Irish Wonder Rose

Rosa 'Irish Wonder'



Irish Wonder Rose flowers
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Height: 30 inches

Spread: 30 inches

Sunlight:

Hardiness Zone: 4

Other Names: Evelyn Fison Rose

Group/Class: Floribunda Rose

Description:

This lovely floribunda rose produces neatly formed, rounded, bright double blooms of crimson around sparse glossy dark green leaves; striking as a border or accent planting; requires good cultural practices to avoid disease and pests

Ornamental Features

Irish Wonder Rose features showy lightly-scented crimson flowers at the ends of the branches from late spring to early fall. The flowers are excellent for cutting. It has dark green deciduous foliage. The glossy oval compound leaves do not develop any appreciable fall color.

Landscape Attributes

Irish Wonder Rose is a multi-stemmed deciduous shrub with a mounded form. Its average texture blends into the landscape, but can be balanced by one or two finer or coarser trees or shrubs for an effective composition.

This is a high maintenance shrub that will require regular care and upkeep, and is best pruned in late winter once the threat of extreme cold has passed. It is a good choice for attracting bees to your yard. Gardeners should be aware of the following characteristic(s) that may warrant special consideration;

- Insects
- Disease
- Spiny

Irish Wonder Rose is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Mass Planting
- Hedges/Screening
- General Garden Use

Planting & Growing

Irish Wonder Rose will grow to be about 30 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 30 inches. It tends to fill out right to the ground and therefore doesn't necessarily require facer plants in front. It grows at a fast rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 30 years.

This shrub should only be grown in full sunlight. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. It may require supplemental watering during periods of drought or extended heat. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is highly tolerant of urban pollution and will even thrive in inner city environments. This particular variety is an interspecific hybrid.