

# Kerry's Favorite Plants



**ANGELFACE®** Wedgwood Blue *Angelonia*  
Violet flowers. Blooms all season loves the heat.  
Full sun. Height: 18 - 24"; Medium.



**GOLDILOCKS ROCKS®** *Bidens*  
Vigorous, heat and drought tolerant; bright gold flowers spring to fall.  
Full sun. Height: 12 - 14"; Short.



**SENORITA ROSALITA®** *Cleome*  
Adds dramatic height to beds. Heat and drought tolerant. Sterile and thornless.  
Sun. Height: 24 - 48"; Medium.



**SUPERBELLS®** Frostfire *Calibrachoa*  
Abundant small petunia-like flowers all season long on cascading foliage.  
Full sun. Height: 6 - 10"; Short.



**LUSCIOUS®** Citrus Blend™ *Lantana*  
Heat and drought tolerant, with a sweet fragrance that attracts birds/butterflies.  
Sun. Height: 24 - 30"; Medium.



**LUCIA®** Dark Blue *Lobelia* Heat tolerant with flowers. Blooms reliably in warm weather. Excellent in containers.  
Part sun - sun. Height: 4 - 8"; Short.



**SNOW PRINCESS®** *Lobularia*  
Displays mounds of fragrant, white blooms from spring through frost.  
Sun - part sun. Height: 4 - 6"; Short.



**GRACEFUL GRASSES®** 'Fireworks' *Pennisetum*  
Variegated red fountain grass is especially dramatic in mass plantings or containers.  
Sun. Height: 24 - 30"; Medium.



**SUPERTUNIA®** Vista Bubblegum™ *Petunia*  
Impressive, vigorous in the landscape, makes huge containers; no deadheading.  
Full sun. Height: 16 - 24"; Medium.



**SUPERBENA®** Violet Ice *Verbena*  
Large violet flowers throughout the season; excellent in combinations.  
Full sun. Height: 8 - 12"; Short.



**SUREFIRE™** Red *Begonia*  
Large flower clusters that provide all-season color, great for landscape.  
Sun - Shade. Height: 12 - 24"; Medium.



**COLORBLAZE®** Keystone Copper™ *Coleus*  
Stunning copper. Won't fade in the sun! Adaptable as a houseplant.  
Sun - shade. Height: 24 - 36"; Medium.



**DIAMOND FROST®** *Euphorbia*  
Heat and drought-tolerant plants; clouds of airy white flowers all season.  
Sun - part shade. Height: 12 - 18"; Medium.



**ILLUSION™** Emerald Lace *Ipomoea*  
Great foliage plant in combinations; heat tolerance and fast growing.  
Part Sun - Sun. Height: 6 - 10"; Short.



**SNOWSTORM®** Giant Snowflake® *Sutura*  
White flowers appear all season; strong trailing plants; low maintenance.  
Part Sun - Sun. Height: 4 - 8"; Short.



**CATALINA®** Gilded Grape *Torenia*  
Heat and shade tolerant plant, works great as a landscape groundcover.  
Sun - shade. Height: 8 - 16"; Medium.



**DECADENCE®** 'Cherries Jubilee' *Baptisia*  
Unique bi-color flowers appear in late spring. Dense blue-green foliage.  
Part sun - sun. Height: 30 - 36"; Medium.



'Leapfrog' *Heucherella*  
Chartreuse with burgundy center in spring, green with purple center in summer.  
Part shade - full shade Height: 10-12"; Short.



'Going Bananas' *Hemerocallis*  
One of the longest blooming daylilies available; blooms from early summer- fall.  
Part sun - sun. Height: 19 - 22"; Medium.



Dolce® 'Blackberry Ice' *Heuchera*  
Brilliant purple foliage in spring, silvery in summer. Vigorous in landscapes/containers.  
Part sun - sun. Height: 10-12"; Short.

## Annuals - Sun

## Annuals - Shade

## Perennials

## Shrubs



**SUMMERIFIC®** 'Summer Storm' *Hibiscus*  
Huge 8-10", pink flowers with a dark red eye and deep purple, maple-like foliage.  
Full sun. Height: 48 - 60"; Tall.



'Hudson Bay' *Hosta*  
Bright blue margin and apple green jetting with an all season long creamy white center.  
Part shade - shade. Height: 20 - 24"; Medium.



'Banana Cream' *Leucanthemum*  
Huge 4-5", lemon yellow flowers which brighten to creamy white. Compact habit.  
Sun. Height: 15 - 18"; Medium.



'Bottle Rocket' *Ligularia*  
Large, thick, serrated leaves with bright mustard yellow flower spikes in summer.  
Part shade. Height: 28 - 34"; Medium.



**Festival Star™** *Gypsophila*  
Clouds of small white flowers float on densely branched plants from May-October; great cut or dried flower  
Full Sun Height: 12-18"; Medium.



'Cat's Meow' *Nepeta*  
Long blooming and low maintenance with fragrant foliage. Heat and drought tolerant.  
Sun. Height: 17-20"; Medium.



'Shockwave' *Phlox*  
Shocking variegated foliage with a large clusters of lavender pink flowers.  
Sun. Height: 12 - 18"; Medium.



'Maestro' *Sedum*  
Large 5-7" flower heads bear bright red buds which open to mauve pink held on bright purple stems in late summer.  
Sun. Height: 24 - 30"; Medium.



**LO & BEHOLD® Blue Chip Butterfly Bush**  
**Shrub** - This butterfly bush stays under three feet tall without any pruning, and blooms continuously from midsummer to frost without deadheading. It is frost tolerant, non-invasive and very easy to grow.  
 Zones 5-9. Sun. Height: 24 - 30"; Short.



**Vanilla Spice® Clethra**  
**Shrub** - The attractive, glossy dark green leaves set off the pure white summer flowers. The flowers are wonderfully fragrant!  
 Zones 4-9. Sun - Part Sun. Height: 36 - 72"; Medium.



**Yuki Snowflake™ Deutzia**  
**Shrub** - You'll love this extra-heavy blooming variety. Elegant white spring flowers appear in spring, and its neat, mounded habit and attractive fall color make it a great landscape plant,  
 Zones 5-8. Part Sun - Sun. Height: 12 - 24"; Short.



**Bobo® Hydrangea paniculata**  
**Shrub** - Abundant white summer flowers. Blooms every year. Hardy. Soil pH does not affect bloom color. Dwarf.  
 Zones 3-8. Part Sun - Sun. Height: 30 - 36"; Medium.



**Tuff Stuff™ Hydrangea serrata**  
**Shrub** - Its attractive, reddish-pink lacecap flowers create a mass of color in early summer, and it continues to produce new flowers right up until frost. Flower buds are exceptionally hardy.  
 Zones 5-9. Part Sun - Sun. Height: 24 - 36"; Medium.



**BLOOMERANG® Purple Syringa**  
**Shrub** - Enjoy classic lilac fragrance for months instead of weeks! Bloomerang blooms in spring and then again throughout the summer. It does go through a rest period in the heat of the summer, then flowers then flowers again in fall on new wood.  
 Zones 3-7. Sun. Height: 48 - 60"; Medium.



**Kerry Ann Mendez** is dedicated to teaching the art of low-maintenance perennial gardening and landscaping. As a garden consultant, designer, author and lecturer, she focuses on time-saving gardening techniques, workhorse plants and sustainable practices. She has been in numerous magazines including Horticulture, Fine Gardening, Garden Gate and Better Homes and Gardens' Garden Ideas & Outdoor Living. Mendez was a featured guest on HGTV and hosted Capital News 9's In the Garden television segment as well as info segments for Channel 13. Kerry Ann was awarded the 2014 Gold Medal from the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, an honorary medal presented to outstanding horticulturalists, plant innovators, and those who have made significant contributions to the enjoyment and appreciation of plants and the environment. As a presenter for Horticulture magazine's 2010 and 2011 webinar series, her webinars attracted thousands of gardeners from around the country. Kerry Ann works at Estabrook's Nursery in Kennebunk, Maine. Prior to that she was the Director of Marketing for Faddegon's Nursery in Latham, NY. She has the unique privilege of being a national spokesperson for Proven Winners and Espoma.

Kerry Ann is a self-taught gardener with over 25 years of experience and a 'passionate perennialist' who enjoys mixing humor with practical information. Kerry Ann's first top-selling book, *The Ultimate Flower Gardener's Top Ten Lists*, was released in March 2010, followed by her second book, *Top Ten Lists for Beautiful Shade Gardens-Seeing Your Way Out of the Dark* in March 2011. Her newest book, *The Right-Size Garden: Simplify Your Outdoor Space with Smart Design Solutions and Plant Choices*, is available February 2015. The book provides time-tested solutions for aging and time-pressed gardeners. For more about Kerry Ann and her business *Perennially Yours*, visit [www.pyours.com](http://www.pyours.com).

