



# Flower Carpet Red Rose Rosa 'Flower Carpet Red'

Height: 30 inches

Spread: 3 feet

Sunlight: O D

Hardiness Zone: 5

Group/Class: Flower Carpet Rose

### **Description:**

Masses of red blossoms with butter centers are presented on this true easy care groundcover rose; simple to grow and easy to maintain with no spraying; cut back to one third in late winter.

#### **Ornamental Features**

Flower Carpet Red Rose is covered in stunning fragrant red flowers with buttery yellow eyes at the ends of the branches from late spring to late summer. 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**

Flower Carpet Red Rose is a dense multi-stemmed deciduous shrub with a ground-hugging habit of growth. 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 relatively low maintenance shrub, 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;

- Spiny

Flower Carpet Red Rose is recommended for the following landscape applications;



Flower Carpet Red Rose flowers Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder



Flower Carpet Red Rose in bloom Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder



- Mass Planting
- General Garden Use
- Groundcover

## **Planting & Growing**

Flower Carpet Red Rose will grow to be about 30 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 3 feet. It tends to fill out right to the ground and therefore doesn't necessarily require facer plants in front. It grows at a medium rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 20 years.

This shrub does best in full sun to partial shade. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. This particular variety is an interspecific hybrid.



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