

From South Africa Comes Beautiful Roses

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ANDERA STELZER; Korfachrit

Long stems with glossy foliage head and shoulders above most plants allows your eyes to focus on perfect shaped buds developing into long lasting exhibition pure pink blooms is your reward.

ANGELA LANSBURY

Soft coral high centered blooms atop strong straight stem sporting very classic bright foliage produces a sight no film can capture.

BLES BRIDGES; Koramhi

Dark red with bright cloth on strong straight stems does not describe the colour as it's the darkest red the velvet is the thickest and substance stronger then you could hope for, so deep is the colour only in the shade can the beauty be found.

CAROLINE de MONACO; Melpierar

Ivory and white perfect exhibition medium size flowers atop bright foliage can be found on strong stems at every angle.

CORAL SPIRE; Kortumusp

Perfect shaped exhibition bloom of good size and clear coral colour atop long canes dressed with bright large leaves, fragrance I can't find.

DISTANT SOUNDS; Webpriace

Amateur crossed Ace of Hearts X Pristine = luck came his way. Clear pink with lighter reverse at times almost silver. Blooms superb exhibition size and shape, strong stems and vigorous growing plant has made Basil Webb proud.

FIVE ROSES ROSE; Jacopper

The long pointed bud, of carmine-red, color stretches grows into a large cylinder and still it grows fatter and longer, "oh that center", very wide petals begin to unfurl and reflecting on the edges yet staying upright, only with assistance do they begin to lower, so strong is the substance the lower petals bounce back when the wedges are removed. When we learn how to handle this magnificent bloom, a new standard of excellence will emerge. The plant growth is very upright in habit, foliage large well spaced on long canes, very little disbudding even on basils. The dark scarlet red blooms shows no black edges. Winter may be its downfall.

HARRY OPPENHEIMER; Korabmask

Diamond green yellow buds mature into deep gold blooms with wide long thick petal edges rolled produce tall cylinder flowers then reflecting showing tight centres, broad

based petals hold firm so you never have fly-away form as we did with “MEDALLION”, sometimes the colour is very close, plant strong medium height, very fast regrowth for a rose with this many petals.

ESTHER GELDENHUYS; Korskiye

Coral pink very clear colour very high centered exhibition bloom that holds its form and stays fresh until full maturity, then it cleans itself making way for the next set of blooms, already showing colour, strong basal growth with big flowering heads dressed in shiny dark foliage all make this tall rose a pleasure. Already this garden princess has given us three mutations with the same growth habits.

LEANA; Roelanda

White sometimes with cream centre.

LISA; Cow

Deep pink, size of bloom a little larger.

NICOLETTE; Ludwenic

Soft apricot with buff colour, softer in warm weather.

HELEN NAUDE; Kordiana

Mother nature's own joy and pride, makes everyone a good plant grower, extremely vigorous, atop the many branches blooms in the spring are bright white with ever so soft pink edges, fall can bring blooms lightly washed with coral pink, completely different coloured, five inch blooms, yes a little flat but the centres are strong.

HERMON STEYN; Korfolklori

Vigorous healthy strong plant in spring, as the light hours diminish the new basal growth very tall, few flowers are seen on seven foot canes yet on older stems beautiful flowers of carmine red with chrome yellow reverse, immaculate exhibition shaped blooms appear and hold for many days.

MADIBA; Korandpunk

The unusual colouring of the long pointed buds are of a deep maroon pink, yellow at its base, develops into beautiful medium high centred bloom in spring, fall brings dreams of trophies, bold different coloured blue with high production of long canes garnished with large deep green leaves, almost thorn less.

MONDIALE; Korozon

Vigour and health equals a big growing plant with bright large foliage, bit globular buds slowly open showing yellow then centres show coral pink with super substance.

PAT'S CHOICE; Koromega

Bright coral vermilion pointed buds grabs your attention and holds it while this exhibition formed rose blooms on every strong cane. Disbudding is a must, candelabra on strong basals have 15-16 buds at once and still it repeats fast, maybe the most prolific garden rose with this many petals.

SALMON SPIRE; Korturnus

Clear salmon pink pointed buds grow into exhibition shaped medium size blooms atop 24" poker straight stems, bright foliage, blooms appear all the way up, fall maybe six foot tall, strong fragrance for your enjoyment.

THANDI;

Light red blooms with good size are made up from wide based petals, holding their substance and brightness, centres are very firm as this many petalled exhibition rose reaches that perfect stage of beauty atop strong long canes balanced by large disease-free foliage, plant growth is robust.

WHITE SPIRE; Korechtem

Small to medium size perfect exhibition blooms come in clusters on every branch, growth is upright, strong bright leaf well spaced adds to a good growing plant.