



Berberis thunbergii 'Crimson Pygmy'
Dwarf Japanese Barberry
 Reddish-purple foliage on this classic dwarf Barberry with small leaves on arching spiny stems at 2-3'. Here's a shrub that handles most any kind of soil as long as it's not waterlogged. Its dense habit and ability to blend well with a host of perennials and other shrubs make this plant a natural choice for design. **Plant 3' apart.**

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Buddleia davidii 'Black Knight'
Butterfly Bush
 An extra heavy producer, this deciduous shrub has silvery foliage and rich deep purple-black flowers attracting butterflies, hummingbirds, and bees on dense spikes that bloom from July to fall. We recommend cutting back to 6-10" each spring before it starts new growth. While it breaks dormancy late each spring, once started by warm weather, it will grow very fast from 5-6'. **Plant 36" apart.**

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Buddleia davidii 'Nanho Purple'
Butterfly Bush
 Graceful, nodding spikes of purple flowers appear on 4-5' stems in July and then through the summer. Outstanding for its spreading (up to 6'), dwarf habit, it has pleasing, silver-green foliage. Blooms are slightly fragrant. 'Nanho Purple' can take heavy pruning in the spring before new growth appears. **Plant 36" apart**

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Buddleia davidii 'Pink Delite'
Butterfly Bush
 An unending source of cut flowers and garden beauty, the 'Pink Delite' Butterfly Bush, like our other varieties, blooms abundantly the same year as planted and is easy to grow with little or no care. The pink flower spikes grow up to 15" long on stems from 5-6' tall. It has a pronounced fragrance and the usual swarm of butterflies. **Plant 36" apart.**

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Buddleia davidii 'Royal Red'
Butterfly Bush
 A deep wine-red in color, the blooms of 'Royal Red' appear from July to September on this fountain-shaped 4-6' tall Butterfly Bush. All our varieties thrive in average to moist, well-drained soils and, of course, attract many varieties of butterflies. Striking combined with the blue of Caryopteris. **Plant 36" apart.**

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Buddleia davidii 'White Ball'
Dwarf Butterfly Bush
 As a not-so-big white Butterfly Bush, try 3-4' 'White Ball' for a long season of sweet blooms. It is adaptable to the border where this little woody perennial will not overwhelm surrounding herbaceous perennials with its more modest size while blooming from mid-July-September. **Plant 36" apart.**

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Flowering Shrubs



Caryopteris clandonensis
'Dark Knight'
Blue Beard

A low-growing, late-blooming shrub that reaches a height of only 2-3', with clusters of deepest dark blue flowers from August through September. The foliage is lance-shaped and silvery-green. Makes an eye-popping show combined with the rich purple-black plumes of Buddleia 'Black Knight' and Chrysanthemum 'Sheffield'. **Plant 24" apart.**

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Caryopteris x clandonensis
'First Choice'
Blue Beard

This new compact form of Caryopteris has deep inky-blue buds that open to large cobalt-blue flowers, which are profuse on erect stems from late August to early October. Best of all, the rounded compact habit means 'First Choice' requires little pruning and won't have the floppy habit some cultivars exhibit. Pest and disease-free, it reaches about 36" at maturity. PP#11958. **Plant 24" apart.**

Zones 5 - 9     



Caryopteris x clandonensis
'Inoveris' Grand Bleu TM
Blue Beard

It blooms in mid to late summer with deep violet blue flowers, which are said to resemble blue mist. It has glossy green leaves on a neatly compact plant and the foliage is aromatic when brushed. Grows 24-30" in height. PP#11958.

Plant 24" apart

Zones 4 - 9     



Caryopteris x clandonensis
'Pink Chablis' TM

This is a whole new color for Caryopteris. It has pale pink flower clusters and bluish-green, slightly rounded leaves. Blooms in late summer and grows to about 24". Try it in your butterfly garden along with Echinacea, Coreopsis, Nepeta, Veronica, and Scabiosa. **Plant 24" apart.**

Zones 5 - 9     



Fothergilla major 'Mt. Airy'

Fothergilla is a group of deciduous, spring-flowering shrubs known for fall color and fragrant flowers. We have chosen to grow 'Mt. Airy' because of its vigorous growth habit (to 5'), lovely autumn color, dependable cold hardiness, and the bonus of those white flowers that open as leaves emerge in spring. Fall color is most brilliant where this shrub is grown in full sun.

Plant 3' apart.

Zones 5 - 9      



Hydrangea aborescens 'Annabelle'
Smooth Hydrangea

The classic brilliantly white "mop-head" blooms of 'Annabelle' are evident from May-July, and can be 12" in diameter. The shrub's shape is definitely a rounded mound, broader than high at maturity. Figure the height at 3-5'. Try it with Spiraeas for a real summer show. Deciduous 'Annabelle' can be cut to within 6" of the ground in late winter.

Plant 5' apart.

Zones 3 - 9      



Hydrangea macrophylla
'Blue Wave'
Lacecap Hydrangea

This hardy Hydrangea has the distinct flower heads to which the term "Lacecap" refers: a small cluster of deep blue flowers in the center with a ring of large, flat flowers. Hardy and tough, the blue flowers turn a parchment pink hue as cool autumn arrives. This long bloomer reaches 6' in height and can be 12' across and is not fussy about soil. **Plant 5' apart.**

Zones 5 - 9     





Hydrangea macrophylla 'Glowing Embers'
Lacecap Hydrangea
 The blooms of 'Glowing Embers' are aptly named. The fat round flower heads are first tinged with an orange-red, and then seem to be engulfed with fiery crimson that lasts from July into the fall. The glossy bright green leaves form a tidy 3 - 4' shrub with flowers close to the leaves.
Plant 5' apart.

Zones 5 - 9



Hydrangea macrophylla 'Nikko Blue'
Lacecap Hydrangea
 We are growing this old-fashioned 6' Hydrangea for its deep blue showy flower heads and the usefulness of its flowers when cut fresh all summer long for indoors, or dried for later on. 'Nikko Blue' is tolerant of some shade and handles coastal conditions with ease, as most Hydrangeas do. As soil acidity increases, the blue color is more intense; in neutral soil the flower globes can be both pink and blue. **Plant 5' apart**

Zones 5 - 9



Hydrangea macrophylla 'Pia'
Dwarf Garden Hydrangea
 Flower heads are a rich, rose pink and can be 4-5" across on 'Pia'. This Hydrangea is unique for its very dwarf, compact form. It grows from 18 - 24" tall and about 24" wide with lovely rich green leaves. It will maintain its color in all soil types, staying pink even in acidic soils. Blooms appear in June and July, and continue well into the summer. **Plant 3' apart.**

Zones 5 - 9



Itea virginica 'Henry's Garnet'
Virginia Sweetspire
 'Henry's Garnet' has fragrant 6" long white racemes in June and July in good quantity. The rich green leaves make a nice rounded shape 4 - 5' high and 6' wide. Its foliage in the fall is dependably brilliant reddish-purple in color before fulfilling its deciduous life cycle.
Plant 5' apart.

Zones 5 - 9



Itea virginica 'Little Henry'
Dwarf Virginia Sweetspire
 The arching shoots of native 'Little Henry' bear the same fragrant white bottlebrush blooms as 'Henry's Garnet', but this handy little deciduous shrub reaches 2 1/2' tall at best. Tidy in shape, the shiny dark green leaves turn brilliantly red-purple in fall. As a foil for competing perennial colors in the border, for foliage contrast, or massed on its own. PP#10988. **Plant 3' apart.**

Zones 5 - 8



Spiraea japonica 'Golden Elf'
Dwarf Bridal Wreath
 A very small, low-growing deciduous shrub, being 8" in height with a spread of about 24" that features small golden oval leaves. This particular Spiraea has pink flowers that bloom in May and last through July. Spiraea looks nice in a rock garden or in the front of a border. Remove spent flowers for new growth. It can be pruned back in late winter. **Plant 2' apart.**

Zones 4 - 8



Spiraea japonica 'Little Princess'
Dwarf Bridal Wreath
 Many clusters of pale pink, flat-topped flowers are carried above small dark green leaves in June and July, and intermittently into early fall. This handy dwarf deciduous shrub has a compact 2' height that could be the anchor in your small perennial border. **Plant 2' apart.**

Zones 4 - 8



Spiraea japonica 'Magic Carpet'
Bridal Wreath
 While the 24" height is a plus, the chartreuse to light yellow leaf color of 'Magic Carpet' will add an unusual color accent to the perennial border, or massed on its own. Vivid orange-red new stems with deep rose pink flowers in June-July complete the vibrant combination of colors that will drift through the landscape and combine nicely with a host of perennials. PP9363. **Plant 3' apart**

Zones 4 - 8



Spiraea japonica 'Neon Flash' Bridal Wreath

In any decent garden soil 'Neon Flash' will be a dependable long bloomer in June and July, and then off and on until fall. Its blooms are a rich dark rosy pink color, which contrasts nicely with the dark green tidy foliage. Expect this upright deciduous shrub to reach about 3-4' in height. 'Neon Flash' is trouble-free, easy to grow, and long-lived.

Plant 3' apart

Zones 4 - 8    



Weigela florida 'French Lace' TM

This 3-4' deciduous shrub has arresting rose red nodding tubular flowers in May-June. But like so many shrubs of special interest to perennial gardeners, it's the variegated foliage that offers a striking presence in the landscape all season long. Leaves are green with bright yellow margins. What a background for those red flowers!

PPAF. **Plant 3' apart.**

Zones 4 - 8    



Weigela florida 'Wine & Roses' TM ('Alexandra')

Weigelas are primarily grown for their trumpet-shaped flowers that appear in May and June, and then sporadically through the summer. 'Wine & Roses' has deep rose-pink 1-2" long funnel flowers. When combined with the 4 - 5' dark burgundy wine-colored foliage of this particular Weigela, gardeners have a deciduous shrub that provides interest all season.

PP#10772. **Plant 3' apart.**

Zones 4 - 8    



Yucca filamentosa Adam's Needle

As a bold accent in groups or in the border, evergreen Yucca is unsurpassed. The sword-like blue-green leaves of this native, with thin curling threads on the leaf margins, are 3 - 4' high and are of interest all year long. In July and August, very showy and fragrant, creamy-white, bell-shaped flower spikes rise on stiff stems to 5-6'. Sun and drought-tolerant, its foliage is a great contrast to a host of finer-textured plants from Coreopsis to Sedums.

Plant 2' apart.

Zones 5 - 9    



Yucca flaccida 'Golden Sword' Variegated Adam's Needle

As useful for bold architectural emphasis in the landscape as Yucca filamentosa, 'Golden Sword' offers creamy yellow and green variegated leaves with a slightly more relaxed habit. Plan on all the attributes common to our other Yuccas plus a lovely coral winter foliage color at about 30 - 36". Creamy white fragrant flowers on tall spikes in July-August.

Plant 2' apart.

Zones 5 - 9    



Yucca x 'Bright Edge' Variegated Adam's Needle

Yuccas continue to gain popularity throughout our area. Couple these attributes with the striking beauty of variegated 'Bright Edge'. The sword-like leaves are rich green with a decidedly bright yellow leaf edge. The height is 36", and the same lovely white flower bells rise on strong stalks in July and August.

Plant 2' apart.

Zones 5 - 9    



Yucca x 'Color Guard' Variegated Adam's Needle

'Color Guard' has stiff green sword-like leaves with a wide bright yellow center, and we mean bright! Our trial crops were gorgeous close up or at a distance, where visitors would gravitate to that brightest sunny yellow blast of color. Add a compact and dwarf habit at 2-3', superb drought-tolerance, deer resistance, an evergreen quality. The white flowers in July-August on strong stems.

Plant 2' apart.

Zones 5 - 9    