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ROSE VARIETIES OF NOTE

This year's Rose Romance features 16,000 roses across 70 varieties, including unusual species that diverge from the conventional appearance of a rose.



The ***Rosa x damascena***, more widely known as the Damask rose, is specially cultivated for its oil, which is used in perfumes, skincare products, and aromatherapy. Known for its rich fragrance, this rose typically blooms once a year.



The ***Rosa* 'Black Baccara'**, often linked with Isparta, is renowned for its almost black, red colour. This hybrid tea rose features large, velvety blooms, whose densely packed petals reveal a burgundy hue as they mature.



***Rosa* 'Sunshine Babylon Eyes'** are single-flowered roses with five petals each in shades of red, yellow, pink, or orange. Each bloom



***Rosa* 'Lavender Flower Circus'** features tri-colour petals of lavender, pink and white colours with ruffled edges.

features an eye-catching centre in a contrasting colour.



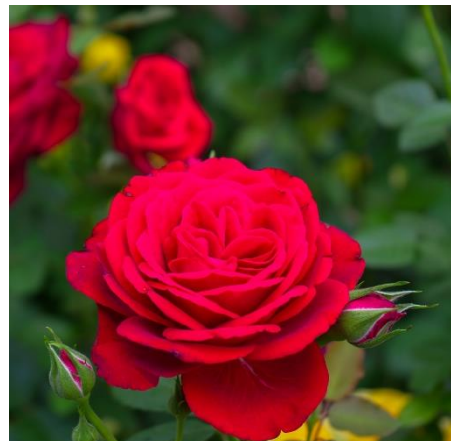
The **Rosa 'Leonardo Da Vinci'**, named after the artist, boasts of over 90 petals in a striking shade of deep pink.



The **Rosa 'Pierre De Ronsard'**, also known as Rosa Eden Climber, is a light pink and white climbing rose, opening from light green buds and developing into creamy white then a delicate light pink colour.



The **Rosa 'Double Delight'** features striking two-toned blooms, starting as creamy white with vibrant red edges that deepen with sun exposure. This hybrid tea rose is also celebrated for its strong, spicy fragrance.



The **Rosa 'Royal Select'** produces large, elegantly shaped blooms in a deep, velvety red, each reaching about four to five inches in diameter. This hybrid tea rose is known for its

delightful fragrance and consistent blooming throughout the season.



The **Rosa 'El Paso'** is distinguished by its large, ruffled blooms in vibrant shades of coral-orange and pink. Each flower often spans about two inches in diameter, and emits a mild, sweet fragrance.



The **Rosa 'Royal Estelle'** features pink blooms that are large and full, typically reaching about four to five inches in diameter. This hybrid tea rose is known for its robust, fruity fragrance and lush, layered petals,

SOCIAL MEDIA CONTEST

Snap & Win Return Air Tickets to Istanbul!



Visitors can stand a chance to win a pair of tickets to Istanbul through a social media contest courtesy of Turkish Airlines, the official airline partner of Rose Romance. To participate, they can post their favourite photos of themselves at Rose Romance on Instagram, tag @gardensbythebay, and share what they loved most about the floral display in the caption.

How to Participate:

1. Visit Rose Romance **between 2 Jun 2024 and 30 Jun 2024** and post your best shot of the display together with your favourite rose on your Instagram.
2. In your caption, tell us what you enjoyed most about the Rose Romance floral display.
3. Tag @gardensbythebay and include the hashtags #GardensbytheBay #RoseRomanceGBB #TurkishAirlines in your post.
4. Please set your Instagram account to public for your entry to be seen.

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