LIST OF PLANTS EXPECTED TO BE AVAILABLE (updated 17 March, 2016)
(Now including landscape-sized cacti & succulents, but not herbs or vegetables)

Be sure to check updates periodically for additions and deletions!

KEY TO THE CODES AT END OF PLANT DESCRIPTIONS

H* attracts Hummingbirds
B* attracts Butterflies or feeds butterfly larvae
W* Water efficient/drought tolerant plants
C* California native plant or derivative
F* especially good cut Flower or cut Foliage
S* fragrant flowers ("S" for Scented)

The number of plants we expect to have available at the sale appears in brackets at the end of the plant description. Double listings indicate multiple sizes.

TREES

Acacia constricta, "WHITETHORN ACACIA" - Drought tolerant, deciduous, Southwest native small tree or large shrub w/ spiny branches & tiny, feathery leaves; flowers are fragrant, yellow puffs produced summer. [22] (H*W*S*)

Acacia greggii, "CATCLAW ACACIA" - Drought tolerant, deciduous small tree/large shrub w/ spiny branches & tiny, ferny leaves; flowers are fragrant, creamy yellow bottle-brushes produced spring to fall if irrigated. [5/5] (H*W*C*S*)

Aesculus californica, "CALIF. BUCKEYE" - Drought tolerant, California native tree w/ hand-shaped leaves & foot-long plumes of creamy white, fragrant flowers in spring followed by large, shiny brown, inedible seeds. [41/9] (H*B*W*C*S*)

Arbutus 'Marina', "MARINA STRAWBERRY TREE" - Choice, evergreen tree related to manzanita w/ handsome bark, large, deep green leaves, clusters of tiny, pink, urn-shaped flowers most heavily in fall, followed by showy, red, edible fruits. [25] (H*W*)

Bauhinia variegata, "PURPLE ORCHID TREE" - Spectacular, deciduous tree w/ light green, 2-lobed leaves & 3-in. purple, orchid-like flowers in late winter/early spring (a few may have white flowers). [13/11] (H*)

Ceanothus 'Ray Hartman', "RAY HARTMAN CEA NOThUS" - Drought tolerant, wide-spreading, small tree or large shrub (depending on training), w/ 2-3 in. leaves, dark green leaves & 3-5 in., spikelike clusters of medium blue flowers in spring. [20] (B*W*C*)

Cercis occidentalis, "WESTERN REDBUD" - Calif. native tree w/ all-year interest - masses of purple spring flowers, handsome foliage & seedpods, yellow fall color, picturesque branching. [25] (H*W*C*)

Chilopsis linearis 'Burgundy', "DESSERT WILLOW" - Calif. native, fast-growing small tree or large shrub w/ airy appearance; willow-like leaves & trumpet-shaped, burgundy-colored flowers over long spring/summer season; hummingbird favorite. [30] (H*W*C*)

Cupressus forbesii, "TECATE CY PRRESS" - Calif. native, drought tolerant, multi-trunked, evergreen tree to 25 ft. w/ cherry red bark & green-gray foliage; fast growing in youth, slower in age; a symmetrical, more or less conical tree. [18] (W*C*)

Erythrina cristi-galli, "COCKSPUR CORAL TREE" - Unusual, small tree or large shrub w/ thick branches & clusters of velvety, brick or wine red flowers intermittent over long spring to fall season; hummingbird favorite. [14] (H*)

Heteromeles arbutifolia, "TOYON" - Versatile & adaptable, Calif. native, water-efficient small tree/large shrub w/ toothed, glossy green leaves, large clusters of white flowers in summer, showy red berries in winter; handsome all year. [25/3] (H*B*W*C*)

Juglans californica, "CALIFORNIA BLACK WALNUT" - Calif. native, drought tolerant, small tree often multi-trunked w/ 6-13 in. dark green leaves divided into 9-19 leaflets & producing tasty, thick shelled walnuts; winter deciduous. [7] (W*C*)

Koelreuteria paniculata, "GOLDENRAIN TREE" - All-season deciduous tree w/ picturesque branching, large, divided leaves & large, showy clusters of tiny, yellow, summer flowers followed by rosy, lanterlike capsules good for arrangements.. [7] (B*W*F*)

Myrtus communis 'Boetica', "BOETICA MYRTLE" - Choice form of this versatile, evergreen tree/shrub w/ dark green, shiny, aromatic leaves, arranged "foxtail" fashion on thick branches; fragrant white flowers & blue berries. [34] (W*F*)

Parkinsonia aculeata, "MEXICAN PALO VERDE" - Drought tolerant, fast-growing, small to medium-sized tree w/ bright green bark & branchlets, long divided leaves w/ tiny leaflets & abundant yellow flowers most heavily in spring, then intermittent. [15] (H*W*)

Pistacia chinensis, "CHINESE PISTACHE" - Tough, drought resistant, deciduous medium to large tree w/ graceful, divided leaves that reliably turn scarlet/crimson/orange in fall; spectacular! [10] (W*)

Platanus racemosa, "CALIFORNIA SYCAMORE" - Large, picturesque, Calif. native tree w/ pretty bark & large, maple-like leaves;
for large, informal or natural gardens w/ some summer irrigation. [15] (B*C*)

Prosopis glandulosa var. torreyana, "HONEY MESQUITE" - Fast-growing (w/ some irrigation), drought tolerant, evergreen tree of picturesque form; tiny, ferny leaves & dense, finger-like spikes of creamy yellow flowers in spring. [15] (B*W*)

Prunus ilicifolia ssp. ilicifolia, "HOLLY LEAF CHERRY" - Versatile, drought tolerant, evergreen tree or shrub w/ leathery, hollylike leaves & spikes of creamy-white flowers in spring; Calif. native. [17] (B*W*C*)

Quercus agrifolia, "COAST LIVE OAK" - Tough, drought tolerant, wide-spreading tree, w/ cupped, hollylike, dark green leaves; fast-growing in youth, picturesque in age; Calif. native. [15/3] (B*W*C*)

Quercus engelmannii, "ENGELMANN OAK" - Tough, drought tolerant, wide-spreading tree, w/ hollylike leaves; fast-growing in youth, picturesque in age; Calif. native of Santa Rosa Plateau fame. [10/9] (B*W*C*)

Quercus lobata, "VALLEY OAK" - Majestic, Calif. native, low-water-use, deciduous, large tree w/ thick, spreading branches & handsome, deeply lobed leaves; fairly fast growth w/ some irrigation. [23/14] (B*W*C*)

Sambucus mexicana, "BLUE ELDERBERRY" - Adaptable, Calif. native, deciduous tree w/ compound leaves, large, flat-topped clusters of tiny, creamy-white flowers & clusters of frosted blue berries used in jams, etc; attractive to birds. [15] (B*W*C*)

Vitex agnus-castus 'Sensational', "CHASTE TREE" - Tough, fast-growing small tree or large shrub w/ pretty, hand-shaped leaves & dense, conical spikes of small, dark blue purple, fragrant flowers over long summer season. [25] (B*W*S*)

SHRUBS

Acacia craspedocarpa, "LEATHERLEAF ACACIA" - Large, heat resistant shrub w/ handsome, rounded, gray-green leaves -- flowers are bright yellow bottle-brushes in winter/spring; pods showy. [10/9] (W*)

Acacia redolens 'Desert Carpet', "DESERT CARPET ACACIA" - Dense, low, heat & drought tolerant shrub spreading up to 12 ft. w/ gray-green, leathery "leaves" & flowers that are tiny, yellow, vanilla-scented puffballs produced in spring. [30] (W*S*)

Aloysia triphylla, "LEMON VERBENA" - Large, open shrub w/ sandpaper, bright green, delicious lemon-scented leaves used in teas & potpourri; clusters of tiny white flowers in summer. [6] (B*F*)

Amorpha fruticosa, "FALSE INDIGO BUSH" - Calif. native, deciduous shrub w/ divided leaves w/ oval leaflets & mostly terminal, spike-like clusters of tiny purple flowers w/ conspicuous, yellow anthers; host for California Dogface & other butterflies. [3] (B*F*)

Arctostaphylos 'John Dourley', "MANZANITA" - Adaptable Calif. native derived mounding shrub to 4 ft. tall & 6-8 ft. wide w/ small, blue green leaves, bronzey new growth & clusters of tiny, light pink, urn-shaped flowers in winter; needs good drainage. [20] (H*B*W*C*)

Arctostaphylos pajaro, 'Warren Roberts', "PAJARO MANZANITA" - Calif. native shrub to 6 ft. tall & 10 ft. wide, bronzey new growth, blue-green leaves edged red & large clusters of dark pink, urn-shaped flowers in late winter; needs good drainage. [4] (H*B*W*C*)

Arctostaphylos 'Sunset', "SUNSET MANZANITA" - Calif. native, mounding shrub to 5-8 ft. tall & 6-10 ft. wide, w/ rough barked stems, deep green leaves, bronzey when young, & clusters of tiny, pink, urn-shaped flowers in early spring; garden tolerant. [20] (H*B*W*C*)

Arctostaphylos uva-ursi 'Pacific Mist', "MANZANITA" - Handsome, wide-spreading groundcover shrub less than 3 ft. tall, 6-15 ft. wide, w/ reddish bark, soft, gray-green leaves & clusters of tiny, white, urn-shaped flowers in spring; dependable. [20] (H*B*W*C*)

Arctostaphylos uva-ursi 'Pt. Reyes', "BEARBERRY MANZANITA" - Wide-spreading groundcover shrub to 1 ft. tall, w/ dark red-brown branches, shiny, rounded, dark green leaves & clusters of tiny, white, urn-shaped flowers in late winter/early spring. [20] (H*B*W*C*)

Artemisia californica 'Canyon Gray', "CALIF. SAGEBRUSH" - Low-growing form of this Calif. native, fast-growing shrub growing to 1-2 ft. high & 6-10 ft. wide, w/ very aromatic, silvery green, feathery foliage; needs good drainage. [15] (W*C*)

Artemisia tridentata var. vaseyana, "BIG SAGEBRUSH" - More garden tolerant selection of the sagebrush of "Old West" fame; tough, water efficient, picturesque shrub w/ silver-white, notoriously aromatic foliage; needs good drainage. [15] (W*C*)

Bahiopsis (Viguiera) parishii, "PARISH'S GOLDEN EYE" - Fast-growing, many branched, Calif. native, evergreen shrub to 3 ft. high & wide, w/ triangular, shiny, green leaves & pretty, 1 1/2 in., yellow daisy flowers in flowers; needs good drainage. [9] (B*W*C*)

Brugmansia 'Charles Grimaldi', "ANGEL'S TRUMPET" - Fast-growing, large shrub/small tree w/ huge, pendant, night-frAGRANT, trumpet-shaped, cantaloupe-colored flowers in flushes throughout the year; spectacular! [8] (S*)

Brugmansia 'Jamaica Yellow', "ANGEL'S TRUMPET" - Large shrub/small tree w/ light green leaves & huge, pendant, night-frAGRANT, trumpet-shaped, yellow flowers in flushes throughout the year; spectacular! [17] (S*)

Buddleia davidii 'Attraction', "BUTTERFLY BUSH" - Fast-growing shrub w/ leaves dark green above & white-felted below & dense, conical spikes of small, deep purple buds opening to red-purple, fragrant flowers in summer; butterfly favorite. [30] (B*S*)

Buddleia davidii 'Black Knight', "BUTTERFLY BUSH" - Fast-growing shrub w/ leaves dark green above & white felted below & dense, conical spikes of small, dark purple flowers in summer; butterfly favorite! [41] (B*)

Buddleia davidii 'Ellen's Blue', "BUTTERFLY BUSH" - Moderate-sized selection of this fast-growing shrub w/ leaves gray green above & white-felted below & dense, conical spikes of small, lavender blue, fragrant flowers in summer; butterfly favorite. [30] (B*S*)

Buddleia davidii 'Evil Ways', "BUTTERFLY BUSH" - Fast-growing shrub w/ leaves a vibrant chartreuse green above, white-felted below & dense, conical spikes of tiny, purple flowers in summer; flowers fragrant; butterfly favorite [5] (B*S*)

Buddleia davidii 'Pink Delight', "BUTTERFLY BUSH" - Fast-growing shrub w/ leaves gray green above & white-felted below & dense, conical spikes of small, lavender pink, fragrant flowers in summer; butterfly favorite. [4] (B*S*)

Caesalpinia pulcherrima, "BARBADOS PRIDE" - heat-loving, water efficient shrub w/ ferny, blue-green leaves & spectacular clusters of orange & red flowers in summer; hummingbird favorite. [30] (H*B*)

Calliandra eriophylla, "FAIRY DUSTER" - Truly drought tolerant Calif. native, medium shrub w/ lacy, dark gray green foliage; flowers are fluffy brushes of rosy-pink stamens in spring. [20] (H*W*C*)

Ceanothus 'Blue Jeans', "HOLLY LEAF MOUNTAIN LILAC" - Drought tolerant, medium to large, dense shrub w/ small, dark green, holly-like leaves & abundant clusters of tiny, pale powder blue flowers in spring; tolerates heavy soil, summer water. [20/5] (B*W*S*)

Ceanothus 'Joyce Coulter', "JOYCE COULTER Ceanothus" - Drought tolerant, wide-spaying, mounding shrub 2-5 ft. high w/ 1-in, medium green leaves & spike-like clusters of tiny, medium-blue flowers in spring; withstands some summer water. [20] (B*W*C*)
Galvezia speciosa 'Boca Rosa', "ISLAND SNAPPDRAGON" - Compact form of this Calif. native, spreading, evergreen shrub w/ shiny, light green, leaves & 1-in. tubular, scarlet flowers born heaviest in spring & intermittently during the year; hummingbird favorite. [15] (H*W*C*)

Garrya elliptica 'Evie', "SILK TASSEL" - Water efficient, Calif. native small tree or large shrub w/ leathery, wavy-edged leaves that are dark gray green above & white woolly below, & striking clusters of 10 in., pendulous flower tassels in winter. [15] (W*C*)

Grevillea 'Canberra Gem', "HUMMINGBIRD BUSH" - Graceful, evergreen shrub w/ 1 in., bright green, needlelike leaves & unusual, red, spidery flowers, heaviest in spring, intermittent throughout the year; needs good drainage, no phosphorus fert. [20] (H*W*)

Halimium halimifolium, "ROCKROSE" - Upright, evergreen shrub w/ small, gray-green leaves & in spring, 2-in., bright yellow, 5-petaled, poppy-like flowers; needs good drainage. [20] (W*)

Helianthemum 'Belgravia Rose', "SUNROSE" - Evergreen shrublet 8-12 in. tall & 3 ft. wide, w/ narrow, dark gray green leaves & 1-in., deep rose pink flowers in spring/summer; cut back after flowering for fall bloom; needs good drainage. [20] (W*)

Hemmannia verticillata, "HONEYBELLS" - Spreading shrub w/ trailing stems, tiny, dissected, bright green leaves & small, yellow, honey-scented, bell-shaped flowers in winter/spring; good drainage, moderate water. [20] (S*)

Isocoma menziesii, "MENZIES' GOLDENBUSH" - Water efficient, tough, Calif. native shrub w/ gray green leaves on wand-like branches & clusters of fluffy, yellow flower heads in late summer/fall when few other Calif. natives bloom; butterfly favorable.. [15] (B*W*C*)

Isoplexis canariensis, "CANARY IS. FOXGLOVE" - Unusual Canary Is. native shrub w/ shiny green, lance shaped leaves & spikes of tubular, orange-yellow flowers over long spring-summer season; hummingbird favorite. [30] (H*)

Justicia californica, "CHUPAROSA" - Drought tolerant desert shrub w/ gray-green, nearly leafless branches & clusters of tubular, bright red flowers over long spring/summer season. [25] (H*W*C*)

Justicia spicigera, "MEXICAN HONEYSUCKLE" - Water efficient, heat-loving, rounded shrub w/ bright green leaves & clusters of orange, tubular flowers produced continuously. [3] (B*W*F*)

Keckiella cordifolia, "HEARTLEAF KECKIELLA" - Calif. native, a clambering shrub to 3+ ft. high w/ small, ovate leaves & clusters of tubular, two lipped, orange red flowers in late spring/summer; summer deciduous;hummingbird favorite; good drainage. [20] (H*W*C*)

Lantana montevidensis, "TRAILING LANTANA" - Easy, heat-loving, spreading shrub w/ dark green, sandpapery leaves & rounded clusters of white-eyed, rich rosy lilac colored flowers throughout warm weather; butterfly favorable. [20] (B*W*)

Lavandula angustifolia 'Royal Velvet', "ENGLISH LAVENDER" - Classic perfume lavender on a dense, rounded, water efficient shrub w/ gray-green, aromatic leaves & slender, long-stalked, fragrant spikes of tiny, dark Navy blue & lavender flowers in summer. [32] (B*W*F*S*)

Lavandula stoechas 'Anouk Supreme', "SPANISH LAVENDER" - Water efficient, aromatic shrub w/ gray green foliage & dense, pineapple-shaped spikes of tiny, deep purple flowers topped by showy, lavender bracts; blooms in summer; needs good drainage. [32] (B*W*F*F*S*)

Lessertia montana, "BALLOON PEA" - South African shrub w/ silvery, compound, lacy leaves & quite spectacular, bright red, pea-shaped flowers w/ bead-like keels, followed by decorative, inflated pods. [30] (H*)

Lonicera hispidula, "PINK CHAPARRAL HONEYSUCKLE" - Calif. native, scrambling, semi-evergreen shrub w/ open habit; inch-long, leathery, oval leaves & spikes of half-inch, 2-lipped, pink flowers; attracts hummingbirds & other wildlife. [20] (B*CS*)

Lupinus albifrons, "SILVER BUSH LUPINE" - Calif. native, shrub w/ hand-shaped, silky, silvery leaves & tall spikes of blue-purple & yellow,

Eucryphia polycarpa, "APACHE-PLUME" - Drought tolerant, Calif. native shrub w/ tiny, deep green leaves & pretty, 1 1/2 in., white, rose-like flowers in spring & showy, plume-like seed clusters. [20] (W*C*)

Galvezia speciosa 'Boca Rosa', "ISLAND SNAPPDRAGON" - Compact form of this Calif. native, spreading, evergreen shrub w/ shiny, light green,
pea-shaped flowers in spring; needs good drainage, occasional watering. [30] (H*B*W*C*)

*Malacothamnus fasciculatus* 'Casitas', "CHAPARRAL MALLOW" - Special selection of this drought tolerant, native, evergreen shrub w/ bold, maple-like, gray-fuzzy leaves on spike-like branches & silvery-pink, hollyhock like flowers in spring/summer. [20] (B*W*C*)

*Melaleuca incana*, "GRAY HONEY MYRTLE" - Low selection of this wide-spread, evergreen shrub w/ narrow, fuzzy gray leaves set closely along stems & fluffy, clusters of cream-colored, feather-like flowers in spring. [20] (H*)

*Myoporum parvifolium* (red leaf form), "DWARF MYOPORUM" - Water efficient, fast-growing, shrubby groundcover; can spread to 6+ ft., w/ red stems, purple-tinted leaves & starry, white flowers in summer; believed rabbit proof! [7] (W*)

*Ozothamnus coralloides*, "WHIPCORD SHRUB" - A most unusual & distinctive, cushion-forming shrub w/ tiny, dark green, diamond shaped leaves pressed tightly against thick, white-woolly branches lending a bicolored, coral-like appearance. [20]

*Ozothamnus diosmifolius* 'Pink', "RICE FLOWER" - Uncommon Aust. shrub w/ narrow, bright green, aromatic leaves & dense, terminal heads of tiny, pink, everlasting flowers in spring & summer; commercial cutflower. [20] (B*W*C*)

*Peritoma arborea* (Isomeris arborea), "BLADDERPOD" - Calif. native, drought tolerant shrub w/ gray-green leaves, dainty yellow flowers through warm weather, followed by bright green, showy seed pods. [25] (H*W*C*)

*Phlomis purpurea*, "PINK JERUSALEM SAGE" - Uncommon, evergreen, water efficient shrub w/ textured, gray-green, woolly leaves & tall, shish-kabob spikes of 2-lobed, hooded, pink flowers over long summer season. [6] (W*F*)

*Polygala myrtifolia* 'Mariposa', "SWEET-PEA SHRUB" - Dwarf, compact form of this fast-growing, open shrub w/ gray green, pointed leaves & vivid rose-purple & white, orchid-like flowers produced much of the year. [8] (B*F*)

*Prostanthera lineata*, "NARROW LEAVED MINT-BUSH" - Erect, evergreen, Aust. shrub w/ narrow, deep green leaves, red stems & 1/2 in., purple, trumpet-shaped flowers covering the plant in spring/summer; hummingbird favorite. [30] (H*)

*Psoralea pinnata*, "BLUE SCURFY PEA" - Open shrub w/ lush green, soft needle-like foliage giving a fluffy look; clusters of blue & white, grape soda- scented, sweet-pea-shaped flowers in spring & summer. [13/9] (W*S*)

*Rhamnus (Frangula) californica* 'Little Sur', "LITTLE SUR COFFEEBERRY" - Evergreen, Calif. native, mounding shrub w/ handsome, matte green, rounded leaves & large berries that change from red to black; provides food for butterfly larvae; garden tolerant. [15] (B*W*C*)

*Rhus integrifolia*, "LEMONADE BERRY" - Versatile, water efficient shrub w/ rounded, leathery, dark green leaves, clusters of tiny pink flowers & flattened fruit used to make tangy drink. [20] (W*C*)

*Rhus ovata*, "SUGAR BUSH" - Calif. native evergreen shrub w/ handsome, leathery, shiny leaves & dense clusters of tiny, pinkish flowers in spring; berries used in beverages; needs good drainage. [5] (W*C*)

*Rhamnus malvaceum* 'Dancing Tassels', "CHAPARRAL CURRANT" - Dependable, Calif. native, deciduous shrub w/ aromatic, textured, lobed leaves, pendulous clusters of small pink flowers from darker buds in fall & winter, & blue-black berries; hummingbird favorite. [6] (H*W*C*)

*Rhodes speciosum*, "FUCHSIA-FLOWERED GOOSEBERRY" - Handsome Calif. native shrub w/ spiny branches, dark green, shiny leaves & a profusion of deep crimson, drooping, fuchsia-like flowers over long winter/spring season; hummingbird favorite. [7] (H*B*W*C*)

*Rosmarinus* 'Blue Spires', "ROSEMARY" - Tall, upright form of this popular, water-efficient shrub w/ deep green, aromatic foliage & blue-purple flowers over long season; leaves used in cooking. [20] (B*W*F*)

*Rosmarinus* 'Huntington Carpet', "ROSEMARY" - Low growing form of this popular, water-efficient shrub w/ deep green, aromatic foliage & light blue flowers over long season; leaves used in cooking. [4] (B*W*C*)

*Rosmarinus* 'Lady in White', "ROSEMARY" - Compact form of this popular, water-efficient shrub growing to 2 ft. high & 3 ft. wide, w/ deep green, aromatic foliage & white flowers over long season; leaves used in cooking. [7] (B*W*F*)

*Salvia chamelaeneaeguea*, "ROUGH BLUE SAGE" - Upright, evergreen S. African shrub w/ medium green, 3/4-in., aromatic leaves & compact spikes of 1-in., blue & white, two-lipped flowers w/ purplish calyces in summer/fall; good drainage. [13] (H*W*F*)

*Salvia flacculosa* 'Curtis Blue', "BLUE ECUADORIAN SAGE" - Evergreen shrub w/ 1-2 in., aromatic, gray green leaves & spikes of many tiny, deep purple blue, two-lipped flowers w/ two conspicuous white marks on the lower lip, these produced fall to spring. [8] (W*)

*Salvia greggii* (PAD #3 red), "AUTUMN SAGE" - Water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves, abundant spikes of 1-in., two-lipped, clear red flowers produced most of the year; hummingbird favorite. [14/10] (H*W*)

*Salvia 'Hot Lips', "AUTUMN SAGE" - Easy, water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves & abundant spikes of 1-in., tubular, white flowers tipped bright red - color may vary w/ temperature; hummingbird favorite. [30] (H*W*)

*Salvia 'Indigo Spires', "INDIGO SPIRES SAGE" - Fast-growing, soft shrub w/ rich green leaves & tall, slender, velvety spires of tiny, violet-blue flowers from early summer to frost. [26] (H*F*)

*Salvia x jamensis* 'Betty Moore 2', "AUTUMN SAGE" - Water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves, abundant spikes of purple-pink, 1-in. flowers & contrasting, darker flower stems; hummingbird favorite. [17] (H*W*)

*Salvia x jamensis* 'Bob & Bernie', "AUTUMN SAGE" - Fast-growing, water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves & abundant spikes of 2-lipped, 1-in. deep magenta flowers w/ dark calyces over long spring to fall season; hummingbird favorite. [64/18] (H*W*)

*Salvia x jamensis* (Dark yellow), "AUTUMN SAGE" - Water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves & abundant spikes of 1-in., 2-lipped, dark yellow flowers from spring to fall; hummingbird favorite. [27] (H*W*)

*Salvia x jamensis* 'Hal Snyder', "AUTUMN SAGE" - Water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves, abundant spikes of 1-in., two-lipped, scarlet red flowers w/ white throats & dark calyces from spring to fall; hummingbird favorite. [23] (H*W*)

*Salvia x jamensis* 'Lemon Lime', "AUTUMN SAGE" - Water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves that are heavily variegated rich yellow & spikes of 1-in., light yellow, tubular flowers from chartreuse buds; hummingbird favorite (UCRDBG 2012 introduction). [10] (H*W*)

*Salvia x jamensis* 'Monika', "AUTUMN SAGE" - Water-efficient, much-branched shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves & abundant spikes of 1 in., purple & red, bicolored flowers; blooms spring to fall; hummingbird favorite. [10] (H*W*)

*Salvia x jamensis* (Salmon), "AUTUMN SAGE" - Fast-growing, water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves & abundant spikes of 2-lipped, 1-in. salmon-colored flowers over long spring to fall season; hummingbird favorite. [15] (H*W*)

*Salvia x jamensis* 'Twilight', "AUTUMN SAGE" - Water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves along purple-black stems & abundant spikes of 1 in., delicate pink flowers w/ contrasting dark calyces; blooms spring to fall; hummingbird favorite. [24/7] (H*W*)
Salvia x jamensis (Yellow), "AUTUMN SAGE" - Water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves, abundant spikes of soft yellow, 1-in. flowers w/ contrasting calyxes & flower stems; hummingbird favorite. [14] (H*W*)

Salvia x jamensis (Yellow w/ pink), "AUTUMN SAGE" - Water-efficient shrub w/ tiny, aromatic leaves & abundant spikes of 1-in., yellow flowers blushed pink & w/ contrasting, darker calyxes & flower stems; hummingbird favorite. [65] (H*W*)

Salvia leucophylla, "PURPLE SAGE" - Especially garden friendly selection of this Calif. native shrub w/ aromatic, silvery leaves & shish-kabob spikes of purple-pink flowers in late spring; heat & drought tolerant. [16] (B*W*C*F*)

Salvia leucophylla "Pt. Sal Spreader", "POINT SAL SAGE" - Low, spreading form of this Calif. native shrub w/ aromatic, silvery leaves & shish-kabob spikes of purple-pink flowers in late spring; heat & drought tolerant. [20] (B*W*C*F*)

Salvia mohavensis hybrid, "HYBRID DESERT SAGE" - Hybrid of 3 Calif. native shrubs w/ aromatic, silver-white leaves on stiff branches & dense, "shish-kabob" spikes of blue-violet flowers in winter/spring; needs good drainage; hummingbird favorite. [20] (H*B*W*C*F*)

Salvia muirii, "MIUR SAGE" - Choice miniature shrub w/ tiny, matte-green, aromatic leaves, the plant dotted in summer & fall w/ small, bright blue flowers each w/ a white spot. [32] (B*W*)

Salvia munsii, "MUNZ SAGE" - Rare Calif. native, evergreen shrub w/ aromatic ash, dark gray green leaves & shish-kabob spikes of tiny, intense blue, tubular flowers w/ reddish calyxes. [20] (H*B*W*C*)

Salvia rosea (S. iodontha), "MEXICAN FUCHSIA SAGE" - Fast-growing, evergreen shrub w/ heart-shaped leaves & spikes of velvety, magenta, tubular flowers over long fall/winter season; hummingbird favorite & great cut flower. [5] (H*F*)

Senna didymobotrya, "POPCORN CASSIA" - Evergreen shrub w/ handsome, divided leaves & candelabra-like spikes of black buds opening to large, yellow flowers in winter/spring; new growth & flower buds popcorn-scented - especially fragrant form. [3] (B*W*)

Syringa x hyacinthiflora 'Ramona', "LILAC" - UCRBG introduction; old time favorite, deciduous, semi-dwarf shrub w/ heart-shaped leaves & conical clusters of single, deep purple flowers in late winter; specially selected for mild winter climates. [6/3] (B*W*C*F*)

Syringa x hyacinthiflora 'Ramona', "LILAC" - UCRBG introduction; old time favorite, deciduous, semi-dwarf shrub w/ heart-shaped leaves & conical clusters of single, deep purple flowers in late winter; specially selected for mild winter climates. [22] (B*W*C*F*)

Westringia fruticosa 'Blue Gem', "COASTAL-ROSEMARY" - Compact, upright form of this water-efficient shrub from Aust. w/ narrow, olive green leaves, woolly below, & spikes of delicate, lavender-blue flowers over long season. [30] (B*W*)

VINES

Calystegia macrostegia 'Anacapa Pink', "ISLAND MORNING-GLORY" - Fast-growing, twining vine native to Channel Islands w/ shiny green, arrow-shaped leaves & 3-in. pink, funnel-shaped flowers over long spring/summer season. [15] (C*W*)

Hardenbergia violacea 'Happy Wanderer', "LILAC VINE" - Choice Australian vine w/ wiry, twining stems, leathery, undivided leaves & long clusters of tiny, rose purple, sweetpea-shaped flowers w/ a chartreuse dot in late winter/early spring. [15/2] (W*)

Hylocereus undatus, "DRAGON FRUIT" - Climbing cactus w/ 3-angled, self-adhering stems & mammoth (to 1 ft. long!) white flowers, that open in summer about 8 p.m. followed by delicious magenta-red, white-fleshed fruit. [16/11]

Kennedia eximea, "RED TRAILING CORAL PEA" - Uncommon Australian vine w/ wiry stems, dark green, 3-parted, quilted leaves & 3/4-in., bright red, sweetpea-shaped flowers in summer; for trellis or groundcover. [15] (W*)

Pandorea jasminoides 'Rosea Superba', "OWER VINE" - Twining vine, handsome in or out of bloom; glossy, dark green leaves & clusters of fragrant, pink, trumpet-shaped flowers w/ near red throats born over long summer season. [15] (H*W*)

Pandorea pandorana, "WONGA-WONGA VINE" - Vigorous, twining vine, w/ dark green, divided leaves & generous, pendant clusters of small, trumpet-shaped, cream-colored flowers from spring into summer; hummingbird favorite. [15] (H*)

Passiflora 'Blue Horizon', "PASSIONVINE" - Fast-growing vine w/ deep green, 5-lobed leaves & distinctive, white flowers w/ contrasting deep blue filaments in summer/fall; larval food source for Gulf Fritillary butterflies. [20/9] (H*W*)

Passiflora 'Coral Glow', "PASSIONFLOWER" - Vigorous vine climbing by tendrils; dark green, shiny green, 3-lobed leaves & distinctive, 4-in., bright coral pink flowers from summer to fall; butterfly favorite. [4] (H*B*)

Passiflora edulis 'Frederick', "PASSION FRUIT" - Vigorous vine climbing by tendrils; yellow-green, three-lobed leaves & distinctive, 2-3-in., purple & white flowers followed by deep red, wrinkled fruits w/ delicious, fragrant, orange pulp. [20] (H*B*)

Passiflora 'Witchcraft tm', "WITCHCRAFT PASSIONVINE" - Tame-growing passion vine w/ slender stems lined w/ dark green, lobed leaves & distinctive, 3-in., violet flowers w/ vivid blue-purple filaments in summer/fall. [20] (H*W*)

Solanium laxum (S. jasminoides), "POTATO VINE" - Fast-growing, twining vine w/ small, purple-tinted leaves & dainty clusters of inch-wide, white flowers w/ yellow anthers produced much of the year. [6]

Vitis californica 'Walker Ridge', "CALIF. WILD GRAPE" - Tame selection of this Calif. native, woody vine, climbing by tendrils; picturesque in & out of leaf w/ shredding bark & slightly lobed, gray green leaves, velvety below, red in fall; edible fruit attracts birds. [6] (W*C*)

HERBACEOUS PLANTS (PERENNIALS)

Achillea millefolium 'Fireland', "COMMON YARROW" - Tough, water-efficient perennial w/ flat-topped clusters of long-lasting, brick red flowers, produced above a dark gray green, ferny, aromatic foliage mass; butterfly favorite. [9] (B*W*C*F*)

Achillea 'Red Velvet', "COMMON YARROW" - Tough, water-efficient perennial w/ flat-topped clusters of long-lasting, dark rose red flowers, produced above dark gray green, ferny, aromatic foliage mass; butterfly favorite. [20] (B*W*C*F*)

Achillea 'Moonlust', "YARROW" - Tough, water-efficient perennial w/ flat-topped clusters of long-lasting, creamy yellow flowers above a dark green, ferny, aromatic foliage mass; butterfly favorite. [7] (B*W*C*F*)

Agapanthus orientalis 'Silver Star', "LILY-OF-THE-NILE" - Dwarf, variegated selection of this landscape favorite w/ strap-shaped leaves handsomely margined white & long-stalked, ball-like clusters of lavender blue flowers in summer. [20] (H*W*)

Amaryllis belladonna, "NAKED LADY" - Easy, drought tolerant bulb w/ strap-shaped leaves in winter & deliciously fragrant, powder-puff pink, lily-like flowers on 3-ft. stalks in summer. [24] (H*W*F*S*)

Arctotis acaulis 'Pumpkin Pie', "ORANGE AFRICAN DAISY" - Spreading perennial w/velvety, silver gray, lobed leaves & long-stemmed,
Aster divaricata 'Blue Zinger', "BLUE SEDGE" - Versatile, grass-like perennial from Europe forming clumps of slender, ice blue blades a foot or more high, evergreen in mildest areas; can be clipped & will take some foot traffic; spreads but not invasive. [20]

Convolvulus sabatius 'Compacta', "GROUND MORNING GLORY" - Dwarf form of this spreading, evergreen perennial w/ soft, gray-green leaves & 2-in., lavender-blue, funnel-shaped flowers over long summer/fall season; grows to 8 in. tall, 10 in. wide. [7] (W*)

Crocosmia 'Lucifer', 'CROCOSMIA' - Gladiolus relative forming narrow, upright fans of sword-shaped leaves & 1-sided spikes of glowing red, funnel-shaped flowers produced in summer; hummingbird favorite. [8] (H+F*)

Cymbopogon citratus, "LEMON GRASS" - Long-time Riverside resident forming clumps of handsome, sea-green leaves that are deliciously lemon scented; popular in southeast Asian cooking & herb teas (culinary, aromatic, ornamental). [8/5]

Dianthus myrtitieris, "PINK" - Evergreen perennial forming low, dense mats of bright green, 1/4 in. leaves & an abundance of fragrant, 1/2 in., deep pink flowers in spring; needs good drainage. [6] (B*)

Dymondia margaretae, "SILVER CARPET" - Tight, spreading mat to 2-3 in. tall w/ gray-green leaves that are white feltly below & small, yellow, gazania-like flowers in summer; good between pavers & can take some foot traffic. [32] (B*W*)

Epilobium californicum, "CALIFORNIA-FUCHSIA" - Drought tolerant perennial w/ narrow, gray green leaves & vivid orange, tubular, flared flowers in summer & fall when few other Calif. natives bloom; hummingbird favorite. [32] (H+W*F*)

Erigeron karvinskianus 'Profusion', "SANTA BARBARA DAISY" - Graceful, trailing perennial native to Mexico, w/ 1 in., toothed leaves, becoming covered in 3/4 in., dainty white daisies tinged pink; blooms from early summer to fall. [3] (B*W*)

Eriogonum grande rubescens, "RED BUCKWHEAT" - Calif. native, spreading perennial growing 1-3 ft. tall w/ gray-green, oval leaves & generous clusters of tiny, rosy red flowers in summer; needs good drainage. [20] (B*W*C*)

Eriophyllum lanatum, 'Siskiyou', "WOOLLY SUNFLOWER" - Showy Calif. native, spreading perennial w/ ferny, white & gray-green, woolly foliage & golden-yellow daisy flowers over long spring/summer season; needs good drainage. [20] (B*W*C*)

Euphorbia characias 'Humpty Dumpty', 'DWARF MEDITERRANEAN SPURGE' - Compact, mounding perennial to 2 ft. tall w/ narrow, blue-green leaves arranged fan-tail fashion along thick stems & long-lasting, clusters of chartreuse-yellow flower heads in summer. [32] (W*)

Festuca idahoensis 'Tomales Bay', "BLUE BUNCHGRASS" - California native, water-efficient, perennial grass forming dense, rounded clumps of slender, bright blue leaves to about 14 inches tall & long-stalked, slender, straw-colored flower heads in summer. [32] (W*C*)

Gaura 'Siskiyou Pink', 'PINK WANDFLOWER' - Choice form of this unusual perennial w/ broom-like habit & wandlike flower spikes that bear many dainty, 1-in., pink, butterfly-like flowers over long summer season. [20] (W*F*)

Glaucoma flavum v. aurantiacum, "SEA POPPY" - Mediterranean native, short-lived perennial w/ a basal rosette of lobed, silvery leaves & spikes of 2-in., 4-petaled, satiny orange flowers over long summer season; needs good drainage. [20] (W*)

Helichrysum latissimum, "LOBSTER CLAW" - Bold, tropical perennial w/ handsome, banana-like foliage & exotic, waxy, long-lasting flower head in scarlet & yellow; 40 year Riverside resident -- container or protected garden site. [16] (H+F*)

Heterotheca sessiliflora 'San Bruno Mt.', 'SAN BRUNO
GOLDENASTER" - Selection of Calif. native perennial forming a dense mat of soft-fuzzy, light green, spoon-shaped leaves & 1.5 inch, bright yellow daisy heads; good drainage, moderate watering. [30] (B*W*C*)

Heucher a 'Santa Ana Cardinal', 'CORAL BELLS' - Perennial forming tight clumps of rounded, deep green leaves & abundant, airy spikes of tiny, rose red flowers over long spring/summer season; Calif. native hybrid & hummingbird favorite. [20] (H*C*F*)

Hippeastrum hybrid, "AMARYLLIS" - Spectacular perennial growing from a bulb w/ strap-shaped leaves in warm weather & long-stalked clusters of large, trumpet-shaped flowers in assorted colors. [11] (H*)

Iph en 'Rolf Fiedler', "BLUE STAR FLOWER" - Easiest of bulbs w/ grass-like, onion-scented, blue-green leaves & short-stalked, starry, bright blue flowers in abundance over long winter/spring season. [3] (W*)

Juncus patens, "CALIF. GRAY RUSH" - Calif. native, grass-like plant forming a dense, tidy fountain of stiff, slender, olive green leaves; small, brownish flowers spring & fall; from seasonally moist sites – fairly water efficient once established. [6] (C*)

Kniphofia 'Papaya Popsicle' PP#22915, "RED-HOT POKER" - Bold, clump-forming perennial w/ long, strap-shaped leaves & 3-ft. stalks topped by dense heads of tubular, orange & yellow flowers in summer/fall; hummingbird favorite. [15] (H*W*F*)

Lessingia filaginifolia 'Silver Carpet', 'CALIFORNIA-ASTER' - Calif. native, wide-spreading sub-shrub w/ feltly, silver leaves & 1/2 in., lavender-pink, daisy-like flowers w/ yellow centers in summer & fall. [20] (B*W*C*)

Leymus condensatus 'Canyon Prince', 'BLUE WILD RYE' - Striking, slow-spreading, Calif. native grass forming loose clumps of stiff powdery-blue leaves & 3 ft., rigid powder-blue flower spikes well above the foliage. [15] (W*C*F*)

Limonium perezii, 'SEA LAVENDER' - Bold, water efficient perennial w/ large, leathery, rounded leaves & long-stemmed clusters of purple & white flowers which are long lasting on the plant or cut in arrangements; butterfly favorite. [11/6] (B*W*C*)

Lotus scoparius (Acmispon glaber), 'CALIFORNIA BROOM' - Calif. native shrubby perennial w/ slender, green branches, tiny, 3-parted leaves & loose spikes of yellow pea-like flowers that age to orange; larval & nectar food plant for many butterflies. [20] (B*W*C*)

Mimus 'Cherry', 'HYBRID MONKEYFLOWER' - Calif. native, water efficient, shrubby perennial w/ shiny, narrow leaves & 1 in., trumpet-shaped, cherry red flowers born over long spring to fall season; hummingbird favorite. [20] (H*B*W*C*)

Monardella macrantha 'Marian Sampson', 'HUMMINGBIRD MINT' - Calif. native perennial forming a 4 in. high by 18 in. mat of shiny, dark green leaves & showy clusters of 1.5 in., tubular, bright red flowers in summer; good in containers; needs good drainage. [25] (H*W*C*)

Monardella villosa, 'COYOTE-MINT' - Bushy, Calif. native perennial w/ crinkled, furry, mint-scented leaves & showy heads of lavender-pink, tubular flowers in summer; needs good drainage. [20] (H*W*C*)

Muhlenbergia capillaris 'Regal Mist', 'PINK MUHLEY' - Stunning, near-evergreen, clumping grass w/ fine-textured, dark green, waxy foliage & a cloud-like mass of misty pink flowers over the foliage in fall; cut back in early spring. [20] (W*)

Muhlenbergia dumosa, 'BAMBOO MUHLEY' - Tough, graceful Arizona native grass w/ slender, bamboo-like stems & tiny leaf blades, forms a 4-5 ft. fountain-shaped cloud of fluffy foliage, flowers & seedheads. [20] (W*)

Oxalis bowiei, 'AUTUMN SHAMROCK' - Summer dormant, bulbous perennial from South Africa w/ shanknor shaped, shiny, bright green leaves & 1-in, funnel-shaped, hot pink flowers in late summer/fall. [11] (B*)

Oxalis hirta, "TROPICAL WOODSORREL" - Bulbous perennial forming a feathery mound of slender stems tightly lined w/ 3-lobed leaves & funnel-shaped, satiny, bright rose pink flowers in fall/winter; summer dry. [20] (B*)

Pallenis maritima (Asteriscus maritimus), "GOLD COIN" - Water-efficient, compact, shrubby perennial to 4 ft. wide w/ silky, green, spoon-shaped leaves & 2-in., yellow, daisy flowers produced over long spring to fall season. [30] (B*W*)

Penstemon 'Drysdale's Red', 'PELARGONIUM' - Easy shrub perennial, w/ large, velvety, peppermint-scented leaves & clusters of small, white flowers in spring/summer; has culinary uses. [14/14] (B*W*)

Pelargonium 'Blanca', "PINK MUHLEY" - Easy shrub perennial, w/ large, velvet, peppermint-scented leaves & clusters of small, white flowers in spring/summer; has culinary uses. [14/14] (B*W*)

Pennisetum 'Fairy Tails', 'EVERGREEN FOUNTAIN GRASS' - Water efficient perennial forming handsome clumps of arching, blue-green leaves & upright, long-stemmed, dark wheat-colored flower plumes in summer. [15] (W*F*)

Penstemon hetero, 'Margarita BOP', 'TINTED PENSTEMON' - Nice selection of this Calif. native, spreading perennial w/ narrow, gray-green leaves & spikes of trumpet-shaped, bright blue flowers in late spring/early summer; needs good drainage. [20] (H*W*C*)

Penstemon palmeri, "PALMER'S PENSTEMON" - Calif. native perennial w/ thick, gray-green leaves & tall spikes of fragrant, short-tubular, light pink flowers in spring; needs perfect drainage. [20] (W*C*F*S*)

Penstemon parryi, 'PARRY'S PENSTEMON'.- Pretty Arizona & Mex. native perennial w/ waxy, gray-green foliage & tall spikes of rich rose magenta, tubular flowers in spring; needs good drainage; hummingbird favorite. [20] (H*W*F*)

Physostegia virginiana, 'OBEDIENCE PLANT' - Vigorous perennial, spreading by rhizomes w/ upright stems lined w/ toothed leaves & tall, dense spikes of delicate lavender pink, trumpet shaped flowers in summer; long lasting in arrangements. [62] (H*F*)

Reinwardtia indica, 'YELLOW FLAX' - Spectacular shrubby perennial suckering from the base w/ rounded, bright green leaves & a profusion of bright yellow, satiny, funnel-shaped flowers over long winter season. [31/24]

Rhodanthemum hosmariense 'Casablanca', 'MOROCCAN DAISY' - Water efficient, mounding perennial to 8 in. tall, spreading to 2 ft., w/ softly hairy, feathery, silver foliage & 2-in., white daisy flowers w/ yellow centers produced much of the year. [32] (B*W*)

Rhodanthemum hosmariense 'Marrakech', 'MOROCCAN DAISY' - Water efficient, mounding perennial to 8 in. tall, spreading to 2 ft., w/ softly hairy, feathery, silver foliage & 2-in., pink daisy flowers w/ yellow centers produced much of the year. [32] (B*W*)

Romneya coulteri, 'MATILJIA POPPY' - Spectacular Calif. native to 8 ft. tall w/ gray-green leaves & huge, fragrant flowers w/ white, crepe paper-like petals & golden stamens; good cutflower, can be invasive; transplant very carefully. [32] (W*C*F*S*)

Ruella brittoniana 'Blanca', "DWARF WHITE RUHELLA" - Ultra compact variety of this heat-loving perennial w/ deep green, narrow leaves forming a tight mound, dotted w/ white, trumpet-shaped flowers over long summer season. [7]

Ruella brittoniana 'Rosa', 'ROSA RUHELLA' - Ultra compact variety of this heat-loving perennial w/ deep green, narrow leaves forming a tight mound, dotted w/ powder-puff pink, trumpet-shaped flowers w/ dark throat over long summer season. [7] (H*)

Russelia equisetiformis 'Flamingo Park', "CORAL FOUNTAIN" -
Salvia argentea, "SILVER SAGE" - Short-lived, Mediterranean perennial forming rosettes of large, silvery, silky-haired leaves & 3-4 ft., branching spikes of 1 1/4 in., hooded, white flowers in summer; hummingbird favorite. [30] (H)

Salvia chamaedryoides, "GERMANDER SAGE" - Compact, much-branched, moundng sub-shrub spreading by underground runners, small, silvery-green leaves & contrasting, little, bright blue flowers over long spring to fall season. [11] (B*W*)

Salvia 'Indigo Spires', "INDIGO SPIRES SAGE" - Fast-growing, soft shrub w/ rich green leaves & tall, slender, velvety spires of tiny, violet-blue flowers from early summer to frost. [20] (H*F*)

Salvia officinalis 'Berggarten', "CULINARY SAGE" - Handsome selection of culinary sage forming a low carpet of extra broad, gray-green leaves & short spikes of lavender-blue flowers in spring. [6] (W*)

Salvia taraxacifolia, "DANDELION LEAVED SAGE" - From Morocco, a perennial forming a basal rosette of lyre-shaped, gray green, citrus scented foliage & spikes of two-lipped, light pink flowers in spring/early summer. [5/4]

Scleranthus biflorus, "AUST. ASTROTURF" - Choice, moss-like, Australian native perennial forming a tight, cushiony, 3 in. tall by 3 ft. wide mat of slender, emerald green leaves & tiny white flowers in spring; needs good drainage. [7]

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Setcreasea pallida 'Purple Heart', "PURPLE HEART" - Fast-growing, wide spreading, groundcover perennial from Mexico w/ vivid purple, succulent leaves & stems & small, starry, pale purple flowers; good in containers. [8]

Sinningia tubiflora, "HARDY SINNINGIA" - Surprisingly hardy, tuberous perennial w/ velvety, crinkled leaves & long-stalked clusters of 3-in, tubular, fragrant, white waxy flowers in summer; needs good drainage. [26] (S*)

Sisyrinchium bellum (dwarf), "BLUE-EYED MALLOW" - Dwarf selection of this Calif. native iris relative w/ dainty tufts of grassy foliage & pretty, blue flowers w/ yellow centers in spring/early summer; can take much or little water. [32] (W*C)

Sphaeralcea ambigua, "APRICOT MALLOW" - Drought tolerant, Calif. desert native perennial w/ fuzzy leaves & tall spikes of hollyhock-like, pink to salmon-colored flowers with silky petals spring-summer; hummingbird favorite. [20] (H*B*W*C*)

Sporobolus airoides, "ALKALI DROPSEED" - Widely adapted, Calif. native grass forming a fountain of narrow, gray-green leaves & finely branching clusters of tiny, pink flower heads rising like mist over the native grass forming a fountain of narrow, gray-green leaves & finely branching clusters of tiny, pink flower heads rising like mist over the foliage in summer. [5] (W*C)

Sprekelia formosissima, "AZTEC LILY" - Easy & spectacular perennial from a high-necked bulb w/ strap-shaped leaves & 6-in., dark crimson, orchid-like flowers often several times a year; plant w/ bulb neck above soil level. [15] (H*W*F*)

Stachys byzantina 'Big Ears', "LAMB'S EARS" - Extra nice form of this old-fashioned favorite, mat-forming, spreading perennial grown mostly for the tongue-shaped, silver, soft-woolly leaves; small flowers in dense, wooly spikes in summer. [25] (W*F*)

Tagetes lemmonii, "MT. LEMMON MARIGOLD" - Shrubby perennial w/ finely divided, strongly aromatic leaves & large clusters of golden orange flower heads, heaviest bloom in winter/spring. [4] (B*W*F*)

Thymophylla pentachaeta, "GOLDEN DYSSODIA" - Southwestern U.S. native perennial to 6 in. tall & wide w/ needle-like, dark green leaves & yellow daisy flowers produced most heavily in spring, intermittent in summer fall; short-lived but reseeds readily. [13] (B*W*C*)

Tubagia natansensis, "SOCIETY GARLIC" - South African, evergreen perennial forming clumps of slender, gray green, grassy foliage & long-stemmed clusters of dainty, light pink flowers w/ yellow centers, these deliciously fragrant at night. [32] (B*W*)

Verbenia bonariensis, "PURPLE TOP" - Graceful, airy perennial w/ 3-4 ft. tall, branching, dense clusters of lilac flowers well above the foliage over long summer/fall season; butterfly favorite. [32] (B*W*)

Watsonia borbonica (white), "WHITE BUGLE LILY" - Gladiolus relative forming fans of sword-shaped leaves & spikes of white, funnel-shaped flowers in late spring; can be dry in summer or not; hummingbird favorite. [4] (H*W*F*)

Watsonia pinnansii 'Coral Spires', "BUGLE LILY" - Gladiolus relative forming fans of sword-shaped leaves & spikes of salmon-colored, funnel-shaped flowers in spring; can be kept dryer after summer bloom; hummingbird favorite. [30] (H*W*F*)

Zantedeschia aethiopica, "SPOTTED CALLA" - Easy perennial w/ deep green, handsomely white-spotted, arrow-shaped leaves (very narrow in this form) & flowers w/ large, silky white spathe & protruding yellow spadix. [9] (F*)

Zephyranthes candida, "WHITE RAIN LILY" - Easy, evergreen perennial from a bulb, w/ shiny deep green, grassy foliage & an abundance of single-stemmed, white, lily-like flowers in late summer/fall. [10/4] (W*)

Zephyranthes 'Prairie Sunset', "PINK RAIN LILY" - Easy perennial from a bulb, w/ deep green, grassy foliage & peachy-pink, single-stemmed, crocus-like flowers in summer; flowers born in successive flushes. [11/10] (W*)

Zephyranthes sulphurea, "YELLOW RAIN LILY" - Easy perennial from a bulb, w/ deep green, grassy foliage & single-stemmed, yellow, lily-like flowers in summer; flowers born in successive flushes. [20] (W*)

CACTI & SUCCULENTS
(NOT INCLUDING MOST SMALLER SIZES)

Aeonium arboreum, "SHRUBBY AEOION" - Succulent, branching shrub w/ thick stems terminated in rosettes of shiny green leaves & conical clusters of fluffy, yellow flowers on 8-in. stalks; good in landscape or container. [15/4] (W*)

Aeonium arboreum 'Atropurpureum', "SHRUBBY AEOION" - Succulent, branching shrub w/ thick stems terminated in rosettes of shiny, green leaves tinged dark purple-red & conical clusters of fluffy, yellow flowers on 8-in. stalks; good in landscape or container. [5/3] (W*)

Aeonium arboreum 'Schwartzkopf', "BLACK ROSE" - Succulent, branching shrub w/ thick stems terminated in rosettes of shiny, nearly black leaves & conical clusters of fluffy, yellow flowers on 8-in. stalks; good in landscape or container. [5] (W*)

Aeonium canariense hybrid, "CANARY IS. AEOION" - Dense, succulent shrub w/ stout stems w/ many rosettes of shiny, pale green leaves & large conical clusters of light yellow flowers in spring; good in landscape or container. [18] (W*)

Aeonium decorum, "GREEN PINWHEEL" - Much-branched,
mounding, succulent shrub w/ many 2-in. rosettes of gray green, succulent leaves edged orange-red in sun & clusters of small, pinkish flowers in spring. [22] (W*)

*Aloe funckiana* 'Blue Haze', "BLUE LECHUGILLA" - Succulent perennial forming rosettes of stiff, blue-gray, symmetrically arranged leaves w/ toothed margins & a pale green mid-stipe; tall spike of gray-green flowers w/ yellow stamens in age. [7] (W*)

*Aloe macrocantha*, "BLACK-SPINED AGAVE" - Succulent perennial forming multiple rosettes of stiff, blue-gray symmetrically arranged leaves w/ brown-toothed margins & black terminal spines; tall spike of green & purple flowers only in age. [3] (W*)

*Aloe geminiflora*, "TWIN-FLOWERED AGAVE" - Perennial forming a dense, symmetrical fountain of very narrow, dark green, leaves that are spine tipped; an 8+ ft., unbranched stalk of yellow & red flowers after several years; plant dies after bloom. [10] (H*W*)

*Aloe x Leopoldii*, "WHITETHREAD AGAVE" - Slow to form clumps of tight, symmetrical rosettes of stiff, white-marked leaves edged w/ curled, white filaments & tipped in a sharp spine; eventually forms a tall stalk of red & yellow flowers. [3] (H*W*)

*Aloe macrocantha*, "BLACK-SPINED AGAVE" - Succulent perennial forming multiple rosettes of stiff, blue-gray symmetrically arranged leaves w/ brown-toothed margins & black terminal spines; tall spike of green & purple flowers only in age. [3] (W*)

*Aloe shawi*, "SHAW'S AGAVE" - Endangered Calif. native succulent perennial forming stout, symmetrical, 2-3 ft. rosettes of broad, dark gray green leaves w/ hooked marginal spines & dark-spined tips. [8] (W*C*)

*Aloe arborescens*, "CANDELABRA ALOE" - Shrub or tree w/ many branches topped by rosettes of thorny, succulent leaves & 3-ft., unbranched spikes of tubular, scarlet flowers in winter; good hedge or barrier plant; hummingbird favorite. [4] (H*W*)

*Aloe brevifolia*, "SHORT-LEAVED ALOE" - Succulent perennial forming dense, spreading clumps; stemless rosettes of short, fleshy, gray green, toothed leaves & spikes of tubular, red flowers in late summer; hummingbird favorite. [18] (H*W*)

*Aloe 'Crosby's Prolific', "CROSBY'S PROLIFIC ALOE" - Succulent perennial forming dense clumps of stemless rosettes of short, fleshy, dark gray green, many-toothed leaves & spikes of tubular, red orange flowers in spring; hummingbird favorite. [12] (H*W*)

*Aloe elegonica, "ALOE"* - Succulent shrub w/ several erect stems bearing rosettes of distinctly toothed, bronzy red, fleshy leaves & branching spikes of tubular, orange-red flowers in winter/spring; hummingbird favorite. [9] (H*W*)

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*Aloe 'Johnson's Hybrid', "JOHNSON'S HYBRID ALOE"* - Succulent perennial forming many foot-tall stems lined w/ narrow, bright green, spotted leaves & spikes of tubular, green-tipped, bright orange flowers nearly the year round; hummingbird favorite. [20] (H*W*)

*Aloe striatula, "HARDY ALOE"* - Semi-climbing, succulent shrub w/ slender stems lined w/ narrow, dark green, finely toothed leaves & spikes of pendentulous, tubular yellow flowers in late spring; hummingbird favorite; hardy to 15 degrees. [4] (H*W*)

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*Aloe variegata, "PARTRIDGE BREAST ALOE"* - Compact, succulent perennial forming stemless rosettes of dark green, triangular leaves handsomely marked in white & spikes of tubular, pink flowers in late winter/early spring; hummingbird favorite. [32] (H*W*)

*Aloe 'White Fox', "WHITE FOX MINIATURE ALOE"* - Miniature aloe, a succulent perennial forming rosettes of fleshy, pale green, white-speckled leaves & spikes of tubular, orange-red flowers in summer; hummingbird favorite. [30] (H*W*)

*Astrophytum ornatum, "MONK'S HOOD CACTUS"* - Slow-growing cactus w/ a single, dark gray green stem w/ white flecks, usually 8 ribs & wide-spaced clusters of long, tan spines; many-petalled, funnel shaped, yellow flowers in summer. [11] (W*)

*Austrocylindropuntia subulata, "EVE'S NEEDLE CACTUS"* - Much-branched, tree-like cactus to 15 ft. w/ cylindrical branches, 1.5 in., bright green, persistant, awl-shaped leaves & large, red, many-petaled flowers in spring; 1.5-in., needle-like spines develop w/ age. [15] (W*)

*Bulbine frutescens*, "STALKED BULBINE" - Water-efficient groundcover w/ narrow, succulent leaves & many spikes of clear lemon yellow, starburst flowers over long season; "bulletproof" according to The So. Calif. Gardener. [32] (B*W*)

*Bulbine 'Tiny Tangerine', "ORANGE BULBINE" - Water-efficient groundcover perennial from S. Africa w/ tight mat of narrow, succulent leaves & spikes of orange & yellow, starburst flowers over long season. [20] (H*B*W*)

*Cereus peruvianus* (seeding), "PERUVIAN APPLE CACTUS" - Much-branched, form-fruit cactus to 15 ft. w/ 6-8-ribbed, gray green stems, 8-in., many-petaled, white flowers opening at night in summer & magenta-red fruit w/ white flesh; seedlings of 'Spiralis'. [7] (W*)

*Cleistocactus samaipatanus, "GOLD TORCH CACTUS"* - Shrubby cactus, several-branched from the base w/ 1-2-in. thick, many-ribbed, snake-like stems covered in short, gold spines; flared, many-petaled red flowers in summer attract hummingbirds. [17] (H*W*)

*Cotyledon orbiculata* 'Silver Storm', "PIG'S EARS" - Stout-stemmed, succulent shrub w/ rounded, silvery-green, fleshy leaves w/ red margins & clusters of showy, waxy orange, bell-shaped flowers on stiff stalks; hummingbird favorite. [30] (W*)

*Crassula dubia, "SILVER SPOON"* - Succulent shrub to 18 in. tall w/ fleshy, silvery gray, paddle-shaped leaves arranged symmetrically along the stems & clusters of small, fragrant, white flowers in summer. [7] (W*)

*Crassula lactea, "TAYLOR'S PATCHES"* - Spreading, succulent shrub to 2 ft. tall w/ fleshy, dark green leaves close-set in a criss-crossed pattern along the stems & dense, 4-6-in. clusters of white flowers in fall; takes dense shade. [4] (W*)

*Crassula lycopodioideae, "GIANT WATCH CHAIN CRASSULA"* - Mounding, succulent shrub to 1 ft. tall w/ fleshy, awl-shaped, bright green leaves close-set in a criss-crossed arrangement along the stems; tiny, greenish flowers are inconspicuous. [4] (W*)

*Crassula platyphylla 'Burgundy', "BURGUNDY CRASSULA"* - Succulent shrub to 1.5 ft. high w/ long, tapered, green leaves, the margins purplish; foliage takes on a burgundy blush in cold weather; tiny, white flowers in spring more interesting than showy. [14] (W*)

*Cylindropuntia leptocaulis, "CHRISTMAS CHOLLA"* - Shrubby, intricately branched cactus w/ slender stems lined w/ 2-in. spines, greenish yellow flowers followed by showy, olive-sized, red fruits in winter; fruits are edible & attract wildlife. [11] (W*)

*Dasyllirion wheeleri, "DESSERT SPOON"* - Yucca-like shrub forming a 3 ft. fountain of blue-gray, strap-shaped leaves, eventually forming a trunk; dramatic, 10-ft. spike of tiny, creamy-white flowers in fall. [20] (W*)

*Delosperma 'Fire Spinner', "FIRE SPINNER ICEPLANT"* - Succulent, evergreen groundcover to 2 in. tall, 2 ft. wide, w/ succulent, shiny green leaves & spectacular, tricolor flowers in orange, red & lavender in spring/summer; best w/ afternoon shade. [3] (B*W*S*)
**Delosperma 'Orange Wonder', 'ORANGE WONDER ICEPLANT'** - Succulent, evergreen groundcover to 8 in. tall, 2 ft. wide, w/ succulent, shiny green leaves & glowing orange & yellow flowers w/satiny petals in spring/summer; best w/ afternoon shade. [11] (B*W*S*)

**Dudleya caespitosa, "LIVE-FOREVER'** - So. Calif. native succulent producing rosettes of narrow, chalky white, succulent leaves & branching spikes of small, short-tubular, yellow flowers; hummingbird favorite. [20] (H*W*C*)

**Dudleya pulvulenta, "CHALK DUDLEYA"** - So. Calif. native succulent producing a striking rosette of chalky white, broad, lance-shaped leaves on a short trunk & tall spikes of small, red, chalky flowers; hummingbird favorite. [7] (H*W*)

**Echeveria 'Perle von Nurnberg', 'HENS & CHICKS'** - Succulent perennial forming large, symmetrical rosettes of broad, waxy blue-gray leaves w/ pink overtones & branching spikes of coral & yellow, tubular flowers in summer; hummingbird favorite. [32] (H*W*)

**Echeveria cinerascens, "HEDGEHOG CACTUS"** - Many branched, clumping cactus w/thick, dark green, mostly 5-8-ribbed, cylindrical stems lined w/ light colored spines, large, many-petaled, purple pink flowers in spring/summer & edible, spiny fruits. [14] (H*W*)

**Echeveria rigidissimus ssp. rubrispinus, "RAINBOW CACTUS"** - Usually solitary-stemmed cactus w/ thick, 12-23-ribbed, columnar stems lined w/ flat, rose-red,spiderlike spine clusters that obscure the stem & 5-in., many-petaled, magenta flowers in spring/summer. [7] (H*W*)

**Echinocereus candidus, "TORCH CACTUS"** - Clump-forming cactus, branched from the base w/ 5-in. thick, light green, 9-11-ribbed, trailing stems lined w/ brownish spines & large, white, fragrant flowers in spring/summer, opening at night. [11] (H*W*)

**Echinopsis huasca (salmon), "SALMON TORCH CACTUS"** - Clump-forming, shrubby cactus, branched from the base w/ thick, bright green, 14-17-ribbed, columnar stems lined w/ long, tan spines & many-petaled, salmon, bell-shaped flowers in spring/summer. [10] (H*W*)

**Echinopsis huasca (yellow), "YELLOW TORCH CACTUS"** - Clump-forming, shrubby cactus, branched from the base w/ thick, bright green, 14-17-ribbed, columnar stems lined w/ long, tan spines & many-petaled, yellow, bell-shaped flowers in spring/summer. [18] (H*W*)

**Euphorbia acurensis, "MILK TREE"** - Stiff-branched, succulent tree w/ dark green, columnar, 4-ribbed stems, the ribs edged in short thorns, tiny leaves near the branch tips & many tiny, waxy, yellow flowers; protect from frost. [6] (W*)

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**Euphorbia caput-medusae, "MEDUSA'S HEAD"** - Strange, succulent perennial w/ many green, bumpy, snake-like branches arising from the crown, these tipped in spring/summer w/ clusters of tiny, white flower heads; frost tender. [6] (W*)

**Euphorbia loricata hybrid, "AFRICAN PALM TREE"** - "Few-branched, succulent shrub w/ thick, green, ribbed stems topped by small, narrow leaves & interesting, stalked clusters of clusterfloral clusters; frost tender. [10] (W*)

**Ferocactus glaucescens, "BLUE BARREL CACTUS"** - Mostly globular cactus to 20 in. tall & wide, w/ a waxy gray body having 11-15 ribs, the ribs edged w/ stiff, yellow spines; clump-forming in age; satiny-petaled, lemon yellow flowers in summer. [5] (W*)

**Ferocactus viridescens, "COAST BARREL CACTUS"** - Calif. native, mostly flat-globular cactus to 1 ft. tall & wide, w/ a deep glossy green body having 13-34 ribs, the ribs edged w/ stiff, yellow to red spines; satiny-petaled, yellow-green flowers in summer. [5] (W*)

**Furcraea selja 'Marginata', 'VARIEGATED WILD SISAL"** - Agave-like plant forming a 5-8-ft. rosette of deep green, sword-shaped, spine-tipped leaves w/ cream margins & in age, a 20- ft., tall stalk of tubular, green flowers; plantlets on flower spike; terracotta pots. [20] (W*)

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**Graptoptalam paraguayense, "GHOST PLANT"** - Succulent perennial w/ trailing stems forming many rosettes of fleshy, spoon-shaped, gray-green leaves tinged pink; branching clusters of star-shaped, white flowers w/ red spots; good groundcover. [13] (W*)

**Hesperaloe parviflora 'Brakelights', 'BRAKELIGHTS CORAL YUCCA'** - Drought tolerant, yucca-like perennial w/ clumps of thick, 3-ft., narrow leaves & tall spikes of long lasting, tubular, glowing red flowers in early summer & later; hummingbird favorite. [15] (H*W*F*)

**Hesperaloe parviflora (yellow), "YELLOW CORAL YUCCA"** - Drought tolerant, yucca-like perennial w/ clumps of thick, 3-ft., narrow leaves & tall spikes of long lasting, tubular, yellow flowers in early summer & later; hummingbird favorite. [15] (H*W*F*)

**Leuchtenbergia principis, "PRISM CACTUS"** - A most unusual cactus growing from a tuberous root w/ an agave-like arrangement of long, angled, blue green tubercles tipped w/ papery spines; funnel-shaped, satiny yellow flowers in summer. [7] (W*)

**Manfreda maculosa, "SPICE LILY"** - Succulent perennial w/ fleshy, strap-shaped leaves w/ bold, maroon blotches & tall spikes of tubular, long-stamened, scented flowers in summer, these open white & age to red; hummingbird favorite. [13/10/9] (H*)

**Myrtillcactus geomezeinatis, "WHORLFBERRY CACTUS"** - Candelabra-branched, tree-form cactus to 20 ft. w/ ribbed, blue-green stems, tiny, many-petaled, white flowers followed by small, dark purple, spineless fruits that are very tasty. [4] (W*)

**Nolina microcarpa, "BEARGRAASS"** - Care-free, yucca-like, Southwest native perennial w/ long, wiry, grass-like leaves w/ early tips & a 4-6 ft., branching spike of tiny, cream white flowers in summer; important basketry plant. [20] (W)

**Opuntia 'Baby Rita', 'BABY RITA PRICKLY PEAR"** - Dwarf, hybrid of beavertail cactus, a spreading succulent shrub w/ spiny, paddle-shaped, jointed stems that are gray green blushed purple; distinctive, bowl-shaped, rose purple flowers. [25] (H*W*)

**Opuntia ficus-indica, "INDIAN FIG"** - Prickly-pear cactus w/ well-developed trunk & jointed branches formed of broad, thornless pads w/no glochids; yellow to orange flowers followed by large edible fruits. [14] (H*W*)

**Opuntia monacantha 'Monstrose Variegata', "JOSEPH'S COAT"** - Tree-shaped, prickly-peartype cactus to 6 ft. w/ many jointed branches formed of nearly thornless, narrow pads that are handsomely patterned white, yellow & green; flowers are bright yellow. [6] (H*W*)

**Opuntia monacantha 'Variegata', "JOSEPH'S COAT"** - Tree-shaped, prickly-peartype cactus to 6 ft. w/ jointed branches formed of nearly thornless, narrow pads that are handsomely patterned white, yellow & green; flowers will be yellow or red. [9] (H*W*)

**Oscularia deltoides, "PINK ICEPLANT"** - Succulent groundcover to 1 ft. tall, 3 ft. wide, w/ succulent, pale blue-green, toothed leaves on wiry, dark pink stems & fragrant, satiny-petaled, purple-pink flowers in spring/summer; needs good drainage. [4] (B*W*S*)

**Portulacaria afra, "ELEPHANT FOOD"** - Versatile, succulent, S.
African shrub to 12 ft. w/ thick, reddish stems & small, dark green, rounded leaves; tiny, pink flowers rarely produced; can be used as hedge, screen, container plant or bonsai. [30] (W*)

*Portulacaria afra* forma *macrophylla*, "LARGE LEAF ELEPHANT FOOD" - Large leaf form of this versatile, S. African shrub to 12 ft. tall w/ thick, reddish stems & 1-in., green, rounded leaves; tiny, pink flowers rarely produced; can be used as hedge, screen, or container plant. [18] (W*)

*Seneio cylindricus*, "NARROW-LEAF CHALKSTICKS" - Spreading, South African, succulent shrub w/ long, grey green, cylindrical leaves & clusters of cream-colored, tufted flower heads in late spring/early summer; good medium-height groundcover. [5] (B*W*)

*Seneio jacobsenii*, "TRAILING JADE" - African native, succulent, groundcover perennial w/ fleshy, rounded leaves overlapping like shingles along the trailing stems; orange, tufted flowerheads rarely produced. [3] (B*W*)

*Seneio madraliscae*, "NARROW-LEAF CHALKSTICKS" - Spreading, South African, succulent shrub w/ long, grey green, cylindrical leaves & clusters of cream-colored, tufted flower heads in late spring/early summer; good medium-height groundcover. [32] (B*W*)

*Tephrocactus articulatus*, "PAPER-SPINED CHOLLA" - Unusual cholla-type cactus w/ succulent stems articulated into rounded sections that easily break off & take root, long, flexible, flattened spines, & pinkish, multi-petaled flowers in spring/summer. [20] (W*)

*Yucca (Hesperoyucca) whipplei*, "WHIPPLE'S YUCCA" - Tough & spectacular Calif. native w/ narrow, stiff, sharp-pointed leaves & dramatic 5-10 ft., branching, Christmas-tree-shaped spike of white waxy flowers; single plant rosette dies after flowering. [20] (W*C*)

**SHADE PLANTS**

*Abutilon pictum* 'Auroe-maculatum', "FLOWERING MAPLE" - Fast-growing, evergreen shrub w/ maple-like leaves spotted & blotched w/ glowing yellow-white & nodding, bell-shaped, yellow-orange flowers w/ crimson veins over long season. [21] (H*)

*Adiantum capillus-veneris*, "SOUTHERN MAIDENHAIR" - Easiest of maidenhair ferns; jet-black, wiry stems & bright green, fan-shaped leaflets; dainty look belies tough constitution of established plants; spreads by rhizomes. [12/8] (C*)

*Adiantum hispidulum*, "ROSY MAIDENHAIR" - One of the most adaptable of the maidenhair ferns for landscape, house or patio; jet-black, wiry stems & unique, hand-shaped leaves w/ medium green, leaflets that emerge rosy brown. [20]

*Aspidistra elatior*, "CAST-IRON PLANT" - Victorian favorite - tough plant indoors or outdoors, w/ bold, deep green, long-stalked leaves; can take even deep shade & some drought. [10]

*Aspidistra elatior* 'Asahi', "FROSTED CAST-IRON PLANT" - Rare form of this Victorian favorite - tough plant indoors or outdoors, w/ bold, deep green leaves w/ lighter tip; can take even deep shade; good light/low nitrogen fertilizer encourage color formation. [15]

*Aspidistra elatior* 'Dwarf Milky Way*, "CAST-IRON PLANT" - Rare form of this Victorian favorite - tough, slow-growing plant indoors or outdoors, w/ bold, deep green leaves flecked yellow; can take even deep shade (="Ginga Minor"). [16]

*Aspidistra elatior* 'Starry Night*, "CAST-IRON PLANT" - Rare form of this Victorian favorite -- tough, slow-growing plant indoors or outdoors, w/ bold, deep green leaves heavily spotted yellow; can take even deep shade. [20]

*Campanula poscharskyana* 'Blue Waterfall', "SERBIAN BELLFLOWER" - Vigorous, fast-spreading, groundcover w/ bright green, heart-shaped, toothed leaves & spikes of star-shaped, light blue flowers w/ white centers; needs little water. [32] (W*)

*Carex oshimensis* 'Evergold*, "EVERGOLD WEEPING SEDGE" - Moisture-loving, grass-like plant forming mounds of slender, gracefully arching, deep green leaves w/ broad central stripe of creamy white to creamy yellow. [12]

*Cheilanthes lanosa*, "HAIRY LIP FERN" - Choice, true fern of moderate water needs forming clusters of finely divided, gray green, hairy leaves on wiry, dark brown stems; needs good drainage & well-amended soil; good in containers. [14]

*Costus spiralis*, "STEPLADDERPLANT" - Tropical plant w/ handsome foliage spirally arranged on cane-like stems & exotic, yellow, tubular flowers born in orange-brown, conelike inflorescence; mildest inland areas or protected patios. [15] (H*)

*Cryptbergia* 'Red Burst', "CRYPTBERGIA" - Unusual pineapple relative forming rosettes of 8-12 in., succulent, deep bronze-red leaves; small, white flowers are inconspicuous; light shade & moderate watering; good in containers. [9]

*Dianella revoluta* 'Little Rev' PP17719, "BLACK ANTHER FLAX LILY" - Evergreen lily relative from Australia forming tight, upright clumps of narrow, blue green leaves, yellow green on the less visible upper surface; grown for the bold plant form as it rarely blooms. [6]

*Fragaria chiloensis* 'Green Pastures', "SAND STRAWBERRY" - Calif. native, perennial groundcover spreading by stolons, forming a carpet of large, lush green, 3-parted leaves w/ toothed leaflets on reddish stems; no fruit. [20] (W*C*)

*Haemanthus albiflos*, "SHAVINGBRUSH FLOWER" - Evergreen, bulbous, perennial w/ broad, flat, tongue-shaped leaves producing a thick stalk topped by a white & gold, "shaving-brush" flower cluster in summer; needs good drainage; good in containers. [54/26/7]

*Helleborus argutifolius*, "CORSICAN HELLEBORE" - Hard to find, shrub-like, Mediterranean perennial w/ handsome, blue-green leaves w/ 3, sharply toothed divisions & clusters of large, chartreuse flowers that last for months. [15] (F*)

*Irish japonica*, "ORCHID IRIS" - Considered the most beautiful of crested iris; fans of light green, sword shaped leaves topped w/ 2 ft. branching sprays of pale-lavender, fringed flowers w/ darker markings & orange crests. [10]

*Malvaviscus arboreus var. mexicanus*, "TURKSCAP" - Medium-sized, spreading or clambering shrub w/ fresh green foliage & red, pendulous flowers throughout warm weather; hummingbird favorite. [5/16] (H*)

*Nephelephorus cordifolium* 'Medusa', "MEDUSA FERN" - Compact Boston fern relative hardy enough for landscape in mildest Inland areas; tight clumps of stiff, feather-shaped, bright green fronds to 1 ft. tall; multiplies by wiry runners. [17]

*Ophiopogon japonicus* 'Silver Mist', "MONDO GRASS" - Reliable & versatile perennial for shade; handsome clumps of slender, grass-like leaves that are heavily variegated white; tiny, lilac flowers on short stems are followed by blue fruits. [16] (F*)

*Plectranthus forsteri* 'Marginatus', "WHITE-EDGED SPURFLOWER" - Viny perennial for light shade, related to coleus; velvety, medium green, ovate leaves handsomely margined creamy white; spikes of tiny, pale mauve flowers produced intermittently. [38]

*Polygodium guttatum*, "MEX. LEATHERY POLYPODY" - Choice, Mexican, true fern w/ leathery, rich green, once-divided fronds growing upright from a short-creeping rhizome; good drainage in filtered sun or shade. [15]

*Rohdea japonica*, "ROHDEA" - Choice, slow-growing perennial for shade forming tufted clusters of dark green, leathery, strap-shaped leaves & tiny, whitish flowers that are inconspicuous. [17]
Acalypha hispida, "CATALINA PERFUME" - Calif. native, evergreen, wide-spreading shrub for dry shade; handsome, shiny, dark green foliage is deliciously fruit scented; small, rose pink flowers in winter/spring. [3] (W*C*)

Ribes viburnifolium, "CATALINA PERFUME" - Calif. native, evergreen, wide-spreading shrub for dry shade; handsome, shiny, dark green foliage is delicately fruit scented; small, rose pink flowers in winter/spring. [32] (W*C*)

Ruscus aculeatus, "BUTCHER'S BROOM" - Unusual Mediterranean shrub for part to deep shade w/ flattened, spine-tipped stems & curiously variegated white & pink in cool weather, leaves, 3-ranked in rosettes & starry, white flowers w/ yellow stamens in spring & summer. [5]

Talbotia (Vellozia) elegans, "FALSE DRACAENA" - Uncommon, S. African, small-scale groundcover for shade w/ narrow, 6-in-long, pleated leaves, 3-ranked in rosettes & starry, white flowers w/ yellow stamens in spring & summer. [12/12]

Tradescantia 'Blushing Bride', "BLUSHING BRIDE SPIDERWORT" - Fast-growing, wide spreading, groundcover perennial w/ leaves green in warm weather & strikingly variegated white & pink in cool weather, growing two-ranked along stems; starry, pink flowers in summer. [12/12]

Veltheimia bracteata, "VELTHEIMIA" - Choice bulb for light shade w/ handsome, wavy-edged, shiny foliage & long-stemmed, spiky-like clusters of tubular, green-tipped pink flowers in late winter/early spring; can be kept dry in summer. [30] (H*F*)

HOUSE & PATIO PLANTS

Aglaonema, "CHENILLE PLANT" - Fast-growing, easy shrub for summer patio or houseplant; large, heart-shaped leaves & drooping, 5-in., crimson, chenille-like flower spikes through warm weather; pinch to promote bushiness. [15]

Adiantum raddianum 'Pacific Maid', "DELTA MAIDENHAIR" - Compact, ruffled selection of one of the best maidenhair ferns for house or patio; jet-black, wavy stems & bright green, fan-shaped leaflets that are overlapping & ruffled; provide extra humidity. [20] (F*)

Aglaoeoneuma 'Siam Aurora', "CHINESE EVERGREEN" - Spectacular, clump forming houseplant w/ long-stalked, tapered, green leaves that are handsomely flushed pink & red; cream-colored flowers are more interesting than attractive; dryish between waterings. [18]

Anthurium hybrids (assorted), "ANTHURIUM" - Handsome houseplant w/ heart-shaped, shiny, dark green leaves & exotic, long-lasting "flower" consisting of a heart-shaped, waxy spathe & protruding spadix, in assorted colors. [10] (F*)

Asparagus setaceus, "FERN ASPARAGUS" - Evergreen, twining plant w/ wavy, thorny stems & paper-flat sprays of dark green, thread-like "leaves" that form fern-like sprays; tiny white flowers & blue berries; long lasting in flower arrangements. [16] (F*)

Asplenium australis, "BIRD'S NEST FERN" - Distinctive true fern w/ vase-shaped rosette of broad, strap-shaped, apple-green fronds; indoors in coldest weather, shady patio in summer; provide extra humidity but don't overwater (= A. nidus Hort.). [6]

Barleria (Drysdeal), "BARLERIA" - Tropical, evergreen w/ shiny, deep-green leaves that are purplish beneath & trumpet shaped, purple flowers in summer. [4]

Begonia dregii, "BONSAY BEGONIA" - Shrubby begonia w/ thick, brown stems from a tuber-like base, small, maple-like, green leaves often w/ silver markings & clusters of white flowers w/ yellow centers in summer, good bonsai subject. [12]

Bromeliad - Aechmea 'Becky', "AMAZONIAN ZEBRA PLANT" - For patio in all but coldest weather; vase-like rosette of stiff, dark green & silver banded leaves w/ toothed edges; tubular yellow flowers born in long-lasting, bright red-bracted spikes. [16] (H*)

Bromeliad - Neoregelia 'Rio Red', "LIVING VASE" - Easy plant for patio in all but coldest weather or bright window indoors; vase-like rosette of stiff, deep red leaves hold water; tubular, violet flowers born partly submerged in "vase" in center of plant. [5]

Bromeliad - Vriesea 'Tiffany', "LIVING VASE" - Easy plant for patio in all but coldest weather; vase-like rosette of stiff, light green, tapered leaves; tubular yellow flowers born in flattened, long-lasting, red- & yellow-bracted spikes. [15]

Calathea concinna, "CALATHEA" - Handsome foliage plant w/ long-stalked, silvery green leaves feathered dark olive; white, orchid-like flowers w/ lemon fragrance, at leaf bases; likes humidity, wash foliage periodically. [12] (S*)

Chamaedorea elegans, "NEANTHE BELLA PALM" - Graceful, bamboo-like feather palm, too tender to plant out in most gardens but a fine container plant for patio or bright-light site in the house; one of the finest long-term houseplants. [16]

Cissus discolor, "REX BEGONIA VINE" - Dainty vine climbing by tendrils; leaves red below, iridescent dark green above & spectacularly marked w/ gray, silvery white & pink; needs high humidity. [5]

Davallia mariesii var. stenolepis, "SQUIRREL'S FOOT FERN" - Easy & handsome fern w/ very, finely divided fronds arising from furry, foot-like rhizomes; fine on patio in moss lined basket or in the garden in well-amended soil (aka. Davallia trichomanoides). [32]

Dichorisandra thyrsiflora, "BLUE GINGER" - Tropical, ginger-like plant w/ cane-like stems bearing broad, tapered leaves & topped with dense, conical spikes of unusual, blue-purple flowers over long spring to fall season; frost tender. [20]

Didymochlaena truncataula, "MAHOGANY FERN" - Choice, true fern w/ a short, upright trunk supporting a vase-shaped cluster of much-divided, long triangular fronds w/ dark green, shiny, rectangular leaflets; new fronds emerge a striking reddish brown. [16]

Dracaena deremensis 'Lemon & Lime', "LEMON-LIME DRACAENA" - Striking Dracaena w/ rosettes of tapered, strap-shaped, deep green leaves w/ thin white & creamy green stripes in the center & broad, chartreuse-green bands along the edges. [16]

Dracaena fragrans 'Sol', "SOL CORN-PLANT" - Slow growing houseplant w/ cane-like branches & foot-long, broad, strap-shaped, deep green leaves handsomely striped creamy yellow. [20]

Dracaena reflexa 'Variegata', "SONG OF INDIA" - Slow growing houseplant w/ cane-like branches & compact heads of short, recurved, strap-shaped leaves handsomely striped creamy yellow. [16]

Euphorbia lactea, "Cristata" graft, "CORAL-CACTUS" - Unusual, near leafless, succulent perennial forming a coral-like, fan-shaped stem that is heavily marbled white; flowers inconspicuous; grafted onto E. nerifolia (which may have leaves). [16]

Euphorbia lactea 'Rainbow Crest' graft, "CORAL-CACTUS" - Unusual, near leafless, succulent perennial forming a coral-like, fan-shaped stem that is heavily marbled white & blushed red; flowers inconspicuous; grafted onto E. nerifolia (which may have leaves). [16]

Eucalyptus deglupta, "MISTLETOE FIG" - Tropical shrub, grown as houseplant w/ distinctive, broadly spoon-shaped, bright green leaves & showy, pea-sized figs changing from yellow to orange to red. [6]

Eurya arantiaca, "Sarmentosa", "PURPLE VELVET PLANT" - Easy vining plant for patio in all but coldest weather; leaves covered in dark purple velvet, 1/2 in. flowers orange, ill smelling; give good light for rich foliage color. [6]

Hemionitis arifolia, "HEART FERN" - For terrarium or sheltered indoor
site; deep green, shiny, heart-shaped leaves w/ rounded tips grow on wiry, black stems; plantlets form where leaf blade attaches to stem; not for beginners. [16]

_Hypoestes 'Splash' mixed, "PINK POLKA -DOT PLANT"_ - Plant combo in 1 pot: especially showy selections of this striking & easy patio, house or summer shade plant; ovate leaves irregularly spotted & blotched bright pink, red or white; small, purple flowers. [16]

_Hypoestes 'Splash Pink', "PINK POLKA -DOT PLANT"_ - Especially showy selection of this striking & easy patio, house or summer shade plant; ovale leaves irregularly spotted & blotched bright pink; lilac flowers inconspicuous. [20]

_Ledebouria socialis, "SQUILL"_ - Pretty lily relative w/ clustered, purple, above-ground bulbs & handsome rosettes of succulent leaves, silvery green w/ dark green spots above, purple below, & spikes of small, light purple flowers. [30] (W*)

_Microsorum pustulatum, "KANGAROO FERN"_ - True fern w/ a creeping, green rhizome & long-stalked, dark green, dark-veined, lobed leaves; provide extra humidity. [7]

_Mitriostigma axillare, "AFRICAN GARDENIA"_ - Tender, S. African, slow-growing shrub w/ dark green, tapered, quilted leaves & clusters of long lasting, waxy white, deliciously fragrant flowers opening from pink buds in summer. [9] (S*)

_Nephrolepis cordifolia 'Jester's Crown', 'JESTER'S CROWN FERN"_ - Compact Boston fern relative especially "house & patio hardy"; tight clumps of ruffled, feather-shaped, bright green fronds to 1 ft. tall; multiplies by wiry runners. [8]

_Orchid - Epidendrum hybrids, "REED-STEMMED EPIDENDRUM"_ - Easy-to-grow, patio orchids; tall, reed-like stems lined w/ succulent leaves & topped by clusters of small, orchid flowers w/ fringed lips; bloom in warm weather; assorted colors; protect from frost. [10] (H*F*)

_Oxera pulchella, "ROYAL CREEPER"_ - Elegant, tropical, woody vine for patio or landscape in mildest Inland locations; dark green, leathery leaves & clusters of pendant, white, azalea-like flowers in winter. [9]

_Pachira aquatica (braided), "GUIANA CHESTNUT"_ - Tropical tree for patio in summer, houseplant during cold weather; grown "bonsai" style for its bottle-shaped trunk & elegant, hand-shaped leaves, these w/ several trunks braided together; flowers rare. [16]

_Pellaea falcata, "SICKLE FERN"_ - True fern for landscape or patio/houseplant; tight clumps of compound fronds w/ dark main stem lined with sickle-shaped, deep green leaflets; near dry between waterings. [16]

_Peperomia obtusifolia 'Variegata', "PEPEROMIA"_ - Easy houseplant w/ thick stems & succulent, oval, green leaves irregularly edged cream; slender spikes of tiny white flowers in late summer; dry between waterings. [16]

_Platicerium bifurcatum_ - Unusual, easy to grow true fern w/ spongy shield fronds attached to the media, fertile fronds protruding like antlers; best mounted on board or in basket on patio. [15]

_Plumeria 'Angus Gold', "PLUMERIA", "FRANGIPANI"_ - Heat-loving, thick-branched, deciduous shrub w/ long leaves tufted at branch tips & clusters of 2-in., funnel-shaped, yellow flowers shading to white over long summer season. [5] (B*)

_Plumeria (Blue Ribbon) 'Daisy Wilcox', "FRANGIPANI"_ - "Blue Ribbon" variety of this heat-loving, thick-branched shrub w/ long leaves tufted at branch tips & clusters of fragrant, extra large, funnel-shaped, flowers - pale pink w/ rose pink margins. [5] (B*S*)

_Plumeria (Blue Ribbon) 'Pink Ribbon', "PLUMERIA", "FRANGIPANI"_ - "Blue Ribbon" variety of this heat-loving, thick-branched shrub w/ long leaves tufted at branch tips & clusters of fragrant, pink flowers w/ orange centers. [5] (B*S*)

_Plumeria (Blue Ribbon) 'Smith's Candy Stripe', "FRANGIPANI"_ - "Blue Ribbon" variety of this heat-loving, thick-branched shrub w/ long leaves tufted at branch tips & clusters of fragrant, pink, magenta & gold flowers produced over a long summer season. [5] (B*S*)

_Plumeria 'Garrison's Pink', "FRANGIPANI"_ - Heat-loving, thick-branched, deciduous shrub w/ long leaves tufted at branch tips & clusters of fragrant, funnel-shaped, pink flowers over long summer season. [10] (B*S*)

_Plumeria 'Guillot's Sunset', "FRANGIPANI"_ - Heat-loving, thick-branched, deciduous shrub w/ long leaves tufted at branch tips & clusters of 3.5-in., funnel-shaped, yellow & red flowers over long summer season; especially spicy fragrance. [10] (B*S*)

_Plumeria 'Hawaiian Yellow', "FRANGIPANI"_ - Heat-loving, thick-branched, deciduous shrub w/ long leaves tufted at branch tips & clusters of fragrant, funnel-shaped, yellow flowers over long summer season. [15] (B*S*)

_Plumeria 'Sherman White', "FRANGIPANI"_ - Heat-loving, thick-branched, deciduous shrub w/ long leaves tufted at branch tips & clusters of fragrant, funnel-shaped, white flowers in summer; sweetly fragrant. [10] (B*S*)

_Plumeria (white with red), "FRANGIPANI"_ - Heat-loving, thick-branched, deciduous shrub w/ long leaves tufted at branch tips & clusters of 3.5-in., funnel-shaped, white & red, candystripe flowers over long summer season. [10] (B*S*)

_Polyscias scutellaria_ "Fabian", "DINNER-PLATE ARALIA" - Choice, slow-growing shrub for patio during warm weather or as houseplant; spotted, cane-like stems bear near round, dark green, leathery leaves w/ purplish undersides; water carefully. [16]

_Saintpaulia ionantha_ (assorted), "AFRICAN GARDENIA" - Most popular flowering houseplant forming dense rosettes of velvety, succulent, rounded leaves & clusters of flowers produced nearly year round - assorted colors in double & single petaled forms. [20]

_Selaginella kraussiana 'Aurea', "GOLDEN TRAILING SPIKE MOSS"_ - Club moss relative w/ slender, creeping or hanging stems lined neatly w/ tiny, gold-green leaves; grow inside, or on shady patio in summer; provide extra humidity. [16]

_Senecio macroclossus_ "Variegatus", "VARIEGATED WAX VINE" - Unusual house or patio vine w/ slender stems, waxy, ivy-shaped, marbled leaves & small, yellow daisy flowers in warm weather; dry between waterings. [6]

_Spathiphyllum hybrid, "PEACE PLANT"_ - Easy houseplant w/ dependable bloom; deep green pointed leaves & elegant, long-stalked flowers composed of a pure white, flag-like spathe & central white spadix. [20] (F*)

_Streptocarpella 'Concord Blue', "STREPTOCARPELLA"_ - Pretty African violet relative good for hanging containers; small, fuzzy, succulent leaves & funnel-shaped, lavender-blue flowers over long season; summer patio/houseplant except in frost free zones. [20] (H*)

_Tillandsia aeranthos, "AIR PLANT"_ - "Unusual "air plant" grows without soil; slender, arched, gray-green leaves eventually forming a ball & spikes of tubular, indigo flowers from rose red bracts in fall/winter; best outdoors (mounted). [10/10] (H*)
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**WATER & WATERSIDE PLANTS**

- **Acorus gramineus** 'Licorice', "LICORICE SWEET FLAG" - Handsome grasslike plant forming tight clumps of slender, dark green leaves; crushed leaves are licorice-scented & are used in Thai cooking & teas; useful for water feature margins & containers. (H*)
- **Acorus gramineus** 'Masamune', "VARIEGATED SWEET FLAG" - Handsome grasslike plant forming tight clumps of slender, cream-margined leaves; especially useful for water feature margins & containers. (H*)
- **Acorus gramineus** 'Pusillus', "DWARF SWEET FLAG" - Handsome grasslike plant forming dwarf, tufted clumps of slender, dark green foliage; especially useful for water feature margins & containers. (H*)
- **Acorus gramineus** 'Rubra', "AIR PLANT" - Dwarf form of this unusual "air plant" w/ pointed, silvery leaves arranged in a tight rosette that turns brilliant red in bloom; tubular, violet flowers in fall/winter; best outdoors. (H*)
- **Acousticus filiformis**, "YERBA MANSO" - Unusual Calif. native perennial for wet places, rapidly spreading by runners; bold, aromatic

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leaves & long stemmed, cone-like flower head w/ glistening white bracts. [16] (C*)

**Baumea rubiginosa 'Variegata', "BAUMEA"** - Perennial rush from New Zealand forming tight, upright clumps of slender, iris-like leaves that are green w/ vertical, creamy yellow stripes; good near water features. [13]

**Colocasia esculenta 'Fontanesii', "VIOLET STEMMED TARO"** - Elegant, tropical perennial w/ large, arrow-shaped sea-green leaves w/ purple edges born on waxy, deep purple stalks; can be grown in water. [11]

**Cyperus alternifolius 'Gracilis', "DWARF UMBRELLA PLANT"** - Small form of this easy & unusual perennial; clumps of green, three-sided, slender stalks topped by umbrella-like cluster of narrow, green bracts; good near water features or containers. [12] (F*)

**Iris pseudacoris, "YELLOW FLAG"** - Vigorous, rhizomatous perennial w/ sword-shaped foliage to 5 ft. topped w/ showy, yellow flowers in spring; good vertical accent near water feature. [28] (H*)

**Pontederia cordata, "PICKEREL WEED"** - Aquatic plant w/ long-stalked, heart-shaped leaves held well above the water & long stems topped w/ a compact spike of bright blue flowers. [13] (H*C*)

**Saururus cernuus, "LIZARD'S TAIL"** - Vigorous perennial for moist, part shade w/ heart-shaped, pleasantly aromatic leaves & dense, tail-like spikes of tiny, white, fragrant flowers in summer; best in containers - can be invasive. [12]

**Typha angustifolia, "NARROW-LEAVED CATTAIL"** - Aquatic plant w/ slender, upright, grass-like leaves to 6 ft. & long-stalked, rich-brown, cylindrical flower heads typical of cattails; grow in shallow water. [9] (C*F*)

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