

# ROSE CATALOGUE 1973



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# ROSES



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The following list includes the best of the new and the old, all of which we can recommend with every confidence.

## BUSH HYBRID TEA ROSES

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- \* **ANNE WATKINS** (M). Delicate pale salmon, shapely buds flush pink. \$1.30
- \* **APOLLO** (M). 1972 Armstrong introduction. AARS winner for 1971-72. A bright light yellow rose on long stout stems. A vigorous well-formed plant. \$1.80
- AQUARIUS** (T). AARS winner for 1971. Perfectly shaped blooms of beautifully blended shades of pink. Vigorous and upright. \$1.50
- † \* **ARIANNA** (MEIdali 0535F) (M). Warm coral, splashed rose-carmine. \$1.10
- † **ARTURO TOSCANINI** (MEIlucre 0692F) (S). 1972 introduction. Large flowers of rich Turkey red. Weather resistant and free flowering. \$1.80

† **ATOLL** (MEIbystar 734F) (M). Large blooms, satin vermillion on the inside of the petals and porcelain rose on the outside. The dazzling blooms are set off against the glossy dark green foliage. Very free flowering. \$1.80

- † \* **BARONNE DE ROTHSCHILD** (MEIgriso 0565F) (M). A striking rose of iridescent ruby colouring with a silvery reverse. \$1.10
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- \* **BEWITCHED** (T). Clear phlox pink, long stems. \$1.10
- \* **BLACK VELVET** (M). Rich dark velvety red. \$1.30
- \* **BLUE MOON** (M). Shapely blooms of soft lavender blue. The best in this colour range. \$1.10
- \* **BONSOIR** (M). Deep shell pink flowers of excellent form. Vigorous and bushy. \$1.30
- BRASILIA** (M). Rich red and yellow bicolour, upright growth. \$1.30
- \* **BURNABY** (M). Large blooms of lemon-yellow, flushed pink. \$1.10
- † \* **CARINA** (T). Perfect soft satin rose pink blooms. \$1.10
- \* **CARLA** (M). Camellia rose to dawn pink, ideal for cutting. \$1.10
- \* **CASANOVA** (T). An apricot rose that really grows, long stems. \$1.10
- \* **CENTURY TWO** (M). 1972 Armstrong introduction. Large beautifully shaped blooms of deep pink with warmer tones towards the centre. Vigorous and free branching. \$1.80
- CHICAGO PEACE** (T). Rich shimmering pink overlaid with canary yellow and a copper base. \$1.10
- \* **COLOGNE CARNIVAL** (M). Silver blue with darker veinings. \$1.10
- \* **CRIMSON GLORY** (M). Well formed deep velvety red. \$1.10
- \* **DAYDREAM** (T). Long urn-shaped buds opening to deep pink with a dash of gold. Perfect for cutting. \$1.50
- \* **DUKE OF WINDSOR** (S). An exciting new rose. Dazzling orange-vermillion. Beautifully shaped flowers on a compact bush. \$1.50
- \* **EIFFEL TOWER** (T). Extremely long buds of warm pastel pink. \$1.10
- \* **EL CID** (M). A glowing orange-scarlet. The flower form is delightful at all stages. A spreading bush, profuse flowering. \$1.50



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- \* **EROTICA** (M). Dark velvet crimson, a vigorous bushy plant. \$1.30
- † \* **FERIA** (MEIfrison 0596F) (S). Chinese coral, flushed with sunset-rose, Indian yellow on the reverse. Robust and disease resistant. \$1.30
- FIRST LOVE** (T). Delicate pink buds, perfect for cutting. \$1.10
- FIRST PRIZE** (T). Large exhibition blooms of two-toned pink, satin and carmine. \$1.30
- \* **FRAGRANT CLOUD** (M). Deep vermilion red. Large perfectly formed blooms with magnificent bushy growth. \$1.10
- \* **HELEN TRAUBEL** (M). Light warm pink and soft apricot. \$1.10
- \* **HONEY FAVOURITE** (M). Clear pink with yellow base. \$1.10

† \* **IMPERATOR** (MEIperator 736F) (M). Rich cardinal red with cherry red in the centre and on the edges, and shaded with purple. Shapely, long lasting flowers borne on a prolific bush. \$1.80

- † **INTERFLORA** (MEIretni 0593F) (M). Large, high centred flowers of clear coral scarlet. The shape and colour are outstanding and the blooms are unrivalled for cutting. A vigorous, healthy plant with great freedom of flowering. \$1.50
- IRISH MIST** (M). Well-formed blooms of warm salmon-orange. \$1.30
- ISOBEL DE ORTIZ** (T). Deep pink with a silvery reverse. \$1.10
- \* **JOSEPHINE BRUCE** (S). Classic blooms of deep velvety crimson. \$1.10
- † \* **KABUKI** (MEIgold 0534F) (M). Firm buds of burnt orange unfurl to intense luminous yellow. \$1.10

**KENTUCKY DERBY** (M). Rich dark red. Beautifully formed on long sturdy stems. A vigorous healthy plant. \$1.80

- KING'S RANSOM** (M). Rich pure yellow blooms of perfect shape. \$1.10
- \* **LADY SETON** (M). Soft coral pink. Free flowering. \$1.10
- † \* **LADY X** (MEIfigu 0470F) (T). Delicate mauve. Good for cutting. \$1.10
- † **MAJORETTE** (M). Coppery coral, flushed with pink. \$1.10
- † **MARIA CALLAS** (M). Deep rich carmine blooms of excellent shape. A vigorous free flowering bush. \$1.10
- † \* **MICHELE MEILLAND** (M). Delicate pale pink shaded apricot. \$1.10
- † **MME. HILDA HEINEMANN** (MEIgalil 0651F) (S). 1972 introduction. An exceptionally free-flowering rose. Deep currant red lightened with crimson red. Full flowers carried on a vigorous compact bush. \$1.80
- MULLARD JUBILEE** (M). A magnificent new garden rose. Shapely rose pink. Always in flower. \$1.50
- OLD TIMER** (M). Large well-formed blooms of burnt copper. \$1.30
- † \* **PAPA MEILLAND** (M). Shapely blooms of deep velvety crimson. \$1.10

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- PASCALI** (M). Soft creamy white. Beautifully formed. \$1.10
- † **PEACE** (T). Rich yellow, petals tinged pink, reliable. \$1.10
- PEER GYNT** (M). Unfading deep yellow edged with pink. Good form. \$1.30
- \* **PERCY THROWER** (S). Clear rose-pink. Bushy. \$1.10
- † \* **PHAROAN** (M). Strawberry-red with crimson-carmine reflections. \$1.10
- PICCADILLY** (M). The perfect bedding rose. Scarlet and gold. \$1.10
- \* **PILGRIM** (M). Dark red pointed flowers. Very floriferous. A vigorous disease resistant bush. \$1.50

† **PREZIOSA** (MEIhimper 737F) (M). Nicely pointed buds, cherry red inside, buttercup yellow outside opening to aureolin yellow and delicate Tyrian rose suffused with cherry red. A sturdy bush with glossy foliage. \$1.80

- † \* **PRINCESS MARGARET OF ENGLAND** (MEIlista 0595F) (M). An elegant rose of luminous rose pink produced on a wonderful plant. \$1.30
- \* **RED DEVIL** (M). Exhibition blooms of deep scarlet with a lighter reverse. Vigorous and healthy. \$1.30
- RED LION** (T). Well shaped blooms of bright unfading scarlet. \$1.10
- \* **RED PLANET** (M). Crimson red with darker overtones. Weather resistant with healthy growth. \$1.50
- ROTOR CHAMPAGNER** (M). Slender buds of deep rose pink. \$1.30
- † \* **SAMOURAI** (M). Tyrian red lightening to rose red at petal edge. \$1.10
- SHANNON** (M). Large classic shaped blooms of clear pink. \$1.30
- SILVER LINING** (M). Silvery rose pink, paler reverse. \$1.10
- SUMMER HOLIDAY** (M). Striking vermillion orange. \$1.30
- SUMMER SUNSHINE** (M). Brilliant golden yellow. Free flowering. \$1.10
- \* **SUPER STAR** (T). Beautifully shaped blooms of glowing vermillion orange on long stems. Wonderful for cutting. \$1.10
- \* **SUTTERS GOLD** (T). Rich yellow overlaid with red. \$1.10
- \* **SWEET AFTON** (T). White blooms blushed pink. \$1.10
- \* **TIFFANY** (M). Deep pink, golden yellow shadings. \$1.10
- TOUCH OF VENUS** (M). Beautifully formed from the bud through to the open flower. Pure white except for the pale pink centre. \$1.50
- TRADITION** (M). Dainty, velvet red blooms. \$1.10
- \* **TZIGANE** (M). Scarlet-red and yellow bicolour. \$1.10
- UNCLE WALTER** (T). Unfading rich scarlet with crimson shadings. \$1.10
- \* **VIENNA CHARM** (T). Huge flowers of burnished copper-gold. \$1.10
- VIRGO** (M). Pure white, long pointed buds edged with pink. \$1.10
- WESTERN SUN** (M). Large unfading deep golden yellow. \$1.10
- \* **WHISKEY MAC** (M). Deep harvest gold, bronzed in the bud. Bushy and prolific. \$1.30
- WITCHING HOUR** (M). Intense dark velvety red. \$1.30
- YOUKI-SAN** (M). Pure white blooms of perfect shape, freely produced on a vigorous plant. \$1.10



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IMPERATOR Grandiflora MEIperator 0736 F 1973



PREZIOSA H.T. MEIhmper 0737 F (1973)







SONOMA FL.B. (SUMATRA x CIRCUS) (5740-A-198) (1973)



ARTURO TOSCANINI H.T. MEillucre 0692F 1972



SWEET HOME Floribunda MEIhivano 0694 F 1972



## BUSH FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Floribunda Roses flower profusely, beginning the first season and continuing year after year. Apart from their sturdiness and ease of culture, which makes them wonderful for beds or borders, Floribundas, with their masses of bloom, come in a very wide range of colour and form.

- ALLGOLD** (S). Deep, unfading golden yellow, healthy. \$1.10
- \* **APRICOT NECTAR** (M). Rich warm apricot. Vigorous growth. \$1.10
- ARABIAN NIGHTS** (T). Brilliant salmon-orange. Upright habit. \$1.10
- † **CHARLESTON** (M). Chrome yellow and scarlet. \$1.10
- CITY OF BELFAST** (S). Winner N.Z. International Trial Grounds 1970. Dazzling bright red. Weatherproof trusses. \$1.50
- CITY OF LEEDS** (T). Deep salmon orange. Unbeatable for growth and flower production. Weatherproof. \$1.10
- CONTEMPO** (M). Coppery-orange flushed red. \$1.10
- \* **COURVOISIER** (M). Lovely old gold colour. Upright and healthy growth. \$1.30
- DIAMANT** (T). Dazzling orange-scarlet in huge trusses. \$1.10
- \* **ELIZABETH OF GLAMIS** (M). Gorgeous deep apricot salmon. \$1.10
- EUROPEANA** (M). Dark crimson, rosette shaped blooms. \$1.10
- EVELYN FISON** (M). Bold trusses of intense bright red. \$1.10
- † **FLORIAN** (Mellaur 0695F) (S). 1972 introduction. A spectacular mass of fiery currant red with iridescent cardinal red hues. Disease resistant bushy growth. \$1.80
- \* **GAY PRINCESS** (M). Soft shell pink of good form. \$1.30
- ICE WHITE** (M). H.T. shaped blooms of dazzling white. \$1.10
- ICEBERG** (T). Long sprays of pure white. \$1.10
- JAZZ FEST** (M). 1972 Armstrong introduction. Masses of bright, cherry-red semi-double blooms. Vigorous and compact. \$1.80
- † \* **KALINKA** (MElhartfo 0652F) (M). An outstanding new bedding rose. Elegant flowers of porcelain pink with deeper azalea shadings. Robust with disease resistant foliage. \$1.50
- \* **ORANGE SENSATION** (M). Rich Indian orange to poppy red. \$1.10
- PINK PARFAIT** (M). Perfect buds of pastel pink and cream. \$1.10
- † **PRINCE IGOR** (MElhigor 0653F) (S). Nasturtium red in the bud, vermillion shading to red when fully opened. Bushy, compact habit and perfectly healthy. \$1.10
- QUEEN ELIZABETH** (T). Large blooms of soft pink. \$1.10

† **RUSTICANA** (MElIena 735F) (M). Elegant flowers of orange vermillion. Exceptionally floriferous. Healthy and hardy. \$1.80  
Highly recommended.

\* **SONOMA** (S). Well formed blooms of beautiful salmon-pink. \$1.80  
Neat bushy growth. Excellent for cut flowers.

- † \* **SWEET HOME** (MElhavano 0694F) (M). 1972 introduction. H.T. shaped blooms of delightful china rose. Nice bushy growth well clothed with dark green foliage. \$1.80
- † **TAMANGO** (M). Glowing garnet-red, weatherproof. \$1.10
- TIKI** (M). Soft pink shaded apricot. \$1.10
- \* **TORCHY** (S). Delightfully formed flowers of an electrifying tangerine. Continuously in bloom. \$1.50
- VIOLET CARSON** (M). Pale translucent salmon pink. \$1.10
- ZAMBRA** (M). Large trusses of pure apricot orange. \$1.10

## CLIMBING ROSES

Climbing Roses, trained against walls, over fences and pergolas, doorways, gateways and arches, give an unrivalled show of flowers. Cultural requirements are the same as for Bush Roses.

- \* **BANKSIA LUTEA.** Clusters of pale yellow flowers. Thornless. \$1.20
- † \* **BENVENUTO.** Rose-red streaked with cerise, yellow centre. \$1.20
- \* **BIG SPLASH.** Large flowers of blended shades of flame red with a yellow centre and silver reverse. Perpetual flowering. \$1.50
- \* **BIRTHDAY PRESENT.** Semi-double dark velvet red. \$1.20
- † \* **CARINA.** H.T. type blooms of satin pink. \$1.20
- \* **CASINO.** Large well shaped blooms of deep yellow. Ever-blooming. \$1.30
- \* **CECILE BRUNNER.** Perfectly shaped blooms of delicate salmon-pink with coppery centre. \$1.20
- † **CHAMPS ELYSEES.** Rich velvety crimson ideal for cutting. \$1.20
- † **CHARLESTON.** Gay and colourful, yellow and scarlet changing to pink and crimson. \$1.80
- † **CONCERTO.** Large trusses of luminous geranium lake. \$1.20
- \* **CORAL DAWN.** Double blooms of sparkling coral-pink. \$1.20
- \* **GOLDEN SHOWERS.** Shapely flowers of golden yellow. \$1.20
- \* **HANDEL.** Cream flushed straw-yellow, edged light carmine. \$1.20
- † \* **ISKRA (MElhaiti 0654F).** Intense scarlet red semi-double blooms. Repeat flowering. Welcome for the striking colour and freedom of growth. \$1.50
- † **MARIA CALLAS.** Luminous rich carmine. Hybrid tea blooms. \$1.20
- \* **MESSAGE.** White with a luminous green sheen. \$1.20
- † \* **MICHELE MEILLAND.** Delicate pink shaded apricot. \$1.20
- † \* **PRINCESS MARGARET OF ENGLAND.** Luminous bright rose. \$1.30
- \* **SCHOOLGIRL.** Large H.T. type burnt-orange blooms. Perpetual flowering. \$1.30
- \* **SPEK'S YELLOW.** Shapely blooms of rich golden yellow. \$1.20
- \* **SUPER STAR.** Glowing vermillion orange. Perfectly shaped and wonderful for cutting. \$1.20
- \* **SUTTERS GOLD.** Rich yellow overlaid with orange-red. \$1.20
- † **ZAMBRA. (MElalfisar 0602F).** Luminous, striking Indian orange changing to Dutch vermillion. Large trusses. \$1.30

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## STANDARD ROSES

Roses worked on a 2ft 6in standard are shapely and elegant. They can be used among beds of annuals and perennials and give variety of form to the displays of other types of Roses. Treatment is the same as for Bush Roses with one exception—they must be staked.

For full descriptions refer to bush roses. All priced at \$2.00 each.

### HYBRID TEAS

BARONNE DE ROTHSCHILD  
BLUE MOON  
CARINA  
CHICAGO PEACE  
EL CID  
FERIA  
FRAGRANT CLOUD  
IRISH MIST  
JOSEPHINE BRUCE  
KING'S RANSOM  
LADY X  
MAJORETTE

MARIA CALLAS  
PAPA MEILLAND  
PASCALI  
PEACE  
PHARAON  
PRINCESS MARGARET  
SUMMER SUNSHINE  
SUPER STAR  
SUTTERS GOLD  
TOUCH OF VENUS  
WHISKEY MAC

### FLORIBUNDAS

ARTHUR BELL  
CHARLESTON  
CITY OF LEEDS  
EUROPEANA

KALINKA  
PINK PARFAIT  
PRINCE IGOR  
ZAMBRA

## WEEPING STANDARD ROSES

On their 5ft to 6ft stems, these make outstanding specimens either in a lawn, or in the centre of a bed. Weeping standards should be summer pruned; that is, immediately after flowering. Any old, or over mature trailing stems can also be removed. This encourages long growths during summer which flower the following spring. We believe the following are the best of their colour.

- \* **CRIMSON SHOWER.** Semi-double rosettes of brilliant crimson. \$5.00
- \* **LADY GAY.** Double, rich rose-pink. \$5.00
- \* **PRIMA VERA.** Bright yellow, vigorous. \$5.00
- \* **SANDERS WHITE.** Fully double, pure white. \$5.00



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## MINIATURE ROSES

Miniature Roses are recommended for borders, low hedges, rockeries, or for growing in tubs or troughs.

\$1.00 each or six for \$5.00.

† **BABY BACCARA.** Deep dark red, miniature BACCARA blooms on a bush 3-4 feet high.

**BABY MASQUERADE.** Multi-coloured, yellow, pink, lemon, orange.

\* **BEAUTY SECRET.** Shapely blooms of brilliant dark red, free flowering.

\* **CINDERELLA.** Shell pink centre shading to pure white at petal edge.

† \* **COLIBRI.** Vivid apricot, shaded copper orange.

\* **JET TRAIL.** Perfectly formed blooms of purest white.

† **MIMI.** Clear pink. Exceptionally free flowering.

† **MINUETTO** (MEllucca 0696F). 1972 introduction. Mandarin red opening to vermillion red with a yellow base. A charming new colour in miniatures. \$1.60

† **PETITE FOLIE** (MElherode 0598F). Brilliant orange red.

† \* **SCARLET GEM.** Double flowers of clear bright scarlet.

† \* **STARINA.** Oriental red with gold and carmine reverse.

MINIATURE ROSES ON 15 INCH STANDARDS \$1.50 each.

**BABY MASQUERADE**

**CINDERELLA**

**COLIBRI**

**JET TRAIL**

**LITTLE BUCKAROO**

**MIMI**

**PETITE FOLIE**

**SCARLET GEM**

**STARINA**

**YELLOW DOLL**

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OUR GUARANTEE: We do our best to ensure that at the time our plants leave our nursery they are true name and healthy and provided they have not been damaged in transit and are planted promptly and are properly cared for and are not exposed to abnormal conditions, we guarantee to replace any plant which, within four months from the day of despatch from our nursery, is found to be not true to name or which does not live and grow. If no notification of any claim is received by us by the expiry of the period of four months then this guarantee ceases to be effective. Any other express or implied conditions, statements or warranties, statutory or otherwise, are in any event hereby excluded. If the purchaser does not wish to accept goods under the above conditions they are to be returned to us at once.





KENTUCKY DERBY H.T. J.S.ARMSTRONG x GRAND SLAM 5933-A-244 1973



APOLLO H.T. (6334-B-227. . 1972 )



TOUCH OF VENUS H.T. (5879-B-9. . 1971)