

# 2018

Our 24th year

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## General Information

### Call or Visit

We are pleased to have you come by to visit. **This year the gardens are open Wednesday through Sunday, 9 am to 4 pm (Central) from April 18 to July 1. We are closed Monday and Tuesday.** Otherwise, we are generally available, but you should call to let us know you want to visit and to be certain we will be here. We are located approximately 45 minutes southwest of Nashville (see Directions). Our number at the farm is 800-934-4747. We are in and out but will return your calls as soon as possible, and next to growing plants we like best to talk about them.

Tall Beardededs bloom late April to mid May, followed by Louisianas mid to late May. Species iris and species crosses bloom at various times throughout April, May and June and the water lilies all summer. Our peak peony bloom is around mid-May and daylilies mid-June. We also grow many reblooming bearded iris that bloom in the Spring and rebloom from June to November, depending on weather. Bring a lunch, the kids and pets, and spend the day; we'll supply the picnic tables, lemonade, flowers and beautiful country setting. Please call near the dates you want to visit to be sure weather hasn't changed our bloom schedule.

### Directions

#### From I-40/West Nashville area

Take I-40 toward Memphis to exit 176 and take I-840 East.  
Take exit 7, Fairview/Centerville exit and go right on Hwy 100 West.  
Then 0.3 miles and turn left on Hwy 46 East/Pinewood Rd.  
Then 3.8 miles to Lampley Rd and turn right.  
Then 0.8 miles to Younger Creek Rd and turn left beside the yellow house.  
Then 0.4 miles to 7675 Younger Creek Rd on the right.

#### From I-65/South Nashville/Franklin Area

Take Hwy 96 West to Franklin. Go through Franklin then 4.8 miles on Hwy 96 and turn left onto Hwy 46 West/Old Hillsboro Rd.  
Then 5.7 miles (through Leiper's Fork) and turn right on Hwy 46 West/Pinewood Rd.  
Then 8.1 miles and turn left on Shoals Branch Rd.  
Then 1.3 miles and turn right on Younger Creek Rd.  
Then 0.7 miles and turn left at 7675 Younger Creek Rd.  
**\*Alternately**, take I-840 West as noted below.

#### From Columbia

Take Hwy 7 West from Columbia. Go 15.7 miles and turn right on Leiper's Creek Rd.  
Then 12.9 miles and turn left on Hwy 46 West/Pinewood Rd.  
Then 8.1 miles and turn left on Shoals Branch Rd.  
Then 1.3 miles and turn right on Younger Creek Rd.  
Then 0.7 miles and turn left at 7675 Younger Creek Rd.  
**\*Alternately**, take I-840 West as noted below.

#### From Dickson

Take I-40 exit 176 and take I-840 East.  
Follow the directions noted above at From I-40/West Nashville area.

#### **\*From I-840 West**

Take exit 14, Pinewood Rd/Natchez Trace Pkwy and go left on Pinewood Rd/Hwy 46 West.  
Then 2.7 miles and turn left on Shoals Branch Rd  
Then 1.3 miles and turn right on Younger Creek Rd.  
Then 0.7 miles and turn left at 7675 Younger Creek Rd.

### Ordering and Payment

Our minimum order is \$20, plus shipping for each shipment required. We will accept orders from this

catalog through September 1. **We do not ship in the spring and are not able to export.** Please order early as some of the plants listed are in very limited supply and will sell out. You can print the order form from our web site and mail it in, fax it to us at 800-934-4747 or call in your order to 800-934-4747. We also accept orders by email. Be sure to completely fill in all information on the order form, include a street address and telephone number, and directions if you are hard for UPS to find. In lieu of wholesale prices, we offer the following discounts to all:

10% discount on orders over \$250,  
15% over \$500 and  
20% over \$1,000

Full payment by check or money order should accompany your order. We accept most credit cards if that is more convenient for you. We deposit your checks and process your credit cards when we receive your order and withdraw the plants from our available inventory.

### **Gift Certificates**

Available at any time. Give us a call and you can give an iris gift during any season.

### **Shipping**

We send fine, large, bare-root plants, freshly dug. Planting and care instructions specific to your order will be included. (Also see Growing Tips in the back of this catalog.) We use UPS Ground or USPS for all shipments. We do not export plants. **We do not ship iris in the Spring** as we have had a much higher success rate planting after bloom.

If you have a specific time you need your plants to be shipped, let us know and we will try to accommodate. Those in colder areas should order to plant in time for the iris to become established, at least four weeks, before the ground freezes. (Alternately, we have heard good things about holding plants over the winter indoors in pots in the lower zones, then planting out in the Spring.) For best growing results, we ship as follows:

Bearded iris - mid July through the end of August  
All other iris (beardless, crested, etc) - September

For shipping in the continental U.S., please add:

\$14 for each shipment if your Zip Code is below 80000 or  
\$18 for each shipment if your Zip Code is above 80000  
plus \$0.50 for each plant over 10 plants ordered

If you want bearded iris in July and Louisianas in September, that will require two shipments and separate shipping charges should be included. If you are in Alaska or Hawaii we will compute your actual shipping charges and let you know the amount. If your Zip Code is above 80000, UPS ground delivery generally takes 5-6 business days. UPS Blue Label Air Service and USPS Priority Mail will deliver generally in 3 business days. If you feel you need this air service, please add \$0.85 per plant to your shipping charges computed above. **Air service is not necessary for Zip Codes below 80000.**

### **Substitutes and Bonus Plants**

Some varieties are in short supply and will sell out early. Also, weather conditions occasionally reduce the performance of some plants so that supplies are less than we planned. Please indicate a few acceptable substitutes, or allow us to substitute varieties of equal or greater value. We will substitute only with your permission, but we promise that you will be happy. We always include bonus plants (unless you indicate not to on your order) and will do our best to select those from your substitute list.

### **Guarantee**

We guarantee our plants to be true to name and to arrive in good condition. If they do not arrive in good condition, give us a call immediately and we will take corrective action. If we made a mistake in filling your order or you are not satisfied for any other reason, let us know as soon as possible and we will make amends. We trust that you will follow our Growing Instructions in the back of this catalog.

## Iris Awards and Terminology

- CA/CDM Cook-Douglas Award - The highest award given for a Standard Dwarf Bearded iris beginning 1959. Changed to medal status in 1966.
- CWM Caparne-Welch Medal - The highest award given for a Miniature Dwarf Bearded.
- DM Dykes Medal - The highest award any iris may achieve. (A-Australian Iris Society, B-British Iris Society, F-French Iris Society)
- FSM Founders of SIGNA Medal - The highest award given for a species iris.
- HJS Hans and Jacob Sass Medal - The highest award given for an Intermediate Bearded iris.
- JCW John C. Wister Medal - The highest award for a Tall Bearded iris.
- KM Knowlton Medal - The highest award given for a Border Bearded iris.
- MSD/MSDM Mary S. DeBaillon Award/Medal - The highest award given for a Louisiana iris beginning 1948. Changed to medal status in 1986.
- RPM Randolph-Perry Medal given annually to a species cross.
- WW Williamson-White award for the top Miniature Tall Bearded iris.
- AM Award of Merit - The next award that can be received after HM.
- HM Honorable Mention - First garden award for introduced varieties.

- E, M, L Early, Mid and Late season bloom.
- Beard The fuzzy "caterpillar" extending from the base of the falls.
- Falls The lower three petals of the flower.
- Self Standards and falls same color.
- Signal Colored blaze, patch, spot or line on falls in beard area or in place of beard.
- Standards The upper three petals of the flower.
- Style arms Small flower segments covering the beards or signals.
- Substance The thickness of the petals.
- Tetraploid Each cell has four sets of chromosomes resulting in larger flowers and a more vigorous plant.

## 2018 Introductions

### Louisiana Iris

- ELECTRIC STORM** (Peter Jackson) 37" E-M 35.00  
Standards burgundy; style arms cream washed lighter burgundy; Falls burgundy, 6 gold star signals; ruffling on all petals; overlapping form.
- JESSICA MAI** (Don Grieves) 36" M 35.00  
Standards cream, style arms cream; Falls same as standards, 6 yellow line signals, green veined throat.
- KERRY LYNETTE DOUGLAS** (Don Grieves) 37" E 35.00  
Standards greyed red, lighter reverse and edge; style arms dark red; Falls rusty red, light reverse and edge, signal yellow, 3 long, narrow line signals.
- LET'S BEE HAPPY** (Peter Jackson) 40" M 35.00  
Standards soft magenta, stippled; style arms cream, washed magenta; Falls mid-magenta, 3 two-toned gold signals; ruffled.
- MARGERIE ROSE** (Don Grieves) 40" M 35.00  
Standards mauve, pale mauve random veining; style arms pale mauve over green-yellow; Falls mauve, slightly veined, green-yellow steeple signal. Registered rebloomer.
- MATILDA'S WALTZ** (Peter Jackson) 38" E 35.00  
Standards mid red-violet, variable softer color break, cream edge and reverse; style arms cream, overlaid red-violet; Falls mid red-violet, cream edge and reverse, 6 gold steeple signals; heavily ruffled.
- MOOMBA FLARE** (Peter Jackson) 35" M 35.00  
Standards light garnet red, darker veining; style arms garnet red, edge lighter; Falls garnet red, gold line signals; ruffling on all petals.
- MOUNTAIN SMOKE** (Peter Jackson) 38" E-M 35.00  
Standards lavender-grey, style arms lavender-violet; Falls mid lavender-rose, 3 gold steeple signals; ruffled.
- MULBERRY ICE** (Bernard Pryor) 14" M 35.00  
Petite blooms the size of a US Silver Dollar abound on equally petite stalks of just 14 inches. Falls are deep mulberry with pronounced lilac petal rim; yellow blotch signal is overlaid with a lime-yellow steeple signal which adds impact. Standards are creamy-white, veined dark mulberry with a pronounced mulberry line signal and veining.
- NADINE SARAH** (Don Grieves) 36" M 35.00  
Standards very pale violet, fine veining; style arms cream, throat green; Falls same as standards; 6 light yellow signals.
- RUFFLE OF SPRING** (Peter Jackson) 37" E-M 35.00  
Standards blue-purple; style arms red-purple, fine white edge and central tip; Falls blue-purple, darker than standards, 3 yellow-gold steeple signals; ruffled and laced on all petals.
- VELVET ENSEMBLE** (Peter Jackson) 32" M 35.00  
Standards dusky pink, dark pink veining; style arms cream overlaid dark pink; falls velvety deep red, recurved, three large gold steeple signals.

## **Bearded Iris**

**GRAVITY** (Thomas Silvers) Border Bearded 22" M 25.00

Maroon-black standards, maroon-black falls with white rays beside bronze beard, purple based foliage.

## Garden Markers

These are the garden markers we use in our plant beds. They are double stainless steel legs, 12" or 18" tall, with a 3½" by 1⅞" zinc-coated aluminum plate with rounded edges.

The plates can be marked with a variety of markers. We use a Listo pencil, which lasts well and can be removed so that the plate can be reused. We use the Brother label system for long-lasting printed labels. The black paint pens used to mark cattle ear tags is excellent. We've also had good success with Avery clear labels printed with a laser printer.

Unlike most, **these marker legs will not rust**, an unappealing sight in an otherwise beautiful garden, and can be used over and over for years to come. The stainless steel legs will fit most of the popular marker plates sold, so you can replace those rusty legs and not have to re-mark all the plates.

	12"	18"
Garden Markers		
One dozen	10.00	12.00
Extra plates - one dozen		2.40
Garden Marker legs only		
One dozen	9.00	11.00
Listo pencil and six refills		3.00
Listo pencil only		2.00
Six refills		1.00

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## Louisiana Iris

A hybrid of the series *Hexagone* which includes *I. hexagona*, *I. fulva*, *I. brevicaulis*, *I. nelsonii* and *I. giganteaerulea*, Louisianas will grow in standing water but are perfectly happy in regular garden conditions if the soil pH is 6.5 or lower. They bloom about two weeks after tall bearded, mid to late May for us. Louisianas require a rich acid soil and heavy feeding of a balanced fertilizer. They should be kept well mulched and can be moved in late summer to early fall. Set the plants at least two feet apart as they multiply and spread rapidly. The rhizome should be planted horizontally, about 2" deep, and should be kept moist, particularly during the growing season.

<b><i>I. brevicaulis</i></b> (Rafinesque 1817)	12" L	8.00
Beautiful pale blue-violet, signal surrounded by white. lowers borne down in the foliage on zigzag stalks. Very cold-hardy.		
<b><i>I. fulva</i></b>	30" EM	8.00
An easy to grow iris with numerous terra-cotta red to deep red flowers. Very vigorous.		
<b><i>I. fulva Dwarf</i></b>	12" E	8.00
Deep terra-cotta.		
<b><i>I. giganteaerulea</i></b>	36"	8.00
Light blue and very vigorous.		
<b><i>I. hexagona</i></b>	28" L	8.00
Bright blue flowers.		
<b><i>I. nelsonii</i></b>	30" M	8.00
Also known as Abbeville iris, native of the swamps near Abbeville, LA. More intense red and larger than <i>I. fulva</i> .		
<b><i>I. nelsonii Abbeville Yellow</i></b>	30" M	8.00
Yellow form of the species.		
<b>ACADIAN MISS</b> (Army 1980)	MSDM1990 30" ML	8.00
Ruffled white self with green signals and green style arms.		
<b>ALL FIRED UP</b> (Pryor 2006)	40" M-L	12.00
All petals are mid golden-orange with burnt plicata petal edges, lemon petal rim and burnt red style arms with golden midribs and edges. Lime steeple signal, outlined red gives a star effect to the open flowers. Flowers will change to all gold with more distinct plicata rim after the first day.		
<b>AMANDA GRAINGER</b> (Pryor 2010)	41" E	10.00
Standards pastel creamy-white with very fine lime-yellow line signal. Style arms pastel lemon, blushed cyclamen-pink with strong lemon-yellow tips. Falls pastel lemon, blushed mid pink to the petal edges with a bright green, raised steeple signal with a red surround at the signal tips. Very ruffled flowers. Mature blooms medium pink.		
<b>ANN HORDERN</b> (Pryor 1997)	40" ML	8.00
Pale lemon self with deep pink veining and petal rim. Lemon style arms. Bloom changes to pink on the second day.		
<b>ATCHAFALAYA</b> (Campbell 1998)	AM2003 36" E-M	8.00
Lightly ruffled, dark velvety red-violet flowers with blue-violet cast and blue-violet to silver halo. Yellow signals with green crests.		
<b>AUNT SHIRLEY</b> (Mertzweiller 1992)	AM2000 36" M	10.00

Large coral pink, medium yellow signal. Very vigorous.

- BAYOU BANDIT** (Campbell 1998) FSM2007 32" E-M 8.00  
A rare variant of *I. fulva* colored soft chocolate brown.
- BAYOU BUCKSKIN** (Hedgecock 2010) 30" M 8.00  
Standards and falls pinkish tan, near green signal with brown spear point edges. Flaring, slightly curled falls. Very vigorous,.
- BAYOU GYPSY** (Hedgecock 2012) 34" M 10.00  
Standards light raspberry with darker streaks and splashes. Falls deeper raspberry with yellow signal. Style arms raspberry with lighter midribs and edges. Gently ruffled, 6" blooms.
- BEGUILING EYES** (Grieves 2016) 39" M 30.00  
Standards cream-white, random red-purple streaks; green fading to cream-white crests; Falls cream-white, red-purple veining and random streaks, signals yellow veined red-purple.
- BENNELONG RUBY** (Pryor Reg 2011) 40" M-L 10.00  
A delightful ruby-red bitone with pale lemon rim and petal reverse on all petals. Golden style arms are tipped ruby. Highly ruffled and a great garden performer.
- BILLY** (Bertinot 1986) 36" M 8.00  
Large ruffled red-violet with bright canary yellow signals.
- BLACK WIDOW** (MacMillan 1953) MSD1968 48" L 10.00  
Deepest violet self.
- BLUE MOUNTAIN MIST** (Pryor 2007) MSDM2016 28" M-L 10.00  
Pale sky blue with a fine white rim and white reverse. Triangular flower form.
- BLUEBERRY MOUSSE** (Jackson 2016) 40" M 30.00  
Standards light blue-magenta, fine lighter edge; style arms light blue-magenta, fine white center line; falls same as standards, veined green center line, 6 gold star shaped signals.
- BOILED CRAWFISH** (Guidry 2016) 29" M 15.00  
Flat open form flower, intense brownish-red, subtle darker veining, small deep gold signal, excellent substance, holds color well, strong growth and bloom habit, good multiplier.
- BROWN RECLUSE** (Moores 2014) 29" EM 8.00  
Standards tan brown, yellow cast, faint tan veining, lighter brown line signal overall; style arms green center, tan at lip; Falls slightly darker tan-brown veined darker, dark brown line signal extending from haft to distal edge.
- CAJUN COPPER BABY** (Hedgecock 2015) 24" M 12.00  
Standards buff veined light brown; falls buff, more heavily veined light brown; lime raised line signal surrounded by brown veins extending out to end of petal. Styles feathered, darker latte.
- CAJUN SUNRISE** (Mertzweiller 1993) MSDM2000 33" M 10.00  
A magnificent, flat, strong brick red with a broad, golden yellow edging and a sunburst yellow ray pattern on the falls.
- CALA** (Betzer 2008) HM2012 39" ML 10.00  
Cream yellow with light violet edges.
- CHANGING SHADOWS** (Norvell 2015) 36 EM 15.00  
Standards dresden yellow base, sea lavender petal with light yellow center line and rim; style arms

lettuce green base blending to pale yellow-green;. Falls lettuce green base, dresden yellow center, wide lavender band overlaid brown first day, ruffled, rounded, all edges picoteed with light yellow rim; musky fragrance. Voted best seedling Louisiana iris at the 2013 SLI and AIS conventions.

- CHARLOTTE'S TUTU** (Pryor 1995) 38" E-M 8.00  
Ruffled and somewhat recurved cerise pink self with a pale pink reverse.
- CHERISHED ONE** (Pryor 2009) 39" ML 8.00  
Pure white standards, faint rose-pink line signal. Falls are palest lemon, overwashed pink with a lemon blotch signal, overlaid with vivid lime steeple signal. The slightly ruffled petals combine with the petite, triangular flower shape to make a pleasing display.
- CHERRY CUP** (Morgan 1989) AM96 27" M 8.00  
Bright cherry red with yellow wire edge.
- CLARA GOULA** (Arny 1977) MSDM1987 36" EM 8.00  
Very ruffled, creamy white.
- CLYDE REDMOND** (Arny 1970) MSD1974 30" M 8.00  
A very beautiful cornflower-blue self with yellow signal.
- COBWEB CONCERTO** (Pryor 2006) HM2011 39" L 10.00  
Standards lilac, thick red purple veining, wide lemon rim; style arms lemon, purple midrib; Falls medium lemon, thick intense red purple veining, wide lemon rim, golden yellow steeple signal, ruffled.
- COTTON PLANTATION** (Dunn 1994) HM1997 34" M 8.00  
Dinnerplate formed fluffy white self. Vigorous.
- CREOLE CANARY** (Granger 1978) HM1980 36" M 8.00  
Yellow double, orange-yellow center line, darker steeple signal.
- CREOLE RHAPSODY** (Mertzweiller 1998) HM2001 34" M 10.00  
Slightly ruffled and flared bicolor iris in tones of red and white.
- CRUSHED ICE** (Pryor 1996) 39" E-M 10.00  
A beautiful, classically pure white self with yellow signals.
- CUTE AS** (Jackson 2017) 26" M-L 25.00  
Standards lavender, style arms same, cream tips; falls lavender, 3 gold steeple signals outlined deep lavender, ruffle and laced.
- DARK DUDE** (Betzer 2010) AM2015 34" ML 12.00  
Standards and styles near black, falls same overlaid velvety black. Gold dagger signals, lightly ruffled.
- DARLENE C** (Pryor Reg 2007) 41" VE-E 8.00  
Standards deep purple, purple line signal; style arms red violet, blue violet tips, apple green base, white edges; Falls slightly darker purple, yellow blotch overlaid with raised orange steeple signal, pronounced deep purple surround; ruffled, triangular form; sweet fragrance.
- DASHING HERO** (Pryor 2011) 40" E-M 8.00  
Standards golden with plum-red speckling and pale cerise-red blush to petal edge; red line signal. Falls sunset with deep plum-red speckling and dashes on the petal edge; Large golden blotch signal overlaid with a lime steeple signal. Ruffled, rounded flower form.

**DEJA VOODOO** (O'Connor 2011) AM2016 32" M 12.00  
Standards, Falls, and style arms deep purple; bright yellow arrowhead signal; lightly ruffled.

**DELTA STAR** (Grainger 1968) HM1970 38" M 8.00  
Purple self, six-petalled with signal on all falls.

**DESTINATION ROBE** (Jackson Reg 2011) 38" M 10.00  
Standards medium velvety purple; styles cream heavily washed purple. Falls deep velvety purple. Gold signals on falls, smaller and variable on standards. Ruffled.

**DIXIE COUNTRY** (Strawn 1996) 28" L 8.00  
Standards and falls violet-blue. Styles arms slightly lighter violet-blue. Inconspicuous yellow spear signal. A good grower that is one of the few hybrids of *I. hexagona* origin.

**DOREEN FLORENCE** (Jackson 2016) 35" M 10.00  
Deep blue-violet self; gold signals.

**DOT MARIE** (Matheny 2001) 45" EM 8.00  
Velvety dark purple, falls with golden yellow signal, styles purple.

**EASTMAN WINDS** (Pryor 2004) HM2009 30" ML 8.00  
Bright fuchsia pink with all over red veining, lemon rim and reverse; all petals with greenish yellow steeple signal with surrounding yellow line signal outlined red, giving star effect.

**ELECTRIC STORM** (Jackson 2018) 37" E-M 35.00  
Standards burgundy; style arms cream washed lighter burgundy; Falls burgundy, 6 gold star signals; ruffling on all petals; overlapping form.

**EMPRESS JOSEPHINE** (Haymon 1990) 32" M-L 10.00  
Near black, huge yellow signals.

**EYES WIDE OPEN** (Pryor 2016) 39" M 20.00  
Creamy-yellow standards with a 'hot' cyclamen blush at 1/4" edge. Falls are medium cyclamen-pink with white rim and very large yellow blotch signal which is surrounded with a strong red 'eye-line'. Falls are slightly re-curved. Sweet fragrance.

**FEATHER AND FAN** (Pryor 2012) 39" M 10.00  
Standards white with cyclamen-violet blush and fine white petal rim, thin lilac line signal, petals often 'feathered'. Falls lilac-pink with darker cyclamen-lilac blush at edges, white rim with golden blotch signal overlaid golden steeple signal with lilac surround. Style arms cyclamen-violet, white tips and edges. One of the most unusual cultivars from the Pryor's gardens.

**FLAMING HOT** (Betzer 2017) 30" M 25.00  
With its reddish orange flower, Flaming Hot truly stands out in an iris bed. The bright yellow style arms stand in contrast to the rather unusual petal color. It is a good increaser and loves to bloom.

**FOR DAD** (Pryor 1997) 40" M 12.00  
Bright yellow self. Registered rebloomer.

**FOR MADELAINE** (Pryor 2008) 40" M-L 8.00  
Standards and falls very dark purple; style arms purple with fine yellow midrib; golden-orange steeple signal with strong red-purple eyeliner surround on all petals, creating a star signal effect. Rounded flower form with very wide, overlapping falls. Slightly ruffled, slight fragrance.

**FREDERICK DOUGLASS** (Haymon 2004) AM2011 30" M 8.00  
Standards medium to dark plum-purple; style arms very dark plum purple; falls velvety plum-purple,

gold steeple signal; lightly ruffled.

<b>FRIENDS' SONG</b> (Haymon 2004)	32" EM	8.00	Standards medium pink, style arms dark green shading to cream at tips; falls dark pink, green-tipped gold steeple signal, ruffled.
<b>FROM THIS MOMENT</b> (Pryor 2000)	35" E	8.00	Pastel pink standards, lilac-purple falls, cream style arms.
<b>GARNET STORM DANCER</b> (Pryor 1996)	30" M-L	10.00	Velvety, purple-black self.
<b>GEISHA EYES</b> (Arny 1990)	AM1999 30" ML	8.00	Standards dark blue-violet with large yellow-green signal with extended line crest. Falls same.
<b>GINNY'S CHOICE</b> (Rudkin 2005)	MSDM2012 26" M	8.00	Blue-violet with yellow star steeple signal.
<b>GODZILLA</b> (Durio 1987)	36" E	10.00	Very dark violet, bright full yellow signal; light violet style arms, edged light yellow.
<b>GRIS GRIS</b> (O'Connor 2011)	AM2017 38" M	15.00	Standards and falls deep red; style arms red wine; yellow dagger signal outlined wine red.
<b>HAPPY TOGETHER</b> (Pryor 2002)	30" ML	8.00	Heavily ruffled cerise-plum standards and darker rose-plum falls. Pink style arms are blushed yellow. A real garden stunner!
<b>HEARTBREAK WARFARE</b> (Nichols 2013)	36" M-L	10.00	Standards are rounded medium red-rose with creamy white under wash with deeper red-rose lines throughout the standards. The style arms are yellow blended red rose. The slightly rounded falls are red-rose with some ruffling. Gold signals.
<b>HECTOR DUHON</b> (Haymon 2014)	32" M	8.00	Standards ruffled light blue with white serrated edge, Falls ruffled Light blue, slight white serrated edge. Deep yellow line signal surrounded by medium yellow thumb print signal all outlined deep blue radiating out into the falls. Style arms light blue deeper towards the center with slight white edge and tips.
<b>HENRY ROWLAN</b> (Faith 2002)	MSDM2009 43" EM	8.00	Standards and style arms blue purple, falls slightly darker blue purple, golden yellow signal.
<b>HER HIGHNESS</b> (Levingston 1957)	MSD1959 40" E	8.00	White self with light green style arms.
<b>HOT ZONE</b> (Jackson 2017)	34" M-L	30.00	Standards burnt orange-red; style arms yellow overlaid softer yellow; Falls burnt orange-red, three gold steeple signals; ruffled.
<b>HUSH MONEY</b> (Dunn 1998)	HM2002 36" M	8.00	Standards cream, blue cast; falls cream, raised gold line signal.
<b>INSTANT REPLAY</b> (Granger 1981)	22" M	8.00	Medium to deep blue-violet self.
<b>IT'S A BOY</b> (Haymon 1990)	27" M	8.00	

Lightly ruffled pale lavender blue, gold steeple signal edge dark blue, cream style arms shading to lavender, tipped blue.

- ITALIAN AFFAIR** (Taylor 2000) DM2012(A) 43" ML 8.00  
Purple violet, light buff edge and reverse, signals yellow; style arms buff, heavily ruffled.
- JAMES FAITH** (Faith 2002) MDSM2013 42" M 8.00  
Standards blue purple, lightly ruffled, style arms blue with reddish cast. Falls darker blue purple, large golden yellow signal edged creamy white.
- JERI** (Bertinot 1985) MSDM1994 36-42" EM 8.00  
Beautiful velvety dark violet.
- JESSICA MAI** (Grieves 2018) 36" M 35.00  
Standards cream, style arms cream; Falls same as standards, 6 yellow line signals, green veined throat.
- JOE POTT** (Mertzwiller 2007) 24" M 8.00  
Standards lavender purple, falls yellow ground veined light lavender-purple, yellow pendant form signal.
- KATRINA RISING** (O'Connor 2016) 30" M 30.00  
Falls deep red orange on outer half; lower half a mix of red orange veins over a yellow ground blending into the darker area. Standards deep Orange red. All petals outlined with a distinct yellow rim. Orange thumbprint signal with dark orange center. Styles ivory with slight red orange wash.
- KENTUCKY CAJUN** (Norris 1995) AM2001 30" M 8.00  
Tetraploid. Violet blue standards; falls darker violet blue. Gold signal, ruffled and flaring.
- KERRY LYNETTE DOUGLAS** (Grieves 2018) 37" E 35.00  
Standards greyed red, lighter reverse and edge; style arms dark red; Falls rusty red, light reverse and edge, signal yellow, 3 long, narrow line signals,
- KOORAWATHA** (Taylor 1987) DM1988(A) 30" M 8.00  
Heavily ruffled golden yellow with full overlapping parts.
- LEATHER BOUND** (Jackson R11) 43" ML 12.00  
Standards and falls brown violet blend, veined, 6 raised gold signals; styles honey gold tips divided and ruffled, umbrella form, ruffled. Registered 2011.
- LET FREEDOM RING** (Pryor 2004) HM2007 30" EM 12.00  
Medium pink edged darker, aging to lemon edged pink; raised lime line signal with black tip on all petals, style arms medium pink, yellow midrib at base.
- LET'S BEE HAPPY** (Jackson 2018) 40" M 35.00  
Standards soft magenta, stippled; style arms cream, washed magenta; Falls mid-magenta, 3 two-toned gold signals; ruffled.
- LORRAINE ROWLES** (Pryor 2009) 36" M-L 10.00  
Standards creamy-white with fine orange line signal. Falls same with orange steeple signal. Style arms white. Highly ruffled with triangular flower form. Named for a dear friend and work colleague of BP. Very vigorous growth habits. Great garden cultivar
- LOVE YA** (Campbell 1991) 34" M 8.00  
Standards red-purple, falls darker with gold signal.
- MARGERY ROSE** (Grieves 2018) 40" M 35.00

Standards mauve, pale mauve random veining; style arms pale mauve over green-yellow; Falls mauve, slightly veined, green-yellow steeple signal. Registered rebloomer.

- MARIE AMIÉE** (Haymon 2016) 34" M 15.00  
Standards medium pink, edged silver-white; style arms green, edge lighter; Falls bright pink, edged silver-white, bright green-gold signal turning to bright yellow; ruffling and lacy edge; slight sweet fragrance.
- MATILDA'S WALTZ** (Jackson 2018) 38" E 35.00  
Standards mid red-violet, variable softer color break, cream edge and reverse; style arms cream, overlaid red-violet; Falls mid red-violet, cream edge and reverse, 6 gold steeple signals; heavily ruffled.
- MELODY WILHOIT** (Nichols 2013) 36" E-L 15.00  
Standards dark yellow, ruffled; style arms dark yellow, slight green deep interior; Falls same as standards, gold raised signal; huge flowers; saucer shaped.
- MENTIDA** (Norris 1981) 38" M 8.00  
Rich cobalt blue with tiny yellow signal.
- MIGRANT HOME** (Betts 2008) 40" M 8.00  
Standards blue violet; style arms pale blue violet, edges silvery green; falls dark blue violet, gold pipe signal; ruffled, musky fragrance.
- MISS GERTIE'S BONNET** (Haymon 2000) HM2005 44" M 8.00  
Cream standards edged lavender and veined brown. Ruffled falls light lavender edged darker veined brown. Gold signals.
- MOOMBA FLARE** (Jackson 2018) 35" M 35.00  
Standards light garnet red, darker veining; style arms garnet red, edge lighter; Falls garnet red, gold line signals; ruffling on all petals.
- MOUNTAIN SMOKE** (Jackson 2018) 38" E-M 35.00  
Standards lavender-grey, style arms lavender-violet; Falls mid lavender-rose, 3 gold steeple signals; ruffled.
- MULBERRY ICE** (Pryor 2018) 14" M 35.00  
Petite blooms the size of a US Silver Dollar abound on equally petite stalks of just 14 inches. Falls are deep mulberry with pronounced lilac petal rim; yellow blotch signal is overlaid with a lime-yellow steeple signal which adds impact. Standards are creamy-white, veined dark mulberry with a pronounced mulberry line signal and veining.
- MY FRIEND DICK** (Butler 2000) MSDM2007 35" M 8.00  
Currant red, bold golden yellow signal.
- NADINE SARAH** (Grieves 2018) 36" M 35.00  
Standards very pale violet, fine veining; style arms cream, throat green; Falls same as standards; 6 light yellow signals.
- NANCY TICHBORNE** (Pryor 2010) HM2015 36" M-L 8.00  
Mid lavender self. Standards with lime line signals. Falls with raised, elongated white steeple signal and lime line signals with white luminata area around the line crest. Style arms pale lemon-lime, pale lavender tips. Highly ruffled and rounded flower. Named for New Zealand's premier watercolor artist.
- NIGHT THUNDER** (Morgan 2001) MSDM2010 26" M 8.00  
Ruffled dark purple with orange steeple signal.

**OAKLANDS PRINCE** (Jackson 2017) 38" M 25.00  
Standards wine-red, style arms light gold striped wine-red; falls wine-red, tinged green throat, recurved, 6 fold star shaped signals; flared.

**OPAL SUNSET** (Pryor 2000) 32" EM 8.00  
Golden-yellow with fine rose-pink veining and a delicate rose-pink blush at the petal edges. A lime-green signal with a yellow starburst layer and rosy-red eyeliner.

**OUR CAROLINE** (H Pryor 2008) 30" L 8.00  
Highly ruffled, deep caramel self, lemon-yellow rim and reverse. Golden yellow style arms with caramel midrib; large golden-yellow blotch signal with deep lime base, overlaid golden-orange steeple signal on all petals creating a star signal effect. Rounded flower form with slight fragrance.

**OUR DOROTHY** (Pryor 2002) 38" ML 10.00  
Falls lemon, cyclamen rim, lime-yellow signal outlined in red. Standards pale lemon rimmed pink. Style arms apricot, blushed pink. Ruffled.

**PARAMONT STAR** (Pryor 2011) 30" M-L 8.00  
Deep velvety-purple self with white rim and reverse, bright yellow steeple star signal on all petals. Style arms are pure white, tipped purple with a golden style arm base. Gently ruffled.

**PARK AVENUE PRINCESS** (Pryor 2004) HM2008 41" ML 8.00  
Standards pale icing pink, red line signal to near edge, pale pink reverse; style arms pastel lemon, tips pale icing pink. Falls pale icing pink, orange steeple signal with red eyeliner changing to red line signal, pale pink reverse, ruffled, fine piccrust edging, slight fragrance.

**PEACHES IN WINE** (Pryor 1998) MSDM2006 35" E 10.00  
Name says it all.

**PETER'S HEIR** (Betts 2007) 37" EM 8.00  
Lightly ruffled, purple bitone with feather-veined standards.

**PLUM GOOD** (Nelson) 30" ML 8.00  
Plum red. In commerce prior to 1955. Registered 2001.

**PONTCHARTRAIN BEACH** (O'Connor 2012) 38" M 8.00  
Standards medium rose, falls medium rose darker rose veined, yellow arrowhead signal.

**POTPOURRI ROSE** (Pryor 1997) 30" ML 8.00  
Rose self with lots of ruffles, yellow dagger signal with raised center.

**PRESIDENT BARNETTE** (Haymon 2011) 39" EM 15.00  
Heavily ruffled green-veined white, green gold signal changing to green veining; style arms dark green fading to white at tip; slight sweet fragrance.

**PRINCESS LEIA** (Pryor 1998) 45" M 12.00  
Cyclamen purple, white rim and reverse, raised lime yellow steeple signal with crimson veining; style arms white, with early pale pink blush.

**PRIX D'ELEGANCE** (Pryor 1997) HM2000 35" EM 8.00  
Heavily ruffled soft rose-pink with rose veining, cream rim and reverse on each petal.

**PROFESSOR NEIL** (Mertzweiller 1992) MSDM1999 36" M 8.00  
Tetraploid. Deep wine red with large, brilliant yellow signals.



<b>QUEEN ADELAIDE</b> (Jackson 2001)	32" ML	8.00	Heavily ruffled light lavender blue, darker veining, signals gold.
<b>QUEEN JEANNE</b> (Pryor 2003)	41" ML	8.00	Intensely ruffled, deep blue-violet self, fine lilac rim and reverses. White styles blushed violet, golden signals.
<b>RASPBERRY RILLA</b> (Henderson 2001)	MSDM2011 36" M	8.00	Standards light raspberry red, falls medium raspberry, yellow steeple signal.
<b>RED BEANS</b> (O'Connor 2007)	32" M	8.00	Rich, rusty red with bright yellow steeple signal outlined in deep red rust. Close to a perfect self with rusty red styles and standards only a shade less lustrous than the falls. A vigorous, floriferous iris
<b>RED DAZZLER</b> (Hale 1969)	HM1972 24" M	8.00	Red self with velvet sheen on the falls, red signal.
<b>RED ECHO</b> (Rowlan 1984)	AM1990 36" EL	8.00	Scarlet red with grey line signal.
<b>RED VELVET ELVIS</b> (Vaughn 2000)	MSDM2005 36" E-L	10.00	Very dark red, falls a shade darker than the standards, very velvety texture and light ruffling. Small orange-yellow signal, near black style arms. Blossoms are flat with very wide petals.
<b>REGAL RICOCHET</b> (Pryor 2000)	38" M	8.00	Mid-violet bi-tone. Lemon style arms blushed red-violet on the sides, cream rim and tip. Registered rebloomer.
<b>RENEE FLEMING</b> (Pryor 2004)	AM2011 42" M	10.00	Standards pastel lavender, veined violet; style arms pastel lemon; falls medium violet, golden yellow blotch signal, white rim and reverse; ruffled, scalloped.
<b>REVERCHON SNOWFALL</b> (Nichols 2013)	HM2017 34" M-L	15.00	Standards white, green veined midrib. Falls white with slight green veining, ruffled.
<b>RICH AND RARE</b> (Pryor 2006)	39" ML	8.00	Ruffled dark mulberry with pronounced white rim; large yellow blotch signal overlaid, dark ruby red outline, style arms white, yellow midrib.
<b>RIDE FOR DIXIE</b> (Morgan-Wilhoit 2009)	HM2014 22" M	8.00	Standards light terracotta, falls terracotta; slight fragrance.
<b>ROMANTIC MEMORY</b> (Pryor 2012)	30" M	12.00	Petite red-purple self with winter white petal rim and reverse. Darker purple veining with white line spray patterns around the signals. Raised golden steeple signals in a yellow sunray spray on all petals, giving a steeple star effect. A shorter-growing cultivar with petite flowers, smaller-growing rhizomes and quality stalks.
<b>ROOSTER</b> (Betzer 2014)	HM2017 29" E-M	10.00	Light yellow standards with a slight claret streak thru the middle and lightly feathered edges. Style arms are claret with some yellow shading. Falls are yellow with rusty red veining and sometimes a full rusty red wash which seems to be dependent on the soil and climate of the season (all flowers on a plant are consistent over the bloom season). Very attractive in all its variations. Serrated claret edges and a yellow blotch overlaid with a light green steeple signal.

- ROYAL GALA** (Pryor 2011) 40" ML 8.00  
Standards deep black-purple, violet reverse. Falls deeper black-purple, violet reverse, raised, elongated lime steeple signals. Style arms deep purple, lime-yellow base, white edges. Petite, highly ruffled flowers, slightly recurved; pronounced triangular form and a slight fragrance.
- ROYAL MUSIC** (Jackson 2001) 45" E 8.00  
Standards cream, veined dark red, falls wine red, fine beige edging; yellow signal; ruffled.
- RUFFLE OF SPRING** (Jackson 2018) 37" E-M 35.00  
Standards blue-purple; style arms red-purple, fine white edge and central tip; Falls blue-purple, darker than standards, 3 yellow-gold steeple signals; ruffled and laced on all petals.
- SANDRA REDMAN** (Pryor 2011) 40" M 10.00  
Standards and Falls are deep red-cerise with lemon rim and reverse. All petals feature a 'double star' signal pattern, with a yellow blotch signal overlaid by a raised golden steeple signal. Style arms are soft golden, with a yellow midrib and an interesting red blush at arm edges. This is a very floriferous cultivar with a spicy fragrance.
- SEA OF LAVENDER** (Jackson 2007) 39" M 8.00  
Standards and falls medium lavender, dark\* lavender veining. Rounded gold star signals, deeper gold center line, ruffled, laced, overlapping form.
- SECRET RENDEZVOUS** (Pryor 2010) 40" E 10.00  
Standards pastel-pink, darker pink petal blush at edges and fine lime-green veined signals. Falls mid cerise-pink, slightly darker petal edges. Falls with lime steeple signals with maroon surround and tips. Style arms pale lemon, pink blush at the tips. Sometimes the style arms feature small lemon 'horns'. Ruffled, triangular flower form.
- SERIOUSLY BLUE** (Taylor 2000) 43" M 8.00  
Blue, signals yellow, style arms lemon, tipped blue.
- SHIZUOKA SUNRISE** (O'Connor 2004) 37" M 8.00  
Standards orange-buff, style arms red-orange; falls red-orange, yellow-orange arrowhead signal, deep red-orange line marking at tip.
- SIMPLY IRRESISTIBLE** (Pryor 1999) 45" M 12.00  
Ruffled, cherry-red standards and deeper cherry falls with lemon rim and petal reverse. A regular re-bloomer for Iris Haven.
- SPLITTER SPLATTER** (Grieves 2006) 31" M 10.00  
Standards off-white with purple veining, falls pale yellow with random blotching and bleeding of beet-root purple. Very unusual flower.
- SUGARPLUM TREAT** (Pryor 2009) HM2012 46" EM 10.00  
Standards pure white with cyclamen-purple rim and lemon line signal. Falls mid cyclamen-purple darker petal rim, lime-green steeple signal and ruffled petals. Styles are creamy-pink with pronounced cyclamen blush at edges. Ruffled flowers with slightly reflexed flower form. A real stand-out in the garden.
- SUN AND SURF** (Pryor 2000) 40" M 8.00  
Ice-blue standards and pastel lemon falls. Style arms lemon.
- SURPRISE CALLER** (Jackson 2007) 43" EM 8.00  
Standards wine red, falls velvety wine red; fine light edge. Ruffled with gold signals.
- SUZIE G** (Haymon 2007) 25" M 8.00

Bright golden yellow self, ruffled and fluted around edges. Four-five buds on each stalk with double or triple sockets and branching at every bud position. Up to 12 open blooms gives a bouquet effect. Raised dark orange signal veining out to the edge of the falls.

- SWIRLING WATERS** (Pryor 2009) 43" EM 10.00  
A regular rebloomer in Australia. Heavily ruffled, deep blue-violet self. Standards have fine yellow line signal. Yellow blotch signal on falls, overlaid with a yellow steeple signal. Style arms apple green. violet tips.
- TANDOORI SIZZLER** (Pryor 2012) 41" ML 12.00  
Bright ginger-orange self with fine yellow petal rim yellow reverse. Styles medium-apricot, yellow midrib, multiple steeple signal on all petals with red line around the signal pattern.
- TARAWERA FLOW** (Jackson 2017) 41" L 25.00  
Standards deep velvety purple; style arms soft purple, tips darker; falls deep velvet purple, 6 gold signals with raised center line; recurved;
- TRIP THE LIGHT** (Pryor 2016) 41" ML 15.00  
Standards mid pastel blue with very fine green line signals; Style arms lemon-lime with white tips; Falls paler pastel blue with raised golden steeple signals; ruffled.
- TRULY SCRUMPTIOUS** (Pryor 2006) 39" ML 8.00  
White with fine violet veining overall, edges blushed lilac, white rim and reverse, raised lime line signal on all petals, standards with additional triangular area of solid violet from signal to petal edge, style arms white, base blushed apple green, ruffled, rounded and slightly reflexed.
- VELVET ENSEMBLE** (Jackson 2018) 32" M 35.00  
Standards dusky pink, dark pink veining; style arms cream overlaid dark pink; falls velvety deep red, recurved, three gold steeple signals.
- VENUS VORTEX** (Pryor 1999) 45" M 8.00  
Deep purple self with a fine white spray pattern overlay on all petals. Lime green line signal, white rim and reverse. Style arms apple-green.
- VERMILION TREASURE** (Haymon 1988) 42" M 8.00  
Huge red-violet blooms veined darker with silver serrated edges on the falls. Large yellow signal.
- VERY VEIN** (Grieves 2016) 38" M 25.00  
Standards cream, veined red-purple; style arms yellow-green; Falls same as standards, lemon-yellow signal on both standards and falls.
- WAIHI WEDDING** (Pryor 1999) 45" ML 8.00  
White, lime green line signal on all petals, style arms lime green at base, white reflexed tips, pronounced fragrance.
- WALTZ KING** (Pryor 2012) 35" ML 12.00  
Highly ruffled mid violet self with an unusual 1/4" wide sanded-cream rim with serrated petal edges and strong red-violet blush signals, line signals on the standards and golden blotch overlaying a lime steeple signal on the falls. Heavily ruffled lemon style arms complete the picture. The ruffled flowers can take two days to open fully.
- WHEN PIGS FLY** (O'Connor 2013) 31" M-L 12.00  
Standards pale amber on opening fading to pearl-white; style arms cream-white; Falls same as standards, deep yellow dagger signal outlined in bright violet radiating out about half the length and width of falls

**WINDOW SHOPPING** (Morgan 1993) 30" M 10.00  
Standards light yellow, red midrib. Falls dark red, light yellow steeple signal.

**ZYDECO** (O'Connor 2004) AM2012 30" M 8.00  
Burnt orange self, yellow styles outlined with deeper burnt orange.

## Other Beardless Iris

***Iris anguifuga***. Native of China believed to repel snakes. It grows all winter, blooms in the spring then, about the time snakes would put in a showing, goes completely dormant until late fall. Propagated from a single rhizome in Zone 5 where it has proven totally hardy with no mulch and bloomed yearly in half a day's sun and unmodified garden soil.

**SNAKE BANE** (Waddick 2007) AM2016 14" E 8.00  
Standards violet, style arms paler violet. Falls white ground veined darker violet, fades with age. Spuria-like form; slight fragrance.

***Iris laevigatae***. Grow best in wet places or ponds but will do equally well in a garden setting if given moisture during dry summers. They like full sun, rich acid soil, lots of water and are very easy to grow. They are native to Japan and bloom along with the tall bearded iris.

***I. laevigata*** 30" M 8.00  
Attractive cobalt-blue flowers in May and smooth wide green foliage. Likes lots of moisture and acid soil.

***I. laevigata Double*** 24" M 8.00  
Double form of the species. Six falls of cobalt blue with a white line signal.

***I. laevigata Variegata*** 24" E 12.00  
Beautifully variegated with vertically striped green and white leaves and pretty violet-blue flowers.

**ALBOPURPUREA COLCHESTERENSIS** 30" EM 12.00  
Beautiful flat-formed, deep blue with white edge on the falls.

**ALBOPURPUREA MONSTROSA** 36" EM 8.00  
A taller form of COLCHESTERENSIS with lighter flowers and a broader white edging.

**DATESUGATA** M 8.00  
3F. Dark violet-blue, short standards.

**SEIRAN** (Mahan 1993) 27" EM 10.00  
Medium wisteria blue self; standards with violet stripe, violet style arms; falls have yellow ridges from pale yellow signal.

**SHIRASAGI** (Mahan 1993) 28" M 8.00  
6F. White petals, white styles, violet-shaded midribs. Slight fragrance.

***Iris pseudacorus***. The water-garden iris with yellow flowers. Will grow equally well in shallow water or in regular, damp garden soil. The foliage is tall, stiff and brilliant green. They bloom on very branched stalks for a long time with the Siberians.

**MINI CASCADE** (Huber 2007) 14" EM 8.00  
Perfect for your rock garden. Saffron yellow to maize yellow with brownish purple signal. Small, multi-petaled flowers.

***Iris tectorum***. The "Japanese Roof Iris" has beautiful, broad fan-shaped leaves and is one of our favorite irises. It is very hardy and low maintenance. Flowers are flat, slightly ruffled and are shade tolerant. Blooms with early bearded.

**SUN MOON LAKE** (Davidson/Lankow 2007) AM2014 23" M 10.00  
Violet blue self, style arms lighter at edge, dark violet spots on falls; very large white crest spotted

purple. Collected near Sun Moon Lake Taiwan.

**TAIWAN STRAIN** 23" M 10.00

From seed collected in Taipei, Taiwan by Joan Cooper. Appears identical to **SUN MOON LAKE**. Violet blue self, style arms lighter at edge, dark violet spots on falls; very large white crest spotted purple. Very vigorous.

**WOOLONG** (Waddick 2002) FSM2013 10" M 10.00

Larger and more vigorous than the species (and more cold tolerant), the standards are blue-violet with paler style arms. Falls are blue-violet with darker spots; white crests. (Grows to about 20" for us).

***Iris versicolor***. The blue flag, this is the most common native iris of the northeastern U.S. It likes moisture and will grow well in any sun in ordinary garden conditions. Excellent branching and numerous flowers.

***I. versicolor*** (NA) 30" M 8.00

Purple waterside iris. Excellent branching with numerous beautiful flowers on black stalks. Good plants for garden or landscape use.

**BETWEEN THE LINES** (Schafer/Sacks 1991) FSM01 22" M 8.00

White ground veined blue-violet throughout. Pearly styles with violet midribs. Yellow signal with a prominent green throat.

**JOHN WOOD** (Wood/Linberger 1998) FSM2006 32" M 8.00

Medium maroon standards veined darker, falls velvety deep red-violet with white ray pattern. Flower stems are black.

## Species Crosses

These iris are easy to grow and some bloom very late in the season. Many will grow in standing water, but thrive in regular garden soil.

- BEET ROOT** (Tiffany NA) 38" 8.00  
*I. x robusta*, *I. virginica* and *I. versicolor*. Very hardy with violet *I. virginica* sized flowers. The foliage is colored reddish purple.
- CHANCE BEAUTY** (Ellis 1990) AM1988(B) 36" M 8.00  
Pale yellow standards, falls yellow, veined chocolate with a deep yellow signal patch. *I. pseudacorus* x *I. ensata*. This beauty grows to five feet tall for us and invariably stops traffic.
- KINSHIKOU** (Shimizu 2004) AM2010 37" E 10.00  
Falls rose over yellow, appearing peach. Dark wine around yellow signal. Very small light yellow standards. Name means GOLDEN MONKEY. *I. pseudacorus* x *I. ensata*.
- LITTLE CAILLET** (Durio 1996) AM2006 25" M 10.00  
Cross between *I. virginica* light blue and the tetraploid Louisiana iris **BAYOU ROUGE**. Standards orchid-blue, veined wisteria-blue, light lavender edging; lilac style arms edged white; falls wisteria blue veined deeper. Signal golden yellow and green. Slight spicy fragrance.
- PIXIE WON** (Copeland 1997) RPM2005 16" E 10.00  
Small violet standards with a white midrib; falls violet with dark purple halo around the yellow signal, purple veins throughout; cream white styles. *I. pseudacorus* x *I. ensata*.
- SAKAI NO OGOON** (Maeda NA) 40" 8.00  
Tetraploid. Deep, clear yellow, mature plants producing 20 plus blooms. *I. pseudacorus* x *I. ensata*. Introduced in Japan in 1998.

## Bearded Iris

Here are some of our favorite old and new bearded iris. Bearded iris generally bloom from mid-April to mid-May. Those with "rebloom" in the description will bloom again, usually October to November. Rebloom is very dependant on weather conditions.

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| <b><i>I. germanica</i></b>   | 24" VE         | 7.00  |
| As painted by Van Gogh, the authentic purple flag and the portrayed state flower of Tennessee.   |                |       |
| <b>A LITTLE GOOD NEWS</b> (Johnson 2014)   | HM2016 12" L   | 8.00  |
| Standards and style arms milk white; Falls same with medium yellow spot; beards orange in throat, blue in middle and end; slight fragrance.  |                |       |
| <b>ABSOLUTE STAR</b> (Schreiner 2013)  | HM2015 37" M   | 10.00 |
| Pale yellow to cream self.   |                |       |
| <b>AFFAIR TO REMEMBER</b> (Black 2015)   | HM2017 37" E-L | 15.00 |
| Standards mid grey-rose washed over butter ground, mid yellow laced band; Falls white luminata patch blended to mid rose center to garnet, narrow mid gold-yellow rim wider on reverse; beards mid yellow in throat and middle, white ends; ruffled and laced; slight fragrance. |                |       |
| <b>AGUA FRESCA</b> (Schreiner 2010)  | 39" M          | 10.00 |
| Heavily ruffled, true blue.  |                |       |
| <b>ALICE HARDING</b> (Cayeux 1933)   | DM1933(F)      | 7.00  |
| Yellow self with purple based foliage.   |                |       |
| <b>ALL NIGHT LONG</b> (Duncan 2005)  | AM2009 31" L   | 7.00  |
| Heavily ruffled dark purple black  |                |       |
| <b>ALPENVIEW</b> (Keppel 2003)   | AM2007 41" EM  | 7.00  |
| Standards columbine blue, lighter 1/2" rim; falls white; beards white. Slight sweet fragrance.   |                |       |
| <b>ANGELS IN THE ARCHITECTURE</b> (Silvers 2017)   | 32" M          | 15.00 |
| Standards medium purple plicata mostly covering the white ground; styles medium purple midrib with white edges and medium purple crests. Falls medium purple plicata on white. Beards orange, white at base; pronounced sweet fragrance. Conspicuous dark purple foliage base.   |                |       |
| <b>ART DECO</b> (Schreiner 1997)   | AM2003 33" VE  | 8.00  |
| Dark blue-violet and white in a plicata pattern. Falls are rimmed with a 1/2 inch blue-violet border.  |                |       |
| <b>AUTUMN EXPLOSION</b> (Tasco 2013)   | AM2017 33" EM  | 10.00 |
| White standards covered with reddish pansy purple dots, nearly solid at the edges. Falls white with pansy purple dots becoming darker at the edges. Lightly ruffled with a sweet fragrance, rebloomer.   |                |       |
| <b>AUTUMN JESTER</b> (Chapman 2000)  | 13" E          | 6.00  |
| Purple bitone, good rebloomer.   |                |       |
| <b>AUTUMN SUNBURST</b> (Aitken 2010)   | HM2014 39" ML  | 10.00 |
| Intense orange self. Rebloomer.  |                |       |
| <b>AUTUMN TWILIGHT</b> (Brown 1958)  | 33" M          | 8.00  |
| Standards brownish yellow, falls light yellow. Rebloomer.  |                |       |
| <b>BABBLING BROOK</b> (Keppel 1969)  | DM1972 38" M   | 7.00  |
| Light blue self.   |                |       |



**BABY BLESSED** (Zurbrigg 1979) 10" E 6.00  
Light yellow with a small white spot on the falls, cream beard. Rebloomer.

**BALTIC BLUE** (Niswonger 1998) 14" M 6.00  
A vigorous light blue with olive green hafts and a bright dark blue beard.

**BARBARA MY LOVE** (Maryott 1999) AM2005 36" M 8.00  
Pale salmon standards are lightly ruffled with golden styles. Falls are white with 3/8" band of pale orange. Slight sweet fragrance.

**BATIK** (Ensminger 1986) KM1992 24" E 8.00  
Purple and white plicata, no two flowers alike. A very unusual iris.

**BEFORE THE STORM** (Innerst 1989) DM1996 36" M 8.00  
Black, black beard tipped bronze; slight fragrance.

**BEVERLY SILLS** (Hager 1979) DM1985 35" EM 8.00  
Coral pink. One of the most popular irises of all time.

**BIG BLUE EYES** (Black 2006) AM2010 14" L 6.00  
Stark white standards and band around violet blue falls. White darts beside and in front of white beards.

**BLACK MAGIC WOMAN** (Tasco 2008) JCW2014 34" EM 10.00  
Dark red violet standards, satiny jet black falls; persimmon burnt orange beards; purple based foliage.

**BLATANT** (Byers 2000) 36" EM 8.00  
Yellow standards, magenta falls with yellow beard. Rebloomer.

**BLUE KENTUCKY GIRL** (Schreiner 2002) HM2005 40" E 8.00  
Cool, sapphire blue. Ruffled with milk-white beards.

**BLUE MY MIND** (Schreiner 2014) HM2016 46" M 12.00  
Heavily ruffled, blue-purple, center of falls heavily flushed cerulean blue-violet.

**BLUE SAPPHIRE** (Schreiner 1953) DM1958 40" E 7.00  
Blue self.

**BLUEBEARD'S GHOST** (Black 2006) CDM2012 14" ML 6.00  
Ruffled white with dark blue beards.

**BLUEBERRY TART** (Chapman 2002) 11" E 6.00  
Blue standards, falls reddish tan with blue edge; darker blue beards. Rebloomer.

**BOB CAT** (Kilgore R05) 35" ML 12.00  
Standards pale yellow, deeper near midrib; Falls silvery lavender, golden yellow hafts; beards golden yellow, deeper gold in throat, lavender horns, sometimes curved up; smooth to slightly ruffled; slight sweet fragrance. Registered 2005. Of course, when we saw the name we had to have it.

**BOYSENBERRY BUTTERCUP** (Lauer 1997) AM2001 37" EM 7.00  
Standards light creamy yellow, falls rich boysenberry. Sweet fragrance.

**BRILLIANT DISGUISE** (Johnson 2008) AM2012 36" M 8.00  
Apricot-orange standards, velvety dark maroon falls; fiery orange beards.

<b>BUCKWHEAT</b> (Byers 1989)	36" E-ML	8.00	Cream yellow standards, falls medium yellow with variable greenish ecru influence, yellow beard. Slight sweet fragrance. Rebloomer.
<b>CANTINA</b> (Byers 1990)	35" M	8.00	Wine-purple bitone with falls edged wine. Rebloomer.
<b>CARMEL CELESTE</b> (Tasco 2008)	HM2011 14" M	6.00	Heavily ruffled barium yellow, lemon yellow around beards, tangerine beards tipped white; citrus fragrance. Rebloomer
<b>CAROLINA GOLD</b> (Powell 1970)	33" E-L	8.00	Golden yellow self, orange-gold beard.
<b>CAT'S EYE</b> (Black 2002)	CDM2008 15" M	6.00	Mauve rose standards with fine cherry veins; dark cherry red falls veined black and banded in rose; violet beards tipped brown.
<b>CELEBRATION SONG</b> (Schreiner 1993)	DM2003 37" EML	8.00	Soft pink standards, blue-lavender falls.
<b>CELTIC WOMAN</b> (Aitken 2009)	AM2013 38" E	8.00	Ruffled pink standards, round and ruffled white falls with a magenta plicata band.
<b>CHAMPAGNE ENCORE</b> (Aitken 1997)	HM2001 24" M	8.00	Snowy white standards with peach falls. Rebloomer.
<b>CHANNELLING LORETTA</b> (Black 2014)	14" E-M	8.00	Named for Loretta Lynn, a pink and rose combination with vivid neon coral pink beards.
<b>CHERIE</b> (Hall 1948)	DM1951 34" E	7.00	Flamingo-pink self.
<b>CIRCUS STRIPES</b> (Plough 1976)	30" M	7.00	Standards white, edged campanula violet, falls white, overall veining of campanula violet purple, yellow to white beard.
<b>CIRQUE DU SOLEIL</b> (Sutton 2006)	HM2008 37" EML	8.00	Heavily ruffled creamy yellow.
<b>CLAIM JUMPER</b> (Sutton 2008)	34" M-L	8.00	Bright yellow standards; red falls with golden yellow blaze; yellow beards.
<b>CLARENCE</b> (Zurbrigg 1991)	JCW2000 35" M	8.00	Blue-violet with white flash on falls. Sweet fragrance. Rebloomer.
<b>CLEAR BLUE WATER</b> (Johnson 2014)	HM2016 12" M	8.00	Clear blue with shining white beards.
<b>CLOWN PANTS</b> (Silvers 2006)	23" E	6.00	Standards pale yellow, speckles on claw, style arms pale yellow; Falls pale yellow ground overlaid with purple haft striping blending into burgundy on lower half of falls; falls trimmed pale yellow; beards yellow orange, hairs tipped purple; slight fragrance. <i>I. variegata</i> x <i>I. suaveolens</i> Mellita. Rebloomer.
<b>CLYDESDALE</b> (Smith 2014)	HM2016 31" L-VL	20.00	

Purple-white broken color, opens flat in warmer weather.

- COAL SEAMS** (Schreiner 2013) AM2017 41" M 10.00  
Large, velvety near black.
- CODE OF HONOR** (Johnson 2013) HM2015 25" M 8.00  
Standards and style arms milk white; Falls same with medium yellow spot; beards orange in throat, blue in middle and end; slight fragrance.
- COMMANDING PRESENCE** (Black 2014) HM2016 31" E-M 15.00  
Light, lavender blue standards, falls mid-dark lavender blue with light lavender blue band. Mid orange beards.
- CONCERTINA** (Sutton 2000) 27" EM 8.00  
Ameranth rose self, blue beards. Rebloomer.
- CONFETTI** (Schreiner 1948) M 7.00  
White standards, falls pink on white plicata.
- CORSAGE** (Watkins 1955) 30" M 7.00  
Pure satiny white, haphazardly splashed with brilliant yellow; no two petals alike.
- COYOTE MOON** (Tasco 2012) HM2014 14" ML 6.00  
Standards mimosa yellow; style arms white; Falls creamy white, large mimosa yellow spot; beards white, tipped golden orange in middle, light wisteria blue at ends; moderately ruffled; sweet fragrance
- COZY COTTON** (Sutton 2015) 35" ML 15.00  
White self with serrated edge. Butter yellow beards, rebloomer.
- CRACKLING CALDERA** (Aitken 2003) JCW2010 33" ML 10.00  
Falls ruffled yellow with a bright orange rim; red beards. Standards orange.
- CRANAPPLE** (Aitken 1995) KM2001 24" EM 8.00  
Wonderful cranapple red, rich velvet pile.
- CRANBERRY SWIRL** (Schreiner 2006) HM2008 37" M 10.00  
Standards flamingo pink, falls cranberry-rose with pink edging.
- CRICKET SONG** (Silvers 2012) 24" M 7.00  
Standards medium blue-purple; falls medium purple. Beards white, tipped orange with tiny amount of brown. Pronounced musky fragrance, rebloomer (re bloom in MD, KY, TN and CA).
- CRIMSON CLOUD** (Schreiner 2010) 36" EM 8.00  
Snow white standards, ruffled wine-purple falls with white band. Crimson-tangerine beards.
- CROWNED HEADS** (Keppel 1997) DM2004 38" M 8.00  
Wisteria violet standards, style arms light blue; falls light blue, beards blue. Slight sweet fragrance.
- DALMATICA** 7.00  
*I. pallida* collected before 1600. Lilac purple flowers.
- DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY** (Schreiner 2010) 39" ML 8.00  
Rose and burnt copper-watermelon blend. Very ruffled.
- DANCING SPREE** (Schreiner 2012) 33" L 10.00  
Orange-peach standards, falls paler with a red-violet rim.

<b>DARING DECEPTION</b> (Johnson 2012)	AM2016	35" M	12.00	White standards, maroon falls with white rim.
<b>DAUNTLESS</b> (Connell 1929)	DM1929	40" M	7.00	Red self; falls appear darker because of their velvety quality.
<b>DAWN ETERNAL</b> (Schreiner 2013)		41" ML	10.00	White standards, infused yellow. Rosy falls with a white medial line and light lavender surround.
<b>DIVIDING LINE</b> (Bunnell 2005)	DM2014	22" M	8.00	Standards pale blue violet fading to blue white; style arms pale purple; Falls pale purple, bisected by pale purple midline, violet spot and white haft markings; beards yellow.
<b>DRAGON KING</b> (Tasco 2011)	AM2015	37" E-M	8.00	Magenta mauve standards. Red orchid falls with burgundy black veins. Burnt orange beards.
<b>DUSKY CHALLENGER</b> (Schreiner 1986)	DM1992	39" ML	8.00	The premier deep purple, huge flowers.
<b>EDITH WOLFORD</b> (Hager 1986)	DM1993	35" M	8.00	Standards light canary yellow, falls medium blue-violet. Broad, ruffled petals.
<b>ELEANOR ROOSEVELT</b> (Sass-McDade 1933)	AM1937	VE-L	7.00	Dark purple, blue beard. vigorous and prolific rebloomer.
<b>ELEANOR'S PRIDE</b> (Watkins 1956)	DM1961	41" M	7.00	Powder blue self.
<b>ELVIS PRESLEY</b> (Bensen 1982)		36" M	8.00	Ruffled white and green self.
<b>EVERYTHING PLUS</b> (Niswonger 1984)	DM1991	34" M	7.00	Pale blue-white standards, falls white ground with deep violet plicata markings. Purple beard tipped bronze.
<b>EXCLAIM</b> (Black 2013)	HM2016	14" ML	8.00	Standards bright mid yellow; style arms mid gold-yellow; Falls plush brown-black, short gold veins along beards; beards mid marigold; slight musky fragrance; small flowers.
<b>FADE TO BLACK</b> (Schreiner 2002)	AM2008	38" EM	8.00	Raven black, including beards.
<b>FALL LINE</b> (Sutton 2009)	HM2011	20" EM	8.00	Standards white and yellow ground, washed plum purple. White falls strongly veined and edged plum purple. Rebloomer.
<b>FASHION QUEEN</b> (Schreiner 2004)		40" ML	8.00	Standards bright apricot, falls plush violet-purple; tangerine beards.
<b>FASHIONABLY LATE</b> (Keppel 1998)	AM2004	36" L	8.00	Standards blended rose-violet; falls blended rose violet.
<b>FEED BACK</b> (Hager 1983)		32" EM	8.00	Mid-violet self. Rebloomer.

<b>FIDDLIN' AROUND</b> (Schreiner 2012)	40" M	12.00	Violet blue standards, dark purple falls with white speckles around yellow beard.
<b>FIRST PICK</b> (Schreiner 2011)	36" VE	12.00	Standards and falls white ground, burgundy-red plicata markings overall; style arms burgundy red; beards burgundy red, yellow in throat.
<b>FIRST WAVE</b> (Tasco 2003)	AM2007 33" ML	8.00	Heavily bubble-ruffled mid-blue, lightening with age; pale violet beard with white hairs tipped yellow in throat.
<b>FLOPSY</b> (Loomis R1990)	34" M	8.00	White with yellow haft veining, drooping standards. Beards yellow, tipped white.
<b>FLORENTINE SILK</b> (Keppel 2005)	DM2012 40" ML	8.00	Standards peach, falls medium violet.
<b>FOREVER BLUE</b> (Chapman 1997)	AM2002 12" E	6.00	Light blue-violet self. Rebloomer.
<b>FORMAL INVITATION</b> (Moore's 2013)	34" EM	12.00	Standards creamy white, falls dark lavender violet with large creamy white center, beards pale yellow tipped white.
<b>FRAGRANT LILAC</b> (Hager 1986)	HM1988 36" ML	8.00	Laced, rounded lavender-orchid self. Sweet fragrance.
<b>FROSTY MOONSCAPE</b> (Aitken 2006)	HM2008 34" ML	8.00	Flat bearded iris with blue-white falls. Rebloomer.
<b>GIANT ROSE</b> (Schreiner 1959)	HM1961 40" ML	7.00	Medium rose-pink standards, falls rose.
<b>GIBSON GIRL</b> (Gibson 1946)	36" M	8.00	Yellow ground red plicata. Rebloomer.
<b>GILDED GOWN</b> (Couturier 1997)	33" EM	8.00	Standards white, very slight gold edging, midrib and veining, falls white, beards golden orange, pale lavender horns, ruffled.
<b>GIRLY GIRL</b> (Schreiner 2013)	HM2016 34" ML	10.00	Light purple with large white area on falls.
<b>GLAD</b> (Schreiner 2011)	HM2014 34" ML	8.00	Blue-violet self with bright orange beards.
<b>GLEN-ELLEN</b> (Connell-Williams 1939)	HM1939 M	7.00	Luminous golden tan, falls slightly flushed brown and plum.
<b>GLITTER GULCH</b> (Burseen 2009)	36" EM	8.00	Cadmium orange self, ruffled, large uplifting spoons.
<b>GOING IN CIRCLES</b> (Black 2013)	HM2015 13" EM	8.00	Standards light lilac, grey-blue veins; style arms light old gold crests, grey-blue center; Falls garnet, short white veins beside beards, 3/4" light ilac band; beards yellow, white at end.

<b>GOLDEN FOLLY</b> (Sutton 2012)	9" E	6.00	Golden yellow self with lavender horns out from gold beards.
<b>GOLDKIST</b> (Black 1993)	AM1999 36" M	8.00	Snow white with yellow hafts and beards, purple veins from hafts.
<b>GRAND OLD OPRY</b> (Meek 1987)	36" E-M	8.00	Ruffled, big lavender purple, a garden standout. We're from Nashville...gotta have it in our catalog, even if the name is misspelled.
<b>GRATEFUL RED</b> (Schreiner 2011)	HM2014 36" EM	10.00	Ruffled, ruddy red.
<b>GRAVITY</b> (Silvers 2018)	22" M	25.00	Maroon-black standards, maroon-black falls with white rays beside bronze beard, purple based foliage.
<b>HAPPENSTANCE</b> (Keppel 2000)	JCW2006 37" M	8.00	Lightly ruffled and laced clear pink self.
<b>HARVEST OF MEMORIES</b> (Zurbrigg 1985)	38" M	8.00	Dresden yellow, yellow beard, slight sweet fragrance. Rebloomer.
<b>HAVING A PARTY</b> (Johnson 2014)	HM2017 38" E	15.00	Standards and styles white, rimmed tan gold; Falls white hafts veined mid-apricot transitioning to pale violet with red grape spots. Bright orange beards.
<b>HELEN COLLINGWOOD</b> (Smith 1949)	ML	7.00	Very pale violet standards; deep, plush purple falls.
<b>HELEN MCGREGOR</b> (Graves 1946)	DM1949 EM	7.00	Superb light blue, blooms best in partial shade.
<b>HELLO DARKNESS</b> (Schreiner 1992)	DM1999 27" EM	8.00	Obsidian purple-black, ruffled and velvety. Black beards.
<b>HERE COMES THE SUN</b> (Schreiner 2007)	HM2010 36" ML	10.00	Bright yellow flowers with excellent substance, gently ruffled.
<b>HIGH CHAPARRAL</b> (Schreiner 2006)	AM2010 36" ML	8.00	Standards medium yellow, falls buff tan and rose.
<b>HIGH CLASS</b> (Black 2003)	HM2006 38" ML	8.00	Standards pale blue, crystalline rim; style arms pale blue; falls dark velvety purple, beards light violet gold in throat. Strong sweet fragrance.
<b>HIPPO'Z TUTU</b> (Kasperek 1996)	HM1998 32" EM	7.00	Laced and ruffled plicata. Rich wine standards, wide white falls edged with 1/2" of rich wine; orange beards.
<b>HOLLYWOOD NIGHTS</b> (Duncan 2001)	JCW2008 32" M	8.00	Heavily ruffled and laced deep purple black. Small white spray pattern near violet beard.
<b>HOLY COW</b> (Burseen 1997)	33" EM	8.00	Standards and styles dark cherry wine; falls black burgundy; beards bright carrot red; heavily ruffled;

musky fragrance.

<b>HONKY TONK BLUES</b> (Schreiner 1988)	DM1995	37" M	8.00	Medium blue washed with darker blue-violet.
<b>HONORABLE</b> (Lemon 1840)		14" M	7.00	Tiny flowers, yellow standards, falls same veined maroon-red.
<b>HOT</b> (Byers 1991)		13" E-L	6.00	Bright yellow gold standards, falls rich red brown edged bright yellow gold. Rebloomer.
<b>HUNTER PINK</b> (Stanek 2000)	HM2004	36" M	8.00	Bright rose standards, baby pink falls. Vermillion beards, fragrant.
<b>HYSTERIA</b> (Blyth 2008)		33" ML	8.00	Standards pure white; Falls white, overall veining and faint wash of lavender violet deepening at gold hafts; beards vivid tangerine; slight sweet fragrance.
<b>I'M ALL SHOOK UP</b> (Black 2013)	HM2015	30" M-L	15.00	Standards dark plum base with 1/2" tan gold band; falls mid plum.
<b>ICE ETCHING</b> (Black 1998)		14" M	6.00	Standards white, dark violet blue midrib, falls medium violet, blue wash.
<b>ICE PLANET</b> (Tasco 2013)		36" M	8.00	Standards spectrum violet, darker at edges, falls wide pale wistaria blue that lighten to white, bluish center blot. White beards.
<b>IMMORTALITY</b> (Zurbrigg 1982)	AM1990	30" M	8.00	Ruffled pure white, white beard, slight sweet fragrance. Rebloomer.
<b>IMPERSONATOR</b> (Babson 1975)		38" M	8.00	Flat iris. No standards, 6 blue-violet falls with white beards.
<b>INCOGNITO TOO</b> (Mohr 1991)		36" ML	8.00	Standards normally missing, flowers open flat with falls medium blue violet; beards cream white; lightly ruffled.
<b>INDIAN CHIEF</b> (Ayres 1929)	EM		7.00	Strong reddish overtones on yellow standards; deep red falls.
<b>INTOXICATING</b> (Black 2009)	AM2015	25" ML	8.00	Standards butter cream, wide, raspberry plicata band; Falls butter yellow 1/2" plicata band, bright red-orange beard. Ruffled, pronounced sweet fragrance.
<b>IT'S NOT OVER</b> (Black 2014)		13" E-M	8.00	Standards light blue, darker base; style light blue, darker ridge; Falls light blue, blended plum spot and light blue dart at end of beard; beards dark blue; slight musky fragrance. Rebloomer.
<b>JAPANESE</b> (Farr 1922)		30" M	8.00	Lavender white standards flecked violet; violet falls tinted lavender; beards orange-brown; all six petals held horizontally giving a flat effect.
<b>JASPER AGATE</b> (Williams 1943)	HM1944	M	7.00	Introduced by Macey's grandmother. Brilliant low growing red-copper.

**JELICLE CAT** (Black 2009) HM2011 14" M-L 6.00  
White standards with violet-blue plicata bands; round white falls with violet-blue plicata bands and violet beards.

**JESSE'S SONG** (Williamson 1983) DM1990 36" M 7.00  
Standards white center, sanded into a solid methyl violet band. Falls white plicata edge of methyl violet, sanded into a clean white ground. Lemon beard tipped blue-white.

**JOSEPH'S COAT KATKAMIER** (Katkamier 1930) 21" M 7.00  
Standards irregular mix of yellow and white; yellow, white, red and purple in the falls.

**JUDY MOGIL** (McWhirter 1997) HM2000 32" M 8.00  
A flat tall bearded iris appearance of a Japanese iris. Irregular white and lavender-blue colored petals; purple based foliage.

**JUNALUSKA** (Kirkland 1934) 7.00  
A splendid regal red.

**JUNE KRAUSSE** (Schreiner 2009) HM2011 36" L 8.00  
Standards, falls and style arms pink; beards shrimp; laced, ruffled.

**JUNGLE PRINCE** (Silvers 2016) 22" M 10.00  
Standards light yellow, dark red-purple veining on inner surfaces; style arms light yellow; Falls white, dark red-purple veining coalescing into solid red-purple spot at tip; beards orange-yellow, white at very end; slight musky fragrance.

**JUNGLE SHADOWS** (Sass-Graham 1960) KM1967 26" M 7.00  
Blended brown-gray and purple, brown beard. A very unusual coloration.

**KALEIDOSCOPE** (Katkamier 1929) 7.00  
Yellow with red markings, no two flowers are the same.

**LA BALLET** (Sutton 2006) 12" EM 6.00  
Solferino purple self (deep pink with a purplish tinge), pink white beards, sweet fragrance. Rebloomer.

**LACED COTTON** (Schreiner 1980) AM1984 36" ML 8.00  
Heavily ruffled, pure cotton-white. A prolific bloomer.

**LADY FRIEND** (Ghio 1981) AM1985 36" VE 8.00  
Accents of pink, peach, yellow and ruby-red. Brilliant orange beard beneath the upright standards with colorful, multi-shaded falls.

**LEAPS AND BOUNDS** (Niswonger 2001) 30" M 8.00  
White standards with a hint of blue, pink-fuchsia falls, dark tangerine beard.

**LEOPARD PRINT** (Johnson 2006) AM2011 12" M 6.00  
Lime-olive standards and margins on violet falls, all splashed purple.

**LINE DRIVE** (Sutton 2007) HM2010 20" EM 7.00  
Standards white ground, washed blue; falls white ground with violet blue veins. Rebloomer

**LITTLE SIGHS** (Sutton 2008) 11" EM 6.00  
White standards washed chartreuse green; falls white with large bright chartreuse thumbprint; bright capri blue beards. Rebloomer.



**LITTLE SWEETIE** (Johnson 2012) 10" M 8.00  
Pastel plicata, orange beard.

**LORELEY** (Goos & Koenemann 1909) M 8.00  
Standards canary yellow flecked raisin purple; falls velvety purple veined lavender and edged yellow.

**LOS COYOTES** (Burseen 1993) HM1997 35" EM 8.00  
Standards golden yellow, falls yellow ground with bright red streaks and veins, yellow edge. Spicy fragrance.

**MAGICAL GLOW** (Schreiner 2003) 40" M 10.00  
Bright orange with brilliant tangerine beards.

**MARIA TORMENA** (Ensminger 1987) AM1993 31" ML 8.00  
Pink with irregular violet splashes, red beard. Rebloomer and fragrant.

**MARIPOSA AUTUMN** (Tasco 1999) AM2003 33" M 8.00  
Ruffled white and rosy-violet plicata. Rosy-violet standards, white centers, white falls edges stitched rosy-violet. Rebloomer.

**MARTY RICHARDS** (Richards 2005) HM2007 34" EML 7.00  
Violet with slight reddish cast, falls slightly darker. Rebloomer.

**MARY GEDDES** (Stahlman-Washington 1931) DM1936 38" M 7.00  
The standards are salmon, falls the same shade overlaid with red. Eight to ten flowers of great substance on tall, widely branched stalks.

**MEXICAN HOLIDAY** (Schreiner 2004) HM2006 36" E 8.00  
Brassy gold standards, rich maroon falls with 1/4" band of bronze-gold.

**MICRO BURST** (Tasco 2009) HM2012 25" M 7.00  
Dark violet purple standards veined lighter with thin gold rim; falls sanded and veined lighter with white area near beard; tangerine beards tipped white.

**MIDNIGHT ICE** (Sutton 2007) 25" EM 7.00  
Near union jack blue self, beards snow white; ruffled, slight sweet fragrance. Rebloomer.

**MILES AHEAD** (Schreiner 2010) HM2014 37" EM 8.00  
Standards white, falls azure blue with large ivory white center spot.

**MINNESOTA MIXED-UP KID** 25" EM 8.00  
Diploid, creamy white self with yellow at the hafts and tiny purple streaks and dots on the falls and standards. True name/origin unknown.

**MOLTEN FLAME** (Tasco 2013) HM2016 34" ML 12.00  
Standards spanish orange, lighter centers, falls tangerine orange lighter in centers; dark intense red orange beards, heavily ruffled.

**MONEY IN YOUR POCKET** (Black 2007) JCW2015 44" ML 8.00  
Standards medium blue; falls blue white; ruffled, slight spicy fragrance.

**MULBERRY ECHO** (Maryott 1997) 36" M 8.00  
Heavily ruffled deep mulberry. Rebloomer.

<b>MYSTIQUE</b> (Ghio 1975)	DM80	36" E-L	7.00
Standards light blue, deep blue-purple midrib; falls deep blue purple, blue beard.			
<b>NASHBOROUGH</b> (Wills 1957)	HM1957	36" EM	7.00
Indian yellow and ruby red, beard orange-gold.			
<b>NATCHEZ TRACE</b> (Wills 1964)		35" M-L	7.00
Standards red, falls brown-red, light edge.			
<b>NEW MOON</b> (Sexton 1968)	DM1973	36" M	8.00
Lemon yellow self with lemon beard.			
<b>NIGHT RULER</b> (Schreiner 1990)		39" M	7.00
Dark purple standards, falls black. Black beard, ruffled.			
<b>NOTTA LEMON</b> (Burseen 2010)	AM2014	37" EML	12.00
Standards lemon yellow-gold, falls white, lemon-gold edge. Large, very ruffled with pronounced spicy fragrance.			
<b>OCTOBER SPLENDOR</b> (Sides 1997)		27" M	8.00
Ruffled and lightly laced pink. Rebloomer.			
<b>OH SO SWEET</b> (Black 2014)	HM2016	12" M-L	8.00
Pale blue falls, pink standards.			
<b>OKAPI POPPY</b> (Kasperek 2004)	AM2008	37" M	8.00
Ruffled, lightly laced flowers; standards medium-lavender pink with peach-pink style arms; falls lavender-pink; beards lavender-orange.			
<b>ONE STEP BEYOND</b> (Tasco 2014)	HM2016	34" M	12.00
Standards red; Falls velvety jet black. Golden orange beards. Lightly ruffled, medium purple based foliage, slight spicy fragrance.			
<b>OPEN YOUR EYES</b> (Black 2010)	CDM2016	15" ML	8.00
Standards and style arms white; Falls white, large irregularly blended inky dark-blue spot, white darts in throat; beards white; pronounced sweet fragrance.			
<b>ORANGE BLOSSOM SPECIAL</b> (Schreiner 1999)	HM2002	36" L	8.00
Bright cadmium orange, tangerine beards. Ruffled with sweet fragrance.			
<b>ORANGE KING</b> (Schreiner 2008)	HM2010	40" M	8.00
Cadmium orange self, tangerine beards.			
<b>PALTEC</b> (Denis 1928)		12" E	7.00
Light lavender bloom with gold and white crest area, grows with bearded iris. Cross of <i>I. tectorum</i> and the bearded iris <b>EDINA</b> .			
<b>PAUL BLACK</b> (Johnson 2003)	DM2010	42" ML	8.00
Medium dark purple blue; beards dark orange, pronounced spicy fragrance.			
<b>PINK ATTRACTION</b> (Hall 1988)		30" EM	8.00
Ruffled light pink, light violet streak below orange beard. Rebloomer.			
<b>PINKY RING</b> (Black 2009)	HM2012	13" ML	6.00
Light rose standards, wide rose plicata band on white falls. Orange beards. Pronounced musky			

fragrance.

<b>PLAINSONG</b> (Smith 2007)	HM2009	13" EM	6.00
Cantelope orange self with darker center on falls; beards blue. Fragrant.			
<b>PLUM WINE</b> (Weiler 1986)		11" EL	6.00
Plum red to violet, dark red-violet beard. Slight sweet fragrance. Rebloomer.			
<b>POIGNANT</b> (Sutton 2012)		12" E-M	6.00
Pink standards, rose pink falls with white spot below lavender blue beards.			
<b>POKEMON</b> (Sutton 2003)	AM2008	5" EML	6.00
Standards white with yellow edge, lavender dots; falls white veined burgundy plicata. Rebloomer.			
<b>POMPOM TWO</b> (Rudolph 1987)		30" L	8.00
No standards, white and cream styles. Falls ruffled white, banded pale cream, white beard, pronounced spicy fragrance.			
<b>PRAGUE</b> (Johnson 2005)	AM2009	36" M	10.00
Standards apricot peach, falls velvety burgundy black.			
<b>PRAIRIE SUNSET</b> (Sass 1939)	DM1943	36" M	7.00
Light peach, apricot, buff and gold.			
<b>PRESIDENT PILKINGTON</b> (Cayeux 1931)		40" ML	7.00
A pale crystalline buff heavily infused lavender.			
<b>PRINCESS BEATRICE</b> (Barr 1898)		42" M	7.00
Diploid. Satiny light lavender, clear orange beards; fragrant.			
<b>PURE AS GOLD</b> (Maryott 1993)		36" L	8.00
Deep ruffled smooth gold with purple leaf base. Rebloomer.			
<b>PURPLE ZINGER</b> (Aitken 2012)	HM2015	12" E	6.00
Deep, royal purple with a near black spot on the falls. White beards.			
<b>PUSSYCAT PINK</b> (Black 2006)	AM2011	12" ML	6.00
Hot pink self.			
<b>QUAKER LADY</b> (Farr 1909)		30" M	7.00
Diploid. Lavender standards with yellow shadings, ageratum blue falls overlaid buff; lemony at the hafts, orange beard.			
<b>QUANTUM LEAP</b> (Sutton 2005)	HM2007	36" ML-VL	8.00
Standards plum, falls white edged, veined and dotted plum; beard ochre, plum and white horn; ruffled; slight spicy fragrance. Rebloomer.			
<b>QUEEN OF MAY</b> (Salter 1859)		25" M	7.00
Soft rose to light purple, shaded to white at the haft.			
<b>QUEEN OF THE MIST</b> (Schreiner 2011)		35" L	8.00
Pale lavender standards, falls white with pale lavender centers.			
<b>RAMESES</b> (Sass 1929)	DM1932	ML	7.00
A blend of soft yellow and tourmaline-pink, the flower being suffused with a yellow glow at the center.			

<b>RASPBERRY WINE</b> (Schreiner 2001)	HM2005	37" M	8.00
Ruffled, claret self.			
<b>RECURRING DREAM</b> (Hager 1993)		32" M	7.00
Medium purple with blue-white beards, very wide falls. Rebloomer.			
<b>RECURRING GLORY</b> (Sutton 2002)		36" ML	7.00
Pansy violet self; ruffled, rebloomer.			
<b>RED HOT CHILI</b> (Sutton 2008)	HJS2017	18" EM	8.00
Yellow ground, ruby red and rust plicata. Rebloomer.			
<b>REDDY FREDDIE</b> (Sutton 2012)		12" E-M	6.00
Fuschia purple standards, magnolia purple falls. Large cardinal red thumbprint on falls turns near black around mustard colored beards.			
<b>REDNECK GIRL</b> (Schreiner 2014)	HM2016	36" ML	12.00
Velvety crimson falls, claret standards, blue beards.			
<b>REPLICATOR</b> (Tasco 2006)	HM2009	11" M	6.00
Lightly ruffled magenta violet, large dark purple black spot on falls, light violet beard. Rebloomer.			
<b>RETURNING ROSE</b> (Maryott 1998)		37" M	8.00
Rose plicata markings on cream. Rebloomer.			
<b>RHYTHM</b> (Ballard 1954)		24" M	7.00
Red-violet self.			
<b>RODEO GIRL</b> (Schreiner 2005)	HM2007	40" M	10.00
Standards red; falls bright yellow, red plicata edge, gold beard.			
<b>ROSALIE FIGGE</b> (McNew 1993)		39" M	8.00
Two-toned violet, white ray pattern extending from beard; rebloomer.			
<b>ROSY WINGS</b> (Gage 1936)	DM1939	38" M	7.00
Rosy red with copper tones producing a pleasing iridescence.			
<b>ROYAL BIRTH</b> (Royal 2003)	HM2007	38" M	8.00
Ruffled white, falls with gold haft; beards white.			
<b>SAN FRANCISCO</b> (Mohr-Mitchell 1927)	DM1927	36" EM	7.00
Large white flower with a feather-stitch edging of lavender-blue.			
<b>SAVANNAH SUNSET</b> (Schreiner 2000)	HM2002	38" EML	8.00
Glowing cadmium orange.			
<b>SCREAM</b> (Johnson 2006)		12" M	6.00
Brilliant golden yellow.			
<b>SHAH JEHAN</b> (Neel 1932)	AM1933(B)	35" M-VL	7.00
Pale ochre to buff standards and wine-red falls.			
<b>SHEPHERD'S DELIGHT</b> (Fothergill 1970)	DM1972(B)	38" M-L	7.00
Clear pink self merging into yellow at base of falls.			

<b>SILKEN TRIM</b> (Schreiners 2012)	HM2015	36" L	8.00
Standards wine, falls violet rimmed wine.			
<b>SILVERADO</b> (Schreiner 1987)	DM1994	38" M	7.00
Ruffled butterfly blue self.			
<b>SIX PACK</b> (Slade 1984)		35" M	10.00
Medium blue self. Usually all six petals are falls and normally the flower is flat in the Japanese style. Pronounced sweet fragrance.			
<b>SKIP A BEAT</b> (Burseen 2013)		35" EM	12.00
Standards tan; falls cream, gold tan washed edges. Very ruffled, pronounced sweet fragrance.			
<b>SLEW O'GOLD</b> (Schreiner 2013)	HM2015	37" M	10.00
Yellow self with orange beard.			
<b>SOCIETY LADY</b> (Miller 2004)		36" M	8.00
Standards deep magenta, falls deep magenta with red violet wash.			
<b>SONATA IN BLUE</b> (Smith 1994)		31" M	8.00
Ruffled medium blue. Rebloomer.			
<b>SOUTHERN EXPOSURE</b> (Tasco 2010)		18" M	6.00
Standards dresden yellow, falls same with large white spot.			
<b>SOUTHLAND</b> (Sass 1934)	HM1936	M	7.00
Dark yellow. Rebloomer.			
<b>SPIRIT OF MEMPHIS</b> (Zurbrigg 1977)	HM1980	35" M	8.00
Golden yellow with abundant ruffling. Rebloomer.			
<b>SQUID SQUIRT</b> (Kasperek 2003)	HM2005	35" M	8.00
Lightly ruffled pink, heavily splashed with red-purple. Large red beards.			
<b>STAIRWAY TO HEAVEN</b> (Lauer 1993)	DM2000	40" EM	8.00
Standards creamy off-white; falls medium blue undertoned lavender; beards white; slight fragrance.			
<b>STANDING PROUD</b> (Schreiner 2009)		37" L	8.00
Ruffled, pansy purple self.			
<b>STARWOMAN</b> (Smith 1998)	DM2008	25" M	8.00
Standards blackish purple, falls pearl with dark violet rim and stitching. Blue violet beards.			
<b>STEPPING OUT</b> (Schreiner 1964)	DM1968	38" ML	8.00
Large white areas sharply patterned edges of blue-black-violet.			
<b>STOLE THE SHOW</b> (Johnson 2013)	HM2017	33" M	10.00
Standards bright mid-yellow, falls dark mahogany with white starbursts.			
<b>STOP AND STARE</b> (Johnson 2014)	HM2016	13" E	8.00
Standards white, lemon tints, slight gold halo that fades with age; style arms white; Falls large black spot with wide white band, small white dart below beard; beards yellow-orange, tipped white.			
<b>STORM RIDER</b> (Tasco 2013)	HM2016	36" M	8.00
Standards dark plum purple; falls velvety dark burgundy black; dark brown beards, darker tip; lightly ruffled.			

<b>STUART LITTLE</b> (Sutton 2012)	10" VE-EM	6.00	Amber yellow self with small white spot below cadmium orange beards. Rebloomer with nice sweet fragrance.
<b>SUKY</b> (Mahan 1991)	37" E-M	8.00	Standards white flushed with light lavender, falls are medium to deeper violet with prominent white zonal pattern. White beards and prominent spicy fragrance. Rebloomer.
<b>SUMMER OLYMPICS</b> (Smith 1980)	31" E	8.00	Ruffled lime yellow, slight sweet fragrance. Rebloomer.
<b>SUMMER RAIN</b> (Sutton 2005)	32" ML	8.00	Medium blue self, lighter around beards; beards white tipped pale blue; ruffled. Rebloomer.
<b>SUMMER SUNBURST</b> (Aitken 2010)	34" EM	10.00	Intense yellow self, beards same. Red based foliage. Rebloomer
<b>SUNRISE ELEGY</b> (Schreiner 2012)	39" M	8.00	Bright buttercup yellow standards, falls creamy white with yellow beard.
<b>SUPREME SULTAN</b> (Schreiner 1988)	AM1992 40" ML	8.00	Tan-gold standards, deep red falls, yellow beard. Tall, ruffled.
<b>SWERTII</b>	30" M	7.00	Blue on white plicata, collected in 1612. Fragrant.
<b>TEMPORAL ANOMALY</b> (Tasco 2007)	JCW2015 28" M	8.00	Honey butterscotch standards, darker toward edge, lightly veined; wide overlapping cold white falls heavily dotted and peppered grape burgundy.
<b>THORNBIRD</b> (Byers 1989)	DM1997 35" M	8.00	Pale ecru standards, greenish tan falls. Violet beard tipped mustard, violet horns or spoons. Lightly ruffled, slight sweet fragrance.
<b>THUMP</b> (Johnson 2013)	14" L	8.00	Standards and style arms mid blue-violet; Falls same, darker fall spot around beard; beards orange in throat, blue-violet end; sweet fragrance.
<b>TINKERBELL</b> (Douglas 1954)	CA1960 13" M	6.00	Standards medium blue; falls dark blue; white beard.
<b>TISHOMINGO</b> (Caldwell 1942)	AM1944 M-L	7.00	Large wisteria blue.
<b>TOUR DE FRANCE</b> (Keppel 2004)	JCW2011 35" M	8.00	Standards white; falls rich velvety gold.
<b>TRIPOD</b> (Sutton 2006)	20" EM	8.00	Yellow ground, reddist maroon plicata. Rebloomer.
<b>TROPICAL BUTTERFLY</b> (Carstensen 1963)	34" M	7.00	Large flower of yellow with red stripes on standards and falls.
<b>TWO THUMBS UP</b> (Sutton 2008)	10" VE-M	6.00	

Orange white dwarf with beetroot purple thumbprint on falls; blue beards.

<b>UNBELIEVABLE LOVE</b> (Grise 1998)	36" ML	8.00	Blue-violet with darker blend of blue-violet on falls. Nicely fragrant. Rebloomer.
<b>UNCHARTED SEAS</b> (Schreiner 2011)	38" ML	8.00	Blue-violet self with white tipped beards. Huge flowers.
<b>UNDER MY THUMB</b> (Sutton 2005)	10" EM	6.00	Standards plum burgundy; falls maroon with black thumbprint. Rebloomer.
<b>VANITY</b> (Hager 1975)	DM1982 35" EM	8.00	A delicate pink with a hint of cream in the center of the falls. Sweet fragrance. One of the best pinks.
<b>VANITY GIRL</b> (Johnson 2016)	35" M-L	15.00	Ruffled standards medium pink; White falls pale pink on edges. White beards are brushed coral and then end in palest lavender.
<b>VICTORIA FALLS</b> (Schreiner 1977)	DM1984 40" E-L	7.00	Light blue, ruffled petals. White beard in white. Rebloomer.
<b>VIOLET TURNER</b> (Lauer 1999)	HM2002 30" EM	8.00	Standards and style arms violet; Falls velvety dark violet, light violet rim; beards mustard; ruffled; pronounced sweet fragrance. Rebloomer.
<b>VOLTAGE</b> (Messick 1993)	36" M	8.00	Ruffled orange self; beards red orange; slight fragrance.
<b>WABASH</b> (Williamson 1936)	DM1940 36" M	8.00	A beautiful amoena with snowy white standards and ultramarine falls with brighter margins.
<b>WAVERLY</b> (Williams 1935)	HM1937 ML	8.00	Light blue self.
<b>WHOLE CLOTH</b> (Cook 1958)	DM1962 36" M	7.00	Standards clean white; falls light violet.
<b>WINGS AT DAWN</b> (Schreiner 2014)	HM2016 46" M	10.00	Pale apricot standards, falls with wing-like flounces, bright orange beards on white ground, washed purple toward the petal edges.
<b>WINTER HORIZON</b> (Niswonger 2006)	33" M	8.00	Standards and style arms blue; falls white; beards white.
<b>WINTER OLYMPICS</b> (Brown 1963)	DM67 37" E-M	7.00	White self, white beards.
<b>WINTER'S SMILE</b> (Black 2016)	35" E-L	15.00	White flowers with big looping ruffles. Standards with a greenish blush. Falls gold over hafts. White beards touched pale tan.
<b>WISE WOMAN</b> (Smith 2010)	HM2013 31" E	10.00	Dark burgundy with brass edge, pronounced sweet fragrance.
<b>WITCH OF ENDOR</b> (Miller 1978)	38" EM	8.00	Ruffled black crimson, gold beards. Rebloomer

**WORLD PREMIER** (Schreiner 1998) JCW2004 37" EML 8.00  
White standards, blue-purple falls with wire-thin band of white.

**YOSEMITE NIGHTS** (Sutton 2004) HM2008 32" E-M-L 8.00  
Ruffled standards are deep plum overlaid of black; black falls edged with hint of plum. Beards black and violet with gold in throat.

**ZAP** (Black 2003) AM2009 9" M 6.00  
Dark claret and black-cherry bitone; bright yellow-gold beard; slight sweet fragrance.

**ZOOBOOMAFOO** (Black 2007) CDM2015 14" ML 6.00  
Bright yellow standards and band on falls veined and washed burgundy; orange beards.



## Growing Tips

In general, your growing area should be kept clear of debris, including dead foliage, so that insects won't have a place to hide and winter over. The seed pods should also be removed as soon as possible to keep bee-pollinated seeds from dropping into your beds. Otherwise, you may suddenly find a lot of iris in your beds that you didn't order and which may not be as attractive as the plants you paid for. If you want to see what the new crosses look like, remove the seed pods and plant the seed in pots.

### Beardless iris: Species and Louisiana

Beardless iris: species, and Louisiana, must not be allowed to dry out during transplant. It is beneficial to soak them in water overnight before planting. Once planted, they should be kept moist. After they are established they will be very hardy.

Most beardless iris want a sunny location and a slightly acidic soil for best performance and bloom. The beds should be prepared with plenty of humus and the plants mulched well. Plant Louisiana iris 2" deep. They will grow in standing water or in moist garden soil.

Fertilize with a balanced fertilizer, 15-15-15 for example, in the early spring and again after bloom. Remove the bloom stalks after flowering and cut the foliage down to just a few inches in early winter. Transplanting should be done in the early fall to avoid the hot summer days.

### Other beardless iris

*I. virginica*, *I. versicolor*, *I. pseudacorus* and *I. laevigata* should be treated similarly to Louisiana iris. *I. laevigata* variegata, however, wants to be in water and should be grown in a pond or in a pot with no holes.

#### *I. tectorum*

The "Japanese Roof Iris" is very low maintenance and, in fact, resents too much care. It is nearly as drought tolerant as tall bearded iris and can flourish with very little sunshine (although not full shade). Regular garden soil covering the rhizome ½", a light application of a balanced fertilizer, 10-10-10, in the spring and water only during very dry spells are ideal conditions.

### Bearded iris

July and August are the best months to plant the bearded iris although they can be planted almost any time of the year except winter. They prefer sunny, well-drained locations and should be watered until the first new center leaf appears. Take care not to overwater. Plant the rhizomes just below the surface of the soil so that after the first rain the top is exposed. A good low-nitrogen fertilizer such as 6-12-12 or 6-10-10 can be used at planting and again early in the spring. Do not overwater or mulch.

### United States Hardiness Zone Map

The USDA periodically publishes a hardiness zone map with zones ranging from 3 (coldest) to 10 (warmest). We are zone 6/7 and can grow all the iris listed in this catalog outside in the ground. However, some types of iris will not winter over, grow well or bloom in certain zones.

The following is our attempt to suggest which iris do well in which zones. However, small local microclimates, seasonal weather severities and general care can cause variances.

Zone 3 - *I. versicolor*, most species crosses.

Zone 4 - *I. versicolor*, most species crosses, Louisianas if planted early enough to become established before severe freezes.

Zone 5, 6, 7 - EVERYTHING IN OUR CATALOG.

Zone 8 - Louisianas do great, bearded if not too humid, *I. virginica* do well.

Zone 9, 10 - Not cold enough for *I. versicolor* or most species crosses. Louisiana iris are the best choice. Usually too hot and humid for Bearded.

We are happy to answer your questions regarding which species of iris we believe will do best in your climate. However, we also suggest you contact your local iris society (go to [www.irises.org](http://www.irises.org) to determine a contact for your region). You should also consult nearby botanical gardens and garden centers.

## **Plant Societies and Associations**

Your enjoyment of irises will be greatly enhanced by membership in the various Societies. As a member you receive periodic bulletins full of interesting information and beautiful pictures. For membership contact:

The American Iris Society, [www.irises.org](http://www.irises.org).

The Historic Iris Preservation Society, [www.historiciris.org](http://www.historiciris.org).

The Society for Louisiana Irises, [www.louisianas.org](http://www.louisianas.org).

The Species Iris Group of North America, [www.signa.org](http://www.signa.org).

## **History**

In 1931 a group of iris growers and hybridizers formed the Nashville Iris Association to foster the planting and cultivation of irises, with the goal of having Nashville become known as "The Iris City." It seems they succeeded, for by 1948 four Dykes medals, the top honor given to an iris, were won by Nashvillians. Those winners were DAUNTLESS (Connell in 1929), COPPER LUSTRE (Kirkland in 1934), MARY GEDDES (Stahlman-Washington in 1936) and CHIVALRY (Wills in 1945). Additionally, the American Iris Society held three of its annual conventions in Nashville; 1935, 1941 and 1948.

Macey's grandfather, Thomas A. Williams, was among the best known of those irisarians. In the 1930s and '40s he had a long-running local and CBS radio show on gardening and was known as the "Old Dirt Dobber." Mr. Williams wrote a book on gardening and published a catalog of iris under the name Iris City Garden. He was an avid hybridizer of tall bearded iris until his death in 1949. Our logo is the frame that held Mr. Williams' mailbox. We are pleased and honored to be able to carry on his garden name.

Due largely to the efforts of the Nashville Iris Association, the Tennessee Legislature named the iris the state flower in 1933. Although no color or variety was specified, a purple tall bearded is usually depicted.

