each

**Montecito**—A very lovely iris in cool lemon-yellow and frosty-white. NS8941 $2.50 each

**Ola Kala**—Deep yellow self. Stands up well in all weather. NS8942 75c each

**Pinnacle**—Clean white standards and primrose yellow falls. NS8943 $1.00 each

**BRONZE AND BROWN SHADES**

**Argus Pheasant**—A self of golden Argus-brown with a matching beard. NS8944 $1.25 each

**Russet Wings**—A smooth blend of gold, copper and apricot melting into a true russet self. NS8945 $1.00 each

**Tobacco Road**—A self of a beautiful tobacco-brown color. NS8946 $1.00 each

**PINKS**

**Cathedral Bells**—A light begonia of shrimp pink, with heavy substance and slight ruffling. NS8947 $3.00 each

**Cherie**—A lovely flesh-pink iris sharply accented by a tangerine beard. NS8948 $1.50 each

**Cloud Cap**—Lovely, big pale apple-blossom pink with an extra heavy tangerine beard. NS8949 $2.00 each

**Happy Birthday**—Larger and more colorful than most other flamingo-pinks. NS8950 $2.50 each

**Palomino**—Standards pinkish buff; falls pale ivory overlaid amber-copper at the haft. NS8951 $3.50 each

**Pink Cameo**—A lovely translucent cameo-pink of good substance and excellent branching. NS8952 75c each

**Pink Formal**—Large ruffled deep pink flowers with a salmon influence. NS8953 $1.25 each

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**VARIETIES**
ROSE AND RED SHADES

Maytime—Fresh two-toned lilac-pink with falls about three shades darker than the standards.

NS8954 $2.00 each

Oriental Glory—Mahogany-red standards; deep chestnut brown falls. Brilliant blue blaze at tip of orange-yellow beard.

NS8955 $2.00 each

Savage—Flaring flowers of burnished red with a blue blaze.

NS8956 $2.00 each

Solid Mahogany—A large mahogany-red self, fine form, smooth finish.

NS8957 75c each

Technicolor—Brilliant red-brown; the color carries exceptionally well.

NS8958 $1.50 each

Tournament Queen—An enchanting shade of fuchsia with falls slightly darker than the standards.

NS8959 $1.00 each

Winston Churchill—A deep crimson red— the standards are a glowing red while the falls are velvety.

NS8960 $1.00 each

BLUES

Blue Rhythm—Lovely cornflower blue iris. Blooms late.

NS8961 75c each

Blumohr—A William Mohr seedling of lavender-blue.

NS8962 $2.00 each

Cahokia—An exquisite shade of clear light sky-blue.

NS8963 $1.00 each

Chivalry—Ruffled flowers of a medium blue, with just a hint of violet.

NS8964 $1.00 each

Frances Craig—A classic in a Mohr type flower, with cool silvery lavender-blue blossoms.

NS8965 $3.00 each

Helen McGregor—An ethereal light-blue iris of fine substance and refinement.

NS8966 75c each

Mrs. Douglas Pattison—The color of this flower is the bluest of cornflower blue.

NS8967 $1.00 each

Pierre Menard—A medium toned hyacinth-blue iris.

NS8968 $1.25 each

ORCHID AND VIOLET SHADES

Chantilly—Pale orchid-pink, with the edges delightfully crinkled and ruffled.

NS8969 $1.00 each

Elmohr—Rich mulberry with heavily ruffled standards and falls.

NS8970 $1.00 each

Raven Wing—Dark as a raven’s wing, with much the same sheen.

NS8971 $2.00 each

Sahle—A glistening flower of very dark violet. Beautifully formed.

NS8972 60c each

NOVELTIES

Burgundy Splash—Standards are a muted burgundy-red and the falls are creamy-yellow heavily stippled a richer and more intense burgundy around the edges.

NS8973 $1.50 each

Engraved—Plicata of Onco breeding. Pearl grey flushed blue with an all-over pattern of steel grey veining.

NS8974 $2.00 each

Extravaganza—An amoena with white standards shading to cream; deep red-violet falls with a blue blaze.

NS8975 75c each

Wabash—An amoena with pure white standards and rich velvety deep violet falls bordered white.

NS8976 60c each

Victorian Veil—Big ruffled, white ground covered in rose-violet lace. Standards somewhat lighter than the falls.

NS8977 $2.50 each

PRINCESS COLLECTION

Cherie Ola Kafa

Pierre Menard

Russel Wings

Technicolor

NS8983

All 5 only $4.25

($6.00 Value)

QUEEN’S COLLECTION

Blumohr Engraved

Maytime

Mantecito

Oriental Glory

Tranquility

NS8984

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TIP-TOP COLLECTION

Argus Peacock, Burgundy Splash, Cathedral Bells, Frances Craig, Maytime, Mohr Beauty, Polamino, Raven Wing, Savage, Starshine.

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All 10 only $18.00

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Arcadia Buttercup

Blue Rhythm

Pink Cameo

Russel Wings

White Ruffles

NS8980

All 5 only $3.25

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SHOW COLLECTION

Frances Craig

Pink Formal

Pinnacle

Raven Wing

NS8981

All 4 only $5.50

($7.25 Value)
**Pink Champagne**

**Pretty PINK! Posie PINK! Poodle PINK! PINK!**

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 and 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!

**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.

**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 are “best sellers” to gardeners as well as the Flower Markets of the world with their heavy green foliage and long stemmed flowers. Requiring a minimum of gardening care for their masses of blooms, Daisies have an indispensable place in every garden.

**Marconi**

Famous among gardeners and florists is this great showy, shaggy daisy which holds its head proudly on stems often two and one-half feet tall! With four inch snow white flowers with bright yellow centers and lush green foliage, the Marconi is a true “show-off” in the garden or in flower arrangements in the home.

| NS8482 | 3 for $1.00 | 6 for $1.85 | 12 for $3.50 |

**Elizabeth**

Queen among Shasta Daisies! Imagine flowers that grow thirty inches high, with pure white, overlapping petals surrounding a double crested crown with a golden yellow center. Beautiful in mass display in the garden—decorative and long lasting in flower arrangements.

| NS8480 | 3 for $2.50 | 6 for $4.75 |

**Majestic**

A Daisy Giant! In height and unbelievably enormous flowers—sometimes 5 to 6 inches across! The spectacular blooms are enhanced by two rows of ruffle edged petals enclosing its golden cushion center. A grand daisy deserving prominence in your garden and a place of importance in festive bouquets.

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**Daisy Mum**

GERMAIN’S SENSATIONAL DAISYMUM—All the sterling qualities which made the double Shasta famous with Florists and Gardeners alike are enhanced and multiplied in the extra large double flowers of the pure snow white DAISYMUM!

| NS8481 | 3 for $2.50 | 6 for $4.75 |

**Esther Reed**

These double, pure white Daisies, blooming profusely from June to November are famous for mass beauty in the garden and cut flowers for the home. Shorter in height than some of her relatives, the Esther Reed is perfect for borders, with lovely dark green foliage and a mass of bloom.

| NS8484 | 3 for $1.00 | 6 for $1.85 | 12 for $3.50 |

**Royal Diadem Daisy Collection**

2 Each Elizabeth, Daisy Mum, Esther Reed, Majestic, Marconi.

| NS8486 | All 10 plants only $4.95 |

**Regal Daisy Collection**

3 Each Majestic, Esther Reed, Marconi.

| NS8488 | All 9 plants only $2.75 |
EXOTIC TROPICAL PLANT

Bird of Paradise

OFFICIAL FLOWER OF LOS ANGELES

STRELITZIA 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 liberally watered for most abundant bloom.

The blooms last and last as cut flowers. In great demand by florists everywhere.

NS8671 6” to 9” Tall (1½ yrs.) EACH $1.50
NS8672 12” to 14” Tall (3 yrs.) EACH $2.50

AMAZING SUN AZALEAS

The fastest selling Azalea of all. Imagine! You can plant in full sun or partial shade. These fast growing, fine sturdy plants will flood your entire garden with beautiful massive blooms each spring. The finest for foundation plantings, rockeries, along shaded glens and paths. Terrific for hillside plantings. Practically no maintenance necessary except for general watering and normal care. Handsome green foliage year around. Will stand down to 28 degrees without freezing. For areas where temperature drops below 28 degrees, winter protection must be given. Large 2 year old plants out of gallon cans, will bloom first season.

White April—NS8610—(Illustrated). Giant pure white flowers set off magnificently by lustrous green foliage. Fast grower.

Phoenicia—NS8611—The most outstanding Sun Azalea of all! Masses of large deep lavender flowers over a long blooming period. VERY STURDY GROWERS.

Pride of Dorking—NS8612—(Illustrated). Brilliant new sparkling red. Late blooming makes this handsome plant perfect for Mother's Day.

Southern Charm—NS8613—(Illustrated). Charming as the Old South. Delightful watermelon pink flowers borne in profusion all season long.

Glory of Sunning Hill—NS8614—Sensational, eye catching, large orange scarlet blooms. Dark green lush foliage and fairly low growing. Excellent for a border of Sun Azaleas.

George Taber—NS8616—Giant flowered lilac tinted blooms with deeper colored dots on upper petals. A real novelty.

ANY OF THE ABOVE SUN AZALEAS $1.95 EACH 3 FOR $4.95

SUN AZALEA COLLECTION 1 EACH OF THE ABOVE SUN AZALEAS NS8615 ALL 6 FOR $9.50
SPICY CARNATION

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.

Peppermint Sim—NS8870—Exciting new white background with red stripes.
Miller's Yellow—NS8871—Best of all yellows, strong stem and sound calyx.
White Sim—NS8872—Best of pure white. Icy clear petals delicately separate, borne on strong calyx.
Janet Tashima—NS8873—Lovely deep orange-bronze shade. Delightfully different.
Pink Sim—NS8874—The best of light pinks. Nice long stems PLUS each flower fully double.
Boston—NS8875—Deep rose pink. Excellent new variety.
Mamie—NS8876—White ground color with red penciling.
King's Crimson—NS8877—Rich dark crimson, heavy producer. Long lasting flowers.
Hollywood Sim—NS8878—Deep rose tinged with light rose on tip of each petal.
Dancing Girl—NS8879—Apricot background with red splashings and marlits.
Red Sim—NS8880—Giant, fully double, dark scarlet red flowers on long stems.
Betsy—NS8881—Pale whitish lavender ground color with each petal edged and penciled in purple.

3 FOR $1.50
6 FOR $2.85

COLLECTORS ATTENTION—Brand new varieties
6 BEAUTIFUL NEW CARNATIONS

S. ARTHUR SIMS  Red and White Variegated
CARDINAL SIM  Large bright red
ATHENA  Giant light pink
PORTRAIT  Deep Salmon pink
AUTUMN GLOW  Orange-bronze
PRIDE OF WOBURN  Orchid with silver edge

NS8888  ALL 6 NEW VARIETIES ONLY $3.50

AGAPANTHUS

A PAGEANT OF LILIES OF THE NILE

These amazing lilies in azure BLUE and frosty WHITE are now on parade. Tall graceful stems shoot up from 24 to 36 inches, with low graceful blade-like leaves. Spectacular in pots; lovely to reflect in a pool; startling against a dark background. Plant in full sun or light shade in any good garden soil. In areas where ground freezes, plant only in pots and bring inside during the winter.

Besides these beautiful BLUE and WHITE lilies, we offer you PINK AGAPANTHUS (Tulbagha Fragrans). These lovely lilies are shorter growing, with clusters of small fragrant double orchid-pink blooms. Have an exceptionally long blooming period and if used as a pot plant will even blossom during the winter months! So don't miss procuring this lovely dainty lily!

NS8923  ONE OF EACH COLOR  ALL 3 ONLY $4.95

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.

Highlight Your Garden With

Enchantress—NS8850—Lovely salmon-pink blooms create a breathtaking mass effect of color.
3 FOR $2.25
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ANY PHLOX BELOW
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6 FOR $3.50

Prime Minister—NS8851—Dazzling white with crimson eye.
Spitfire—NS8852—Orange sunset red, a Technicolor spectacle.
World Peace—NS8853—Pure white, sparkling as snow.
Rosea Superba—NS8854—Ice cream pink with cherry center.
Rosy Blue—NS8855—A bit of sky-blue-pink that dropped in your garden.
Flash—NS8856—Crimson red with a brighter center.
Starlight—NS8857—Deep violet with light eye—to catch your eye.
General Petain—NS8858—Burlyundy.

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WITH EACH COLLECTION OF ABOVE 8 VARIETIES
1 EACH ALL VARIETIES LISTED PLUS ENCHANTRESS
NS8860  ALL 9 ONLY $4.95

GARDEN SPICE COLLECTION
1 EACH ABOVE 12 BEAUTIFUL CARNATIONS
NS8899
ALL 12
ONLY $5.50
An Amazing GIANT 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. Planted in Spring it will bloom and set berries in 6 to 8 weeks. The berries are of such exceptional size you’ll say you never saw strawberries so big before. 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 and out-produces other varieties by a wide margin, even in the first year.

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

University of California Tested Strawberries
University varieties of Strawberries that have been thoroughly tested by the University of California.
25 for $1.95 100 for $6.95

Lassen NS8903 A fine variety for general use. Very vigorous and productive.

Shasta NS8904 The largest berry of the University type. Fruit bright red, extra large, with fine flavor. Recommended for coastal conditions.

NEWEST DEVELOPMENT IN DECADES
IMAGINE! Both a beautiful lush dark green ground cover PLUS delicious fresh strawberries.

Hybrid Ornamental Strawberry #25
Originated in California by Dr. L. W. Lenz. It has done extremely well in nearly every area in the United States. If you can grow strawberries, you can grow ORNAMENTAL HYBRID #25 with ease. Space plants about 18 to 24 inches apart in any good garden soil and watch ’em grow. Will grow to a height of 18 to 24 inches, very dense. If ground freezes in your area, cover with 1 to 2 feet of straw after first freeze; remove straw after the thaw in spring.

NS8900 25 for $2.95 50 for $5.50 100 for $9.95
Hangmg in size!  Hangmg in color!
Hangmg in the garden!  Hangmg in the home!
(Feat one in a bowl)

Offer them to your garden club and hear them exclain . . . FABULOUS! These varieties are the world's largest and finest and are now offered by Germain's to those who desire the very best, and to the garden club show exhibitors. Absolutely the finest at any price . . . AND HERE'S WHY . . . During the blooming season we go into the growing fields and tag the plants in each class that are superior in growth and have the giant blooms. These are dug by hand before the rest of the crop is harvested and are kept separate from other kinds. Insures absolute quality of tuber and flower.

Our choice of color and type, please. We assure you of a well balanced color selection.

No. 5081  3 BULBS ONLY $1.85  6 BULBS ONLY $3.45

Exciting Tuberous Rooted BEGONIAS
Hardy California Quality

Different, but not difficult to grow. Thrilling lush green foliage with the most magnificent wax-like flowers to highlight your garden shady spot. Can also be used as potted plant.

Double Picotee Flowered

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

No. 5080  5 TUBERS $1.95  10 TUBERS $3.65

Free Folder

Learn the secret of Begonia Success. We have prepared a special folder to be included with each Begonia purchase. You will learn just how easily your Begonias will grow for flower show quality. Any pest difficulties easily corrected.

Begonia Bargain Offer

Small tubes 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. 4 Beautiful Camellia Flowered Begonias. We choose the colors.

No. 5100  ALL 4 TUBERS ONLY $1.00

Double Ruffled Camellia

This exciting new is the result of twenty years of selection and breeding. Combining the best qualities of the Carnation type with the form and size of the Double Camellia, they are rivaling all other types in popularity. Huge Flowers beautifully formed with Ruffled and Frilled edges.

No. 5075  5 TUBERS $1.95 (EACH A DIFFERENT SHADE)  10 TUBERS $3.65 (2 EACH A DIFFERENT SHADE)

Hanging Basket

SENSATIONAL BEAUTY

One of the most beautiful of all flowering plants. Its hanging habit with great masses of blooms make them favored for garden decorations. May be grown anywhere when protected from the direct sun and strong wind.

No. 5085  3 TUBERS $1.35 (EACH A DIFFERENT SHADE) 6 TUBERS $2.50 (2 EACH A DIFFERENT SHADE)

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

BEGONIAS are beautiful and spectacular additions to your garden. Can also be used as potted plants.
ANEMONES

Giant French Anemones
Now! Germain’s selected BEST! Another New fast growing favorite flower that can be planted along with the brilliant RANUNCULUS—any time from August to Spring. (Plant in early Spring in cold areas.)

These Giant French Anemones resemble enormous poppies, and come in exciting bright hues of blue, red, pink and white.

No. 5025—MIXED COLORS
LARGE BULBS
12 for $1.29 48 for $5.75
24 for $2.58 96 for $11.25

Giant Blooming Ranunculus
America’s Favorite Cut Flower
Largest Strain in the World—Camellia Flowered

The popularity of this semi-hardy, fast growing bulb is still growing by leaps and bounds throughout the nation. This season, flowers are better than ever. The Ranunculus is EASY TO GROW and will produce an abundance of glorious Camellia flowered blooms for weeks and weeks. You can plant them in your garden any time from August to Spring in areas of mild winters. (If you have severe winters, plant after freezing.) The exceptionally bright, beautiful and exotic colors will fill your garden with unsurpassed beauty and brilliance.

No. 5040—MIXED COLORS
JUMBO BULBS
12 for $1.55 48 for $5.75
24 for $3.09 96 for $11.25

CALLA LILIES

Calla Lilies
Golden Yellow
Grand, deep yellow flowers on tall stems. Leaves are spotted white.

No. 5148
3 BULBS ONLY $1.00

Calla Lilies
Rare Pink
Exceptionally lovely calla produces dainty carmine rose flowers about 2” in diameter.

No. 5145
3 BULBS ONLY $1.00

SPECIAL OFFER
HUGE GOLDEN CALLA LILY BULBS
Yeast Mammoth bulbs, larger than any offer we have made in the past. FOR SPECIAL POT PLANTS AND SPECIMENS.

No. 5147
1 BULB ONLY $1.00
3 BULBS ONLY $2.50

COMBINATION OFFER—GIANT RANUNCULUS AND ANEMONES
The perfect combination for cut flowers and garden show. (25 Ranunculus and 50 Anemones.)

No. 5055
75 BULBS
Only $1.89

SPECIAL MONEY-SAVING COLLECTION OFFER—RANUNCULUS
Best Bulb bargain ever offered. These bedding size Ranunculus bulbs will produce a mass of colorful cut flowers that will highlight your whole garden.

No. 5042
25 BULBS ONLY $1.00

SENSATIONAL BARGAIN OFFER FOR MASS GARDEN DISPLAY
Buy Ranunculus Bulbs in Bulk—Save
No. 5051
Mixed Colors—Blooming Size Bulbs
1/4 lb. (Approximately 400 to 500 bulbs)
ONLY $6.75
**Tiger-Flower** (Tigridia)

Sensational Garden Flower—Easy to Grow

One of the most rewarding plants we know—yet few people are familiar with this flower. Beautiful colors with chartreuse spotted center cup. Plant in 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

**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. Again we have selected the most satisfactory varieties from Belgium. Each collection will contain 1 bulb of the following colors: Red and White, Blue and White, Bright Red, Spotted Red and Blue.

No. 5298  5 BULBS ONLY $2.25
10 BULBS ONLY $4.25

**Tuberose** (Double Pearl)

Many beautiful pure white flowers are produced on tall majestic spikes. Their fragrance and beauty are reminiscent of grandmother’s lovely garden. Last in the ground for years in Southern California and the South. In colder areas, start in pots and plant in garden after cold weather has passed. Ideal for pot plants; 3 to 4 in a pot make a grand show.

No. 5792  8 BULBS ONLY $1.00

**Sprekelia 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 a glossy, deep green. Excellent for corsages, bouquets, or as a thrilling table decoration. Ideal as an indoor pot plant. Plant outdoors in mild areas of the South and West. Culture, same as for Amaryllis. Plant with top of bulb exposed.

No. 5815  3 BULBS ONLY $2.25
6 BULBS ONLY $4.00

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These Money Saving Bulb Collections Not Available After May 1st.

**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 CALADIUM**

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 still retain a profusion of magnificent foliage in the pot or garden. Cast high? Yes, but well worth it. TRY THEM THIS YEAR.

No. 5173
1 HUGE BULB ONLY $1.25
3 HUGE BULBS ONLY $3.25

Our Choice of Color, Please

**SPECIAL BARGAIN OFFER**

**FANCY LEAF CALADIUMS**

BEDDING SIZE BULBS

No. 5180
3 BULBS ONLY $1.00

**Candidum**

Very popular Easter variety. Snow white with green veins and network.

**Crimson Wave**

Large deep green leaves with crinkled, transparent crimson or scarlet center and many crimson spots towards edge. A really strong grower.

**Lord Derby**

Transparent rose with dark green ribs and narrow green edge. Very popular.

**Reconcavo**

A fine strong grower, delicate rose center with crimson ribs.

**Scarlet Pimpernelle**

Bright red center with scarlet ribs, creamy yellow leaf border.

No. 5170
5 Bulbs (1 Each Above) ONLY $2.35
10 Bulbs (2 Each Above) ONLY $4.50
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.

SPECIAL NOTE: Only Offer No. 5273 is processed from cooked planting stock.

Crater Lake (Midseason) Large violet-blue with slight cream feather in throat.
Carnival (Early midseason) Bright scarlet with clear white throat. Ruffled.
King David (Midseason) Deep velvet purple with a silver picotee edging on the petals. Ruffled.
White Symphony (Early midseason) Heavy textured snow white. Ruffled and fluted.
Lady Jane (Midseason) Clear cream with yellow lip petals. Plain petaled.
Picardy (Midseason) Large salmon pink with a slight feather in the throat. Plain petaled.
Poinsettia (Midseason) A pure light red with no markings in the throat. Ruffled.
Alfred Nobel (Late) "Azalea" pink with an explosion blotch of cream extending along ribs.
Lavender Beauty (Midseason) Orchid lavender with faint cream lines on a slightly deeper lavender throat. Frilled.
Lila Wallace (Early midseason) A small deep velvet rose. Ruffled.
Paradise (Early) Large apricot with a narrow line of scarlet in the throat. Plain petaled.
Belle Jaune (Very early) Medium deep yellow. Plain petaled.

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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

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

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 $2.25
50 BULBS ..... ONLY $4.25
100 BULBS ..... ONLY $7.95

GERMAIN'S SPECIAL
GLADIOLUS BARGAIN COLLECTIONS

Medium size bulbs, but larger than the bulbs used by commercial cut flower growers in Southern California. Beautiful flowers from every bulb. This is our FAMOUS "$" SPECIAL in Gladiolus.

No. 5278
15 BULBS ..... ONLY $1.00
30 BULBS ..... ONLY $1.89
45 BULBS ..... ONLY $2.75
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