







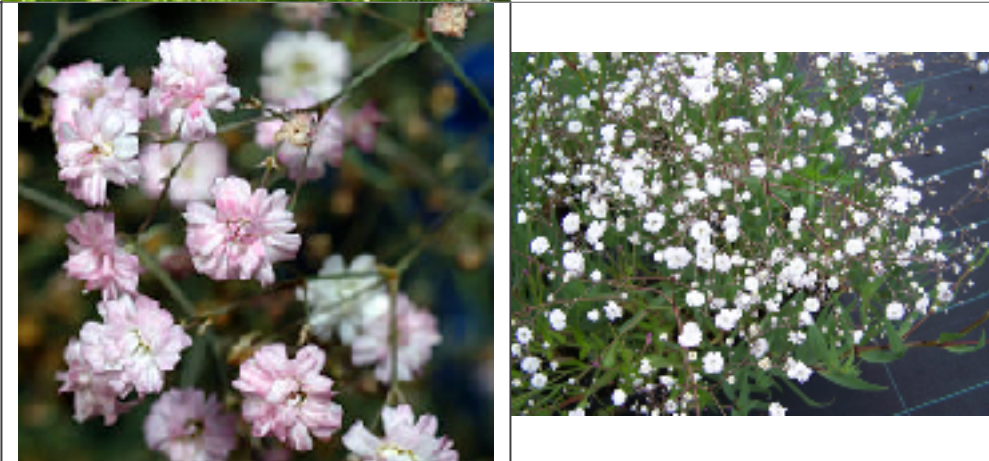






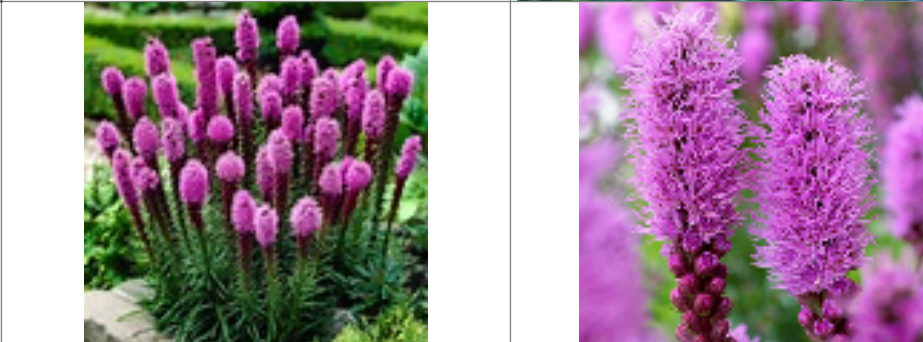




















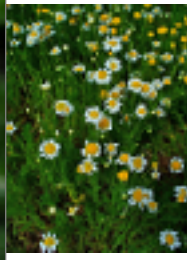


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Common Name	Latin Name	Photos	Color	Notes
Airplant	Tillandsia			In the family Bromeliaceae, native to the forests, mountains and deserts of northern Mexico and south-eastern United States, Mesoamerica and the Caribbean to mid Argentina. Most are epiphytes
Alstroemeria Peruvian lily Lily of the Incas	Alstroemeria		multi	South American native. Symbol of wealth, prosperity and fortune. Flower of friendship
Andromeda Fetterbushes	Pieris			Native to mountain regions of eastern and southern Asia, eastern North America and Cuba; broad-leaved evergreen shrubs with bell-shaped flowers in white or pink
Anthurium Flamingo flower	Anthurium		red pink	Native to the Americas (northern Mexico to northern Argentina) Symbol of hospitality, happiness, abundance
Astilbe False Goatsbeard False spirea	Astilbe		white pink rose	Native to mountain ravines and woodlands in Asia and North America.
Australian fern Rough tree fern	Cyathea australis		green	
Baby's Breath	Gypsophila			Symbol of innocence, purity of heart.
Bamboo	Bambusoideae			Members of the grass family



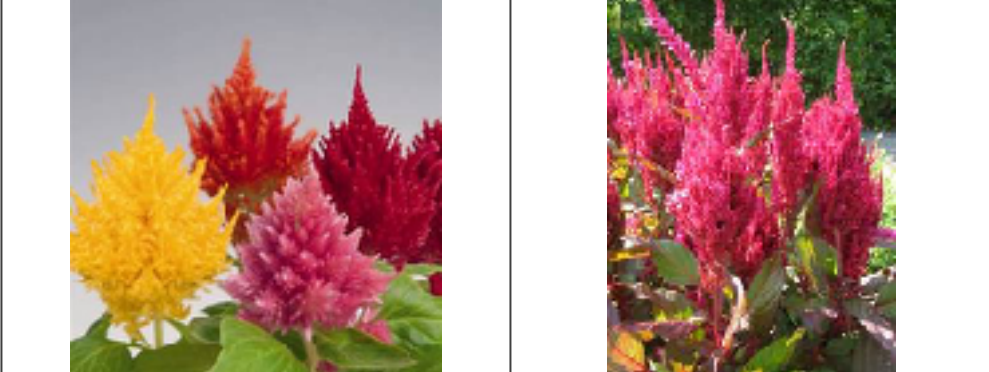




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Bear grass Soap grass Indian basket grass	Xerophyllum tenax			For centuries, Native Americans valued bear grass and used it sustainably for basketry and decoration, and ate the roasted roots.
Bells of Ireland	Moluccella laevis		green	Luck member of the mint family; native to Turkey, Syria and the Caucasus
Billy Balls Billy Buttons Woollyhead	Craspedia		yellow green white	Native to Australia and New Zealand In the daisy family
Bird of Paradise or Crane Flower	Strelitzia		multi	Symbol of magnificence, liberty, good perspective and anticipation of good things. Also faithfulness (if given by a man to a woman)
Blazing star Gayfeather	Liatris		deep pink or magenta	Food plants for larvae of some Lepidoptera species
Blue throatwort	Trachelium caeruleum		blue purple white	
Blueberry viburnum Arrowwood viburnum	Viburnum dentatum		blue berry; white blossom	Native to eastern North America Native Americans reportedly used the straight stems of this species for arrow shafts, hence the common name.
Bottlebrush	Callistemon		red	Native to Australia, Tasmania

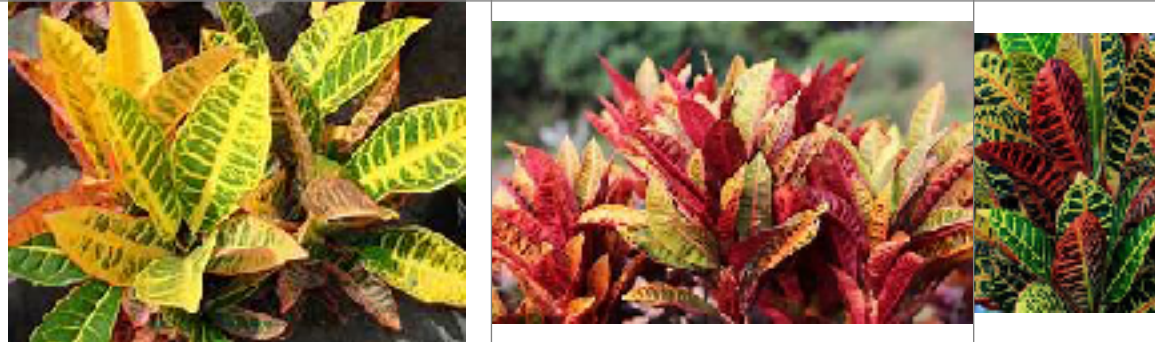


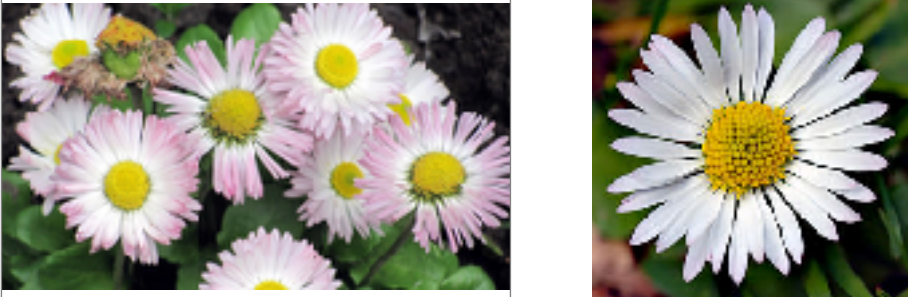

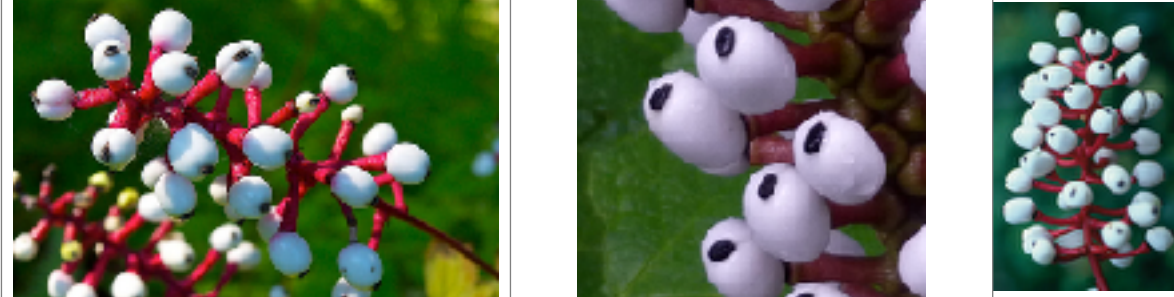
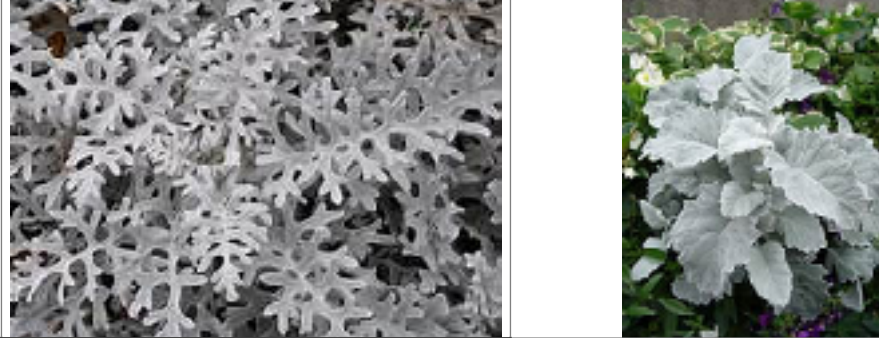
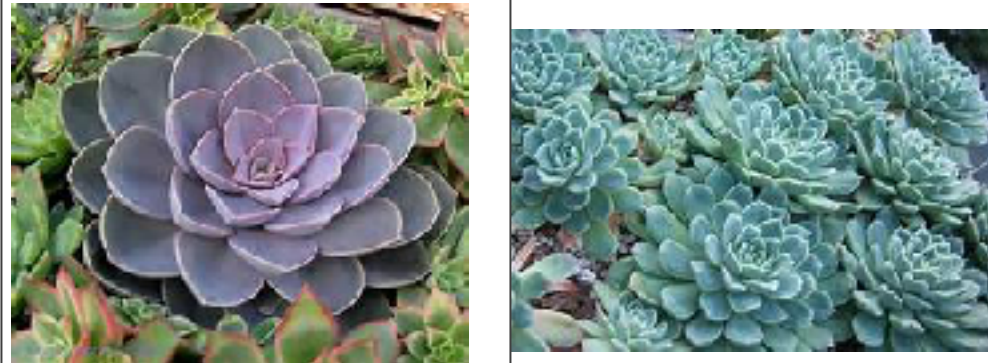
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Bromeliads	Bromeliaceae	  	multi	Native to tropical Americas
Brunia	Brunia albiflora	 	white	Native to South Africa 
Butterfly ranunculus		 		Each petal features a tiny layer of wax that gives them the sparkle of fluttering butterfly wings as well as a longer shelf life.
Calendula (sometimes called marigold)	Calendula	 	yellow	Native to southwestern Asia, western Europe, Macaronesia, and the Mediterranean Culinary and medicinal herb
Calla Lily Arum lily	Zantedeschia	 	multi	Native to southern Africa Symbolizes magnificence and beauty. White color adds purity and innocence.
Camomile or Chamomile	Chamaemelum nobile	  		Daisy-like plants of the family Asteraceae. Chamomile tea is an herbal infusion made from dried chamomile flowers and hot water.
Cardoon Artichoke thistle Globe artichoke	Cynara cardunculus	 	purple and lavender	Native to the western and central Mediterranean region; domesticated in ancient times. Edible thistle in the sunflower family

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Common Name	Latin Name	Photos	Color	Notes
Carnation	Dianthus caryophyllus		multi	Symbols = pride and beauty. Red = love, pride and admiration, my heart aches pink = love of a woman or mother purple = capriciousness yellow = disdain, rejection or disappointment white = innocence and pure love striped = refusal
Cast iron plant	Aspidistra		green leaves	Native to eastern and southeastern Asia
Celosia Feather celosia	Celosia argentea		multi	Edible
Chrysanthemum or Mum	Chrysanthemum		multi	Cultivated in China, 15th c. BC. Imperial Seal of Japan is a chrysanthemum; monarchy called the Chrysanthemum Throne. Symbolizes fidelity, optimism, joy and long life, cheerfulness Red = love Yellow = precious one or slighted love White = truth and loyal love
Coneflower	Echinacea		multi	Native to eastern and central North America
Cornflower Bachelor Button	Centaurea cyanus		blue, multi	Native to Europe; often grew as a weed in cornfields, hence the name. Worn by young men in love. If the flower faded too quickly, it was taken as a sign that the man's love was not returned.
Coxcomb	Celosia		multi	





















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Croton leaves	Croton			
Curly willow also Corkscrew willow, Dragon's claw, Peking willow or Hankow willow	Salix matsudana "Tortuosa"			
Dahlia	Dahlia			Native to and national flower of Mexico Red = Betrayal and dishonesty Other colors = Elegance and dignity
Daisy Common daisy, Lawn daisy or English daisy	Bellis perennis			Native to western, central and northern Europe Symbols = innocence and gentleness
Delphinium Larkspur	Delphinium		multi	Native throughout northern hemisphere Symbols = big-heartedness, fun, lightness and levity; also ardent attachment
Doll's Eyes	Actaea pachypoda			
Dusty miller	Senecio cineraria		silvery green	Felted, silver-gray leaves
Echeveria 'Perle von Nurnberg'	Echeveria		multi	














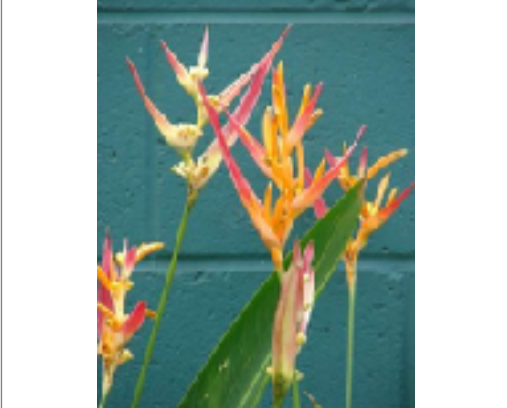





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Eucalyptus gunnii	Eucalyptus gunnii				
Eucalyptus pods	Eucalyptus				
Fern: Lace	Palapalai		green leaves	Symbol = the secret bond of love	
Fern: fiddlehead					Symbol = the secret bond of love
Fern: Ming	Asparagus macowanii				Symbol = secret bond of love
Fern: Monkey tail					Symbol = secret bond of love
Flax (New Zealand)	Phormium			multi	
Flowering Quince Japanese Quince	Chaenomeles			red pink orange white	Native to Japan, Korea, China, Bhutan, and Burma
Fountain Grass	Pennisetum			pink	





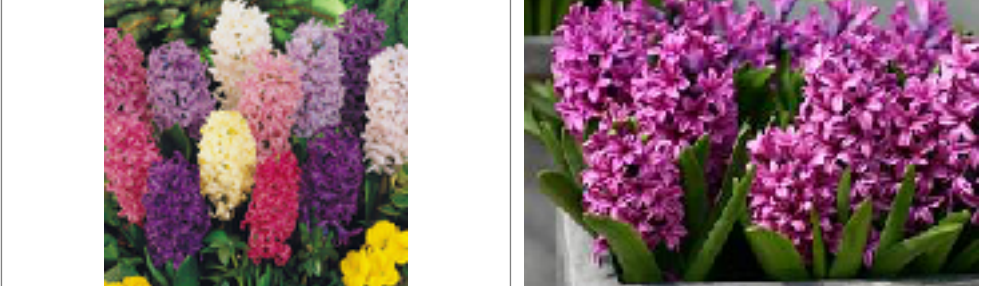






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Common Name	Latin Name	Photos		Color	Notes
<p>Foxtail lily</p> <p>Desert candle</p>	<p>Eremurus</p> <p>(er-e-MEW-rus)</p>				<p>Native to eastern Europe (Russia + Ukraine) and temperate Asia from Turkey and Siberia to China.</p>
<p>Fresia</p>	<p>Fresia</p>				<p>Native to the eastern side of southern Africa</p> <p>Symbol = innocence and thoughtfulness</p>
<p>Fritillaria</p> <p>Persian lily</p>	<p>Fritillaria persica</p>				<p>Native to temperate regions of the northern hemisphere. Flowers are usually solitary, nodding and bell-shaped with bulbs that have fleshy scales.</p>
<p>Gardenia</p>	<p>Gardenia jasminoides</p>			<p>white</p>	<p>Native to the sub- and tropical parts of Africa, Asia, Madagascar and Pacific Islands</p> <p>Symbol = secret love, joy, sweet love, good luck Also purity, sweetness</p>
<p>Gerbera daisy</p> <p>Transvaal daisy</p>	<p>Gerbera jamesonii</p>			<p>yellow, orange, white, pink or red</p>	<p>Native to tropical regions of South America, Africa and Asia</p> <p>Symbol = cheerfulness</p>
<p>Ginger</p>	<p>Zingiber officinale</p>			<p>red</p>	<p>Native to tropical rainforests from the Indian subcontinent to Southern Asia</p> <p>Arrived in Europe during the spice trade</p>
<p>Ginger, Beehive</p>	<p>Zingiber spectabilis</p>			<p>red yellow</p>	
<p>Ginger: rattlesnake</p>					









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Gladiolus Sword lily	Gladiolus	 	multi	Symbols = strength of character, honor, conviction, faithfulness and remembrance
Globe Amaranth	Gomphrena globosa	 	multi	Symbol = immortal love
Goldenrod	Solidago	 	yellow	Native to North America, including Mexico Symbols = encouragement, good fortune
Grape hyacinth	Muscari	  		Native to Eurasia that produce spikes of dense, most commonly blue, urn-shaped flowers resembling bunches of grapes in the spring.
Green trick	Dianthus barbatus	 	green	
Heather	Caluna vulgaris	 		Iconic of Scotland Symbols purple = solitude, beauty, admiration white = protection, wishes will come true
Heliconia psittacorum leaf	Heliconia psittacorum	  		
Helleborus Lenten rose Christmas rose winter rose	Helleborus	  		





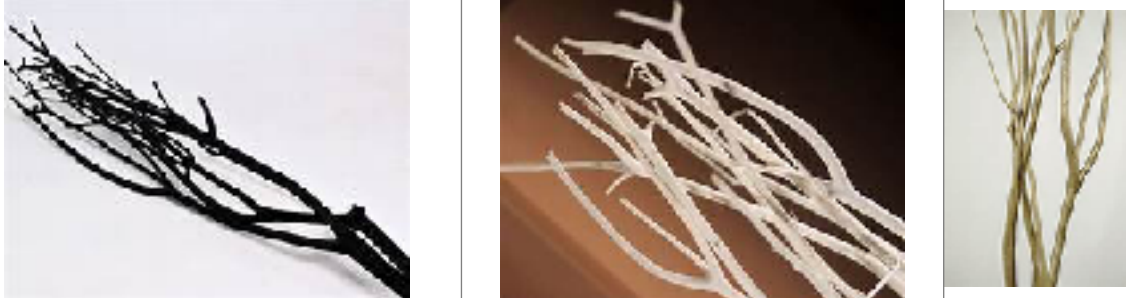



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Horsehair plant also horsetail, snake grass, puzzlegrass	Equisetum			
Huck Garden huckleberry Wonderberry	Solanum melanocerasum			Not related to true huckleberries, woody plants in the heath family. Instead, it is an herbaceous annual in the nightshade family, related to tomatoes, peppers, tobacco, eggplant and potato. Toxic if eaten unripe.
Hyacinth	Hyacinthus			Hyacinths are often associated with spring and rebirth.
Hydrangea	Hydrangea		white blue red pink light purple dark purple	Native to southern and eastern Asia Symbols = Heartlessness, frigidity or Heartfelt gratitude for being understood
Iris	Iris		multi	Native to Turkey Symbols = Good news, a message; eloquence Purple = wisdom and compliments Blue = faith and hope Yellow = passion White = purity
Kale	Brassica			
Kangaroo paws	Anigozanthos		red pink yellow coral	Native to the southwest section of of Western Australia
Kiwi vines	Actinidia arguta		varie-gated	Native to Japan, Korea, Northern China, and Russian Siberia Produces a small fruit resembling the kiwifruit



















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Leucodendrum	Leucodendrum			Native to South Africa; belongs to the protea family
Leucospermum Pincushion flower	Leucospermum			Related to the Protea family
Licorice Plant	Helichrysum			
Lily	Lilium		multi	Native to the temperate northern hemisphere Symbols = purity and refined beauty Easter lily: Virgin Mary White = modesty, purity, virginity, Orange = desire, passion or hatred Scarlet: high-souled aspirations Yellow = gaiety
Lily of the Nile	Agapanthus			Not lilies; all of the species are native to Southern Africa
Lisianthus or Prairie gentian	Eustoma grandiflorum			Native to American prairies
Loebster claw Heliconia	Heliconia rostrata			Native to the tropical Americas, but a few are indigenous to certain islands of the western Pacific and Maluku
Lotus pod				

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Love-lies-bleeding	<i>Amaranthus caudatus</i>		red	Native to the American tropics Symbols = hopeless love or hopelessness also immortality
Lucky bamboo Sander's dracaena, Ribbon dracaena Curly bamboo, Chinese water bamboo, Friendship bamboo	<i>Dracaena sanderiana</i>			Resilient member of the lily family that grows in the tropical rainforests of Southeast Asia and Africa "Lucky bamboo" has long been associated with the Eastern practice of <i>feng shui</i> .
Magnolia leaves	<i>Magnolia</i>			<i>Magnolia</i> is an ancient genus. Appearing before bees did, the flowers are theorized to have evolved to encourage pollination by beetles.
Marigold	<i>Tagetes</i>			Native to North and South America
Mitsumata branch	<i>Edgeworthia chrysantha</i>			The bark fibres of this plants are used for making the handmade Japanese tissue called "mitsumata paper". Along with <i>kōzo</i> and <i>gampi</i> , it is used for making traditional Japanese paper (<i>washi</i>).
Monstera	<i>Monstera deliciosa</i>			
Mugwort Wormwood	<i>Artemisia</i>			Name from the Greek goddess Artemis (Roman Diana). Could refer to Artemisia II of Caria, a botanist and medical researcher who died in 350 BC.
Narcissus: Daffodil	<i>Narcissus</i>		white yellow	Name often linked to a Greek word for intoxicated (narcotic) and the myth of the youth of that name who fell in love with his own reflection




















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Narcissus: Jonquil	Narcissus jonquil			white yellow	Native to Spain and Portugal Symbol = return my affection
Ninebark	Physocarpus opulifolius			white pink	
Nutmeg geranium	Pelargonium fragrans				
Orchid: Oncidium Dancing-lady or Golden shower	Oncidium				
Orchid: cymbidium Boat orchid	Cymbidium			multi	Native to subtropical Asia and Australia Symbols = exotic beauty refinement, thoughtfulness and mature charm
Orchid: dendrobium	Dendrobium			multi	
Orchid: mokara	Mokara			multi	
Orchid: Phalaeonopsis or Moth	Phalaeonopsis			multi	

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Orchid: Vanda			multi	Many <i>Vanda</i> orchids (especially <i>V. coerulea</i>) are endangered
Ornamental onion	Allium Millenium		purple red	Known in Greek mythology as Moly, a magic herb.
Palmetto Saw palmetto	Serenoa repens		green	
Papyrus	Cyperus papyrus		green	Native to Africa
Peony	Paeonia		deep red to pink to rose to white	Symbols China = prosperity, honor Japan = masculinity, bravery Also, shame, bashfulness, compassion Happy life, happy marriage, good health, prosperity Negative: anger
Philadendron: xanadu	Philadendron		green leaves	
Pincushion protea see Leucomspermun	Leucomspermun		pink, orange yellow	
Podocarpus	Podocarpus		green leaves	










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Poppy	Papaver		 	The poppy of wartime remembrance is <i>Papaver rhoeas</i> , the red-flowered corn poppy. Symbol of sleep, peace, and death: Sleep because the opium extracted is a sedative, and death because of the common blood-red color of the red poppy. In Greek and Roman myths, poppies were used as offerings to the dead.
Poppy pods		 		
Protea: King also Giant, honeypot or King sugarbush	Protea cynaroides	 		National flower of South Africa; Name from the Greek god Proteus, a deity that was able to change between many forms Symbols = courage, change and transformation; daring and resourcefulness; diversity
Protea: Queen	Protea	 		
Queen Anne's Lace	Daucus carota	 	white 	Symbols = haven or sanctuary, also complexity and delicateness
Queen Anne's Lace, Chocolate	Daucus carota	 		
Ranunculus Buttercup	Ranunculus acaulis	 	yellow	
Ranunculus Persian buttercup	Ranunculus asiaticus	 	multi	Native to southern Europe and southwestern Asia

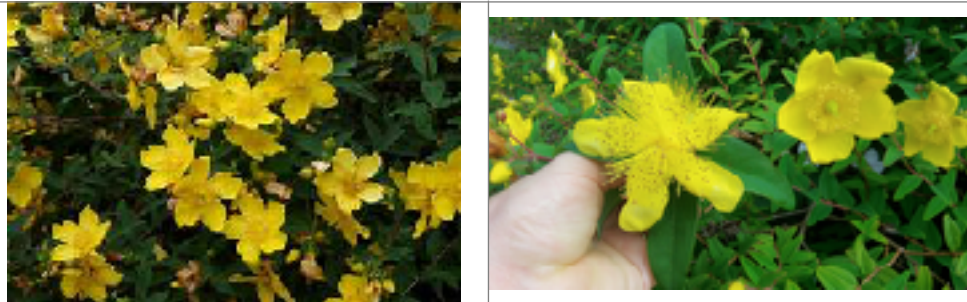







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Rhododendron	Rhododendron		multi	Azaleas make up two subgenera of <i>Rhododendron</i> . They are distinguished from "true" rhododendrons by having only five anthers per flower Symbol = Danger
Rose	Rosa		multi	For color symbolism see https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Plant_symbolism Henri Fantin-Latour was a prolific painter of still life, particularly flowers including roses. The rose 'Fantin-Latour' was named after the artist.
Rosularia chrysantha	Rosularia chrysantha			
Rubber plant leaf Rubber fig	Ficus elastica		green	Native to east India, Nepal, Bhutan, Burma, China (Yunnan), Malaysia, and Indonesia
Ruscus	Ruscus		green leaves	
Scabiosa Pincushion flower	Scabiosa			
Scabiosa pod	Scabiosa			
Scotch broom	Cytisus scoparius		yellow	Symbol = Humility Theory; Name of the Plantagenet House, rulers of England in the Middle Ages, may have been from common broom, known as "planta genista" in Latin.

















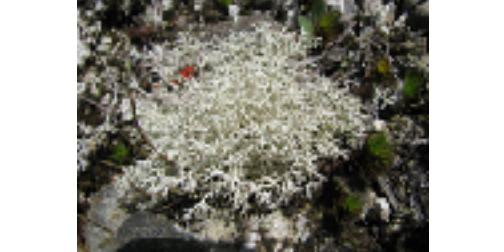


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Common Name	Latin Name	Photos	Color	Notes
Sea holly Amethyst sea holly	Eryngium			
Sea-lavender Statice Caspia or Marsh-rosemary	Limonium			
Serviceberry	Amelanchier			
Silver bells	Eucalyptus pods			
Silver Dollar Eucalyptus	Eucalyptus		silver green	
Snapdragon	Angelonia		multi	Symbols Positive = Inspiration, graciousness and strength Negative = deception, presumption
Snowberry	Symphoricarpos		white berry	
Solidaster	Solidaster			An unusual hybrid between Aster and Goldenrod, a commercial cut flower. Plants form a bushy mound of green leaves, bearing airy sprays of tiny creamy-yellow daisies for weeks on end.






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Common Name	Latin Name	Photos	Color	Notes
St. John's Wort	Hypericum		yellow	
St. John's wort berries	Hypericum		red	
Star of Bethlehem	Ornithogalum		white	Native to southern Europe and southern Africa Symbols = Atonement, reconciliation
Statice Sea-lavender Static Caspia Marsh-rosemary	Limonium			
Steel grass	Xanthorrhoea johnsonii			
Stock or Brompton stock	Matthiola incana		white, pink, red, cream, peach, yellow, lilac or purple; single or double	Native to the Mediterranean Sweet and spicy clove fragrance Symbols = Lasting beauty, happy life, bonds of affection, promptness
Sweet William	Dianthus barbatus			
Sweetpea	Lathyrus odoratus		multi	Native to Sicily, Cyprus, southern Italy and the Aegean Islands Symbols = Gratitude, pleasure, bliss

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Thistle: blue globe	Echinops banaticus				
Thistle: Jack pot	Eryngium				Symbols = Nobility, Warning
Ti leaves	Cordyline fruticosa			multi	
Tuberose	Polianthes tuberosa			white	Related to the agaves, a night-blooming plant native to Mexico
Tulip	Tulipa			multi	Symbols = declaration of love; fame; perfect love Red: undying love Purple: forever love Yellow: hopeless love
Umbrella fern	Sticherus cunninghamii				New Zealand
Wax flowers	Chamelaucium			white pink	Native to western Australia
White reindeer moss					

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White rice flower				
Willow, Fantail	Salix udensis 'Sekka'			Native to Japan and far eastern Russia
Yarrow Allheal and Bloodwort	Achillea			Symbol = Everlasting love Named after the Greek mythological Achilles. According to legend, Achilles' soldiers used yarrow to treat their wounds