

# 2021 Rose Descriptions

## Laguna Hills Nursery

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*Our roses are coming from STAR ROSES and WEEKS ROSES and pictures can be found in catalogs (available for viewing at our store) or on their websites.*

## Hybrid Tea & Grandiflora (g)

*The following roses are grown for the individual beauty of each flower. All make excellent cut flowers. These make the largest flowers either one to a stem or in small clusters. If the cultivar presents the best looking flower singly, it is designated a Hybrid Tea. If it looks best in a small cluster it is designated a Grandiflora. Average bush size is 4-5' tall and 3' wide.*

### \_\_All Dressed Up (g)

Medium-large, rich pink, English-style (quartered) flowers in small clusters with mild fragrance. Medium to tall upright bush. Amazing show of long lasting flowers.

### \_\_All My Loving

Large, deep fluorescent pink, heavily petaled, high centered flower with medium fragrance. Tall bush.

### \_\_Barbra Streisand

Large, classic-form flowers open lavender darkening at the edges and have a very powerful fragrance. Medium height, upright bush. Ms. Streisand selected this rose.

### \_\_Bewitched

Large, shapely flowers of medium clear pink and strong damask scent. Tall, upright bush is a better-behaved offspring of *Queen Elizabeth*. Classic

### \_\_Big Momma

Big, cuplike medium pink flower with strong fragrance. Tall bush.

### \_\_Chicago Peace

This is a deeper colored version of Peace with more pink and less yellow. It has the same large, shapely flowers with slight fragrance. Same medium height bush with glossy green leaves.

### \_\_Chris Evert

Large, light orange flowers become edged in scarlet. Light scent. Medium height, upright bush.

### \_\_Chrysler Imperial

Large, dark red, highly fragrant flowers. Loves heat. Medium height bush. Probably the only rose that will ever be named for a car. OLD CLASSIC

### \_\_Dee-lish

Old fashioned, heavily petaled, deep pink with strong fragrance. 2016 fragrance award winner. Tall bush.

### \_\_Dolly Parton

Hot orange-red, high-centered, balloon-like flowers with potent fragrance. Perfectly named standout.

### \_\_Double Delight

Large flowers are vanilla dipped in strawberry with strong fragrance. Medium height bush repeats quickly. Best of the bi-color roses. MOST POPULAR ROSE WORLD-WIDE

### \_\_Enchanted Peace NEW

Medium size, full flowers with creamy yellow flowers with an orange base, edged in rose pink. This offspring of 'Love & Peace' has better fragrance, disease resistance and presentation. Upright bush.

### \_\_Firefighter

Top rated red is regarded as the best combination (or compromise) of size, fragrance, disease resistance, repeat, and color. The color is dusky red. Tall bush.

### \_\_First Prize

Unusually tall buds spiral open with swirls of light and deep rose pink. Medium height upright bush is a prolific bloomer. The top rose of the 1970's.

### \_\_Francis Meiland

Large flowers with 60 petals open shell pink aging to cream with strong

fragrance. Tall bush with nice foliage. This rose has to be exceptional since it is named for the legendary breeder who created the *Peace* rose.

### \_\_Fun in the Sun (g)

Large English style flowers in small clusters with golden flowers opening to cream and pink. Strong fruity fragrance. Medium, upright bush with excellent disease resistance.

### \_\_Grande Dame

Old fashioned, large, deep rose pink, intensely fragrant flowers in nodding clusters. Tall bush.

### \_\_Henry Fonda

Large, deep yellow, lightly scented flowers. Kind of ordinary...but the yellow color is the deepest of any rose. The color sells this rose.

### \_\_Ingrid Bergman

Best red rose for display in the garden and one of the top roses of the World. Lots of nearly perfect, fragrant flowers of clear deep red, very little disease on attractive dark foliage. Nearly perfect.

### \_\_Ink Spots

Darkest red we've seen. Black buds open slowly to deep red flowers. Long lasting, but little fragrance. Tall bush is highly disease resistant.

### \_\_Just Joey

Warm apricot, huge size, good fragrance. Very impressive blooms especially during cool weather. Medium height rounded bush. Huge seller in England 2 generations ago.

### \_\_Mister Lincoln

Huge deep red rose with velvet petals. Wonderfully fragrant flowers are perfect in mild weather. Poor performance under hot conditions especially reflected heat. Tall bush gets some mildew. #1 selling rose in the 1960's is still popular.

### \_\_Moonstone

Huge, full flowers of creamy white finely edged in cerise pink. Medium height bush makes a perfect garden display. Wins many rose shows.

### **\_\_Neil Diamond**

Medium to large, heavily-petaled flowers are brilliant pink with white stripes and a strong, sweet scent. Tall, upright bush.

### **\_\_Neptune**

Large, fully double, rich lavender flowers, sometimes tipped with reddish purple. Very powerful, sweet fragrance. Long lasting with good form. Medium height, upright bush. Our best pure lavender rose.

### **\_\_New Zealand**

Creamy coral pink blend with powerful fragrance. This was the first rose to combine great fragrance with good disease resistance and long life. Medium height bush. Many modern roses were bred from *New Zealand*.

### **\_\_Olympiad**

Clearer true red, long lasting bloom, little fragrance. So perfect, it looks like plastic. Very long stems, loves heat. Slow repeat, but produces many canes and flowers. Named for the 1984 Olympics in Los Angeles.

### **\_\_Over The Moon**

Very large full flowers of warm apricot have moderate fragrance. Tall bush. Improvement over *Just Joey* in some ways, but not all.

### **\_\_Painted Porcelain NEW**

Medium size flowers are cream finely splashed with pink and a cream reverse. Mild fragrance. The bush is tall and upright.

### **\_\_Peace**

Very large flowers are lemon yellow edged with pink. Little fragrance. Medium height, spreading bush. Smuggled out of France during WWII, this award winning rose is considered to be the first "modern" hybrid tea.

### **\_\_Perfect Moment**

Large yellow flowers edged heavily in red. Striking color combination best in cool weather. Little fragrance. Compact, medium height bush.

### **\_\_Perfume Delight**

Beautiful buds open to high-centered, deep pink flowers with strong damask scent. Medium to tall bush.

### **\_\_Peter Mayle**

Very large, dark pink (nearly red) flowers with very potent fragrance. Tall bush. This is proving itself to be one of the best roses we offer.

### **\_\_Pope John Paul II**

Powerfully fragrant white, heavily petaled bloom with excellent form. Medium/tall bush. VERY NICE!

### **\_\_Princesse Charlene de Monaco**

Old-fashioned, fully double, 100 petals, light apricot to shell pink with very strong fragrance. Tall bush.

### **\_\_Radiant Perfume (g)**

Deep yellow flowers with excellent fragrance. Medium-tall bush. Best combination of color and fragrance in yellow hybrid teas.

### **\_\_Rio Samba**

Medium size flowers glow deep yellow blushing scarlet. Medium size bush is notably early to bloom and repeats well. Gorgeous in spring. Hot weather bakes the colors to a dull red.

### **\_\_Rouge Royale**

Large raspberry red, old-fashioned, quartered flowers with strong fragrance. A truly awesome blossom with very thick petals. Medium height bush.

### **\_\_St. Patrick**

Greenish buds open to large, cool yellow flowers that deepen to gold, with little fragrance. Longest lasting yellow flowers. Loves heat. Medium height spreading bush. BEST YELLOW

### **\_\_Stilleto NEW**

Large, exhibition form, deep magenta flower with very strong fragrance. Medium to tall, upright bush.

### **\_\_Sugar Moon**

Big, heavily petaled, super fragrant, pure white flowers with contrasting dark foliage. Tall, upright bush. TOP WHITE HYBRID TEA.

### **\_\_Tahitian Sunset**

Large flowers are a blend of orange, yellow and pink and have a strong scent. Medium height, upright bush.

### **\_\_Twilight Zone (g)**

Deep purple velvet, old-fashioned flowers with strong clove scent. Largest flower of the "plum-purple" roses. Medium height bush.

### **\_\_Valencia**

Creamy apricot/copper with strong fragrance and long vase life. Medium height bush.

### **\_\_Voodoo**

Large flowers are a blend of deep orange, yellow and peach with a fruit fragrance. Very tall, upright bush.

### **\_\_Yves Piaget**

Very large, old-fashioned (80 petals) boom of deep pink (slightly lavender) with very strong fragrance. Heavy production on a short bush. Little disease. One of the best roses ever created.

## **Floribunda & Shrub Roses**

*The following roses are grown for the color impact they make in the garden. These generally are about 3-4' tall full bushes and have somewhat smaller flowers that occur in clusters.*

### **\_\_Arctic Blue**

Medium size lilac pink flowers age to mauve with cream reverse. The slow opening, moderately fragrant flowers occur in clusters. Medium-tall bush.

### **\_\_Brilliant Pink Iceberg**

This is *Iceberg* with white petals brushed with cerise pink. Same heavy, year round bloom as the original.

### **\_\_Burgundy Iceberg**

This is *Iceberg* with deep burgundy purple flowers. Same heavy, year round bloom as the original.

### **\_\_Burst of Joy NEW**

Medium size flowers are bright orange with a yellow reverse in long-

stemmed clusters. Medium height, upright bush.

#### **\_\_Chihuly**

Medium to large, full flowers that look like stained glass, opening yellow, deepening to brilliant orange and finishing deep red. Good contrast with the deep mahogany and green foliage on a medium height bush. The colors truly remind one of the glass sculptures created by Chihuly.

#### **\_\_Distant Drums**

Tan buds change to cream and mature orchid pink. Interesting novel color change and unusual myrrh scent. Medium height bush.

#### **\_\_Easy Spirit**

Large white/cream, heavily petaled flowers are long lasting. Very disease resistant, medium height bush. This is the alternative to 'Iceberg' with larger, high centered, flowers and a more formal bush.

#### **\_\_Ebb Tide**

Deep purple old-fashioned flowers with strong clove fragrance. Medium height, upright bush blooms better with age.

#### **\_\_French Lace**

Ivory apricot buds open to large creamy white blooms. A subtle beauty. Medium height bush.

#### **\_\_Frida Kahlo**

The medium to large flowers are creamy gold striped heavily in red, blushing to nearly solid red. Small clusters on a medium height, upright bush. Like Kahlo, not subtle.

#### **\_\_George Burns**

Large double yellow flowers overlaid with deep red to rose stripes and blotches. Excellent fragrance. Low to medium height bush. Currently our most popular striped rose.

#### **\_\_Gingersnap**

Glowing light orange blend. Medium height bush. Great color...just one open flower will sell this rose.

#### **\_\_Gourmet Popcorn**

White, popcorn size flowers with yellow stamens in huge clusters.

Strong fragrance. 2' high rounded bush with small leaves.

#### **\_\_Iceberg**

Medium size white flowers with mild fragrance. This is a great bloomer and quick repeater. Mildew prone when placed near walls. Wonderful in open areas. Medium to tall bush. The most common rose for mass plantings.

#### **\_\_Julia Child**

Deep yellow gold with strong fragrance and little disease. Low to medium rounded, compact bush. This wonderful rose was chosen by this Celebrity Chef.

#### **\_\_Life Of The Party**

Medium size, old-fashioned, cupped flowers are highly fragrant, open yellow developing a pink edge at maturity. Medium height bush produces medium clusters of flowers.

#### **\_\_Queen of Elegance**

Large medium pink, very full (up to 90 petals) flowers with very strong fragrance. Medium to tall bush.

#### **\_\_Showbiz**

Medium red flowers in small clusters. Always in bloom. Low mounded shrub is disease resistant. Great for mass display.

#### **\_\_Silver Lining NEW**

Small clusters of large, full, silvery lavender flowers with a mild fragrance. Medium height spreading bush.

#### **\_\_Sparkle & Shine**

Clusters of clear, brilliant yellow fragrant flowers. Medium height rounded bush. Good for hedge.

#### **\_\_The Petite Knock Out NEW**

Small red, full flowers in profusion (mostly singly) with mild fragrance. Compact, rounded bush less than 2' tall and wide. Continuous blooming and great disease resistance.

#### **\_\_Vavoom**

Medium size flower of orange juice orange have moderate fragrance and are long-lasting. Mounded compact bush.

## **Climbing Roses**

*The following roses are large plants with long rambling stems best displayed on a support.*

#### **\_\_Don Juan**

Large, full, strongly fragrant flowers are deep velvety red. Canes grow 12-14' long. TOP SELLING CLIMBER IN U.S.

#### **\_\_Eden Climber**

Big old fashioned flowers, pink opening to cream, little disease or fragrance. Grows 10-12'. OUR BEST SELLING CLIMBER IS GORGEOUS

#### **\_\_Golden Opportunity NEW**

Large, full golden flowers with good fragrance. Canes grow 12' long and have good disease resistance. We are always searching for a good yellow climber and are hoping this is it.

#### **\_\_Joseph's Coat**

Medium size flowers open yellow and deepen to orange, scarlet and carmine. The show is constantly changing. Canes grow 10-12'. VERY POPULAR

#### **\_\_Kiss Me Kate Arborose**

Medium size flowers are medium pink, with old fashion form and strong fragrance. Grows 10'.

#### **\_\_Laguna Arborose**

Medium size flowers are dark pink, heavily petaled and strongly fragrant and occur in clusters. Grows 8' high and 3' wide.

#### **\_\_Polka**

Large, very full, apricot flowers with spicy fragrance. Hot weather turns the flowers peachy pink. Canes grow 10-12'.

#### **\_\_Pretty in Pink Eden**

Similar to the original Eden but a deeper pink, more petals, more fragrance. Grows 10-12'.

#### **\_\_Sally Holmes**

Huge hydrangea-like clusters of white flowers put on a spectacular show. Canes grow 6-12'.

## **Gary Recommends**

### **TOP CUTTING ROSES**

Any serious rosarian will have some or all of the following cultivars in their garden:

Barbra Streisand

Dolly Parton

Double Delight

First Prize

Francis Meilland

Ingrid Bergman

Just Joey

Mister Lincoln

Moonstone

Neptune

New Zealand

Peace & Chicago Peace

Peter Mayle

Pope John Paul II

St. Patrick

Sugar Moon

Yves Piaget

## **Gary Recommends**

### **TOP LANDSCAPE ROSES**

The following are our most popular for mass plantings in the landscape:

All Dressed Up

Brilliant Pink Iceberg

Burgundy Iceberg

Iceberg

Ingrid Bergman

Julia Child

Showbiz

The Knockout Petite