Stonegate Gardens

Earth Song Rose

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Earth Song Rose Rosa 'Earth Song'

Height: 4 feet Spread: 4 feet Sunlight: O

Hardiness Zone: 4b Group/Class: Buck Rose

Description:

An exceptional shrub rose with an endless procession of deep pink flowers that emerge from ruby red buds, leathery foliage is quite disease resistant; all roses need full sun and well-drained soil



Earth Song Rose flowers
Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

Ornamental Features

Earth Song Rose is covered in stunning fragrant rose flowers at the ends of the branches from late spring to late summer, which emerge from distinctive ruby-red flower buds. The flowers are excellent for cutting. It has dark green deciduous foliage. The oval compound leaves turn yellow in fall. The fruits are showy orange hips displayed from mid to late fall.

Landscape Attributes

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

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

- Spiny

Earth Song Rose is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Mass Planting
- Hedges/Screening
- General Garden Use

Planting & Growing

Earth Song Rose will grow to be about 4 feet tall at maturity, with a spread of 4 feet. It tends to fill out right to the ground and therefore doesn't necessarily require facer plants in front. It grows at a fast rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 20 years.

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