

Every gardener can make beautiful floral arrangements with practice. Flowers and foliage can add atmosphere inside the home as well as in the garden. The best time to cut flowers and foliage is in the early morning. Immediately put the stems into tepid water for an hour or more. Use Floralife® fresh flower food in the water when arranging. The following plants make excellent choices for beautiful arrangements.



PERENNIALS

BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME
Achillea	Yarrow	Gaillardia	Blanket Flower
Aconitum	Monkshood	Geum	Avens
Alchemilla	Lady's Mantle	Gypsophila	Baby's Breath
Allium	Ornamental Onion	Heliopsis	Orange Sunflower
Anemone	Windflower	Hemerocallis	Daylily
Armeria	Sea Thrift	Heuchera	Coral Bells
Artemesia	Wormwood	Hosta	Plantain
Asclepias	Butterfly Weed	Kniphofia	Red Hot Poker
Aster	New York Aster	Lavandula	Lavender
Astilbe	False Goats Beard	Liatris	Gayfeather
Baptisia	Wild Indigo	Lilium	Lily
Boltonia	False Chamomile	Limonium	Statice
Buddleia	Butterfly Bush	Linaria	Toad Flax
Canna	Canna Lily	Lythrum	Purple Loosestrife
Caryopteris	Bluebeard	Monarda	Bee Balm
Centaurea	Bachelor Button	Penstemon	Bearded Tongue
Chelone	Pink Turtleheads	Paeonia	Peony
Chrysanthemum	Hardy Mum	Perovskia	Russian Sage
Cimicifuga	Bugbane	Phlox	Garden Phlox
Convallaria	Lily-of-the-Valley	Physostegia	Obedient Plant
Coreopsis	Tickseed	Rudbeckia	Black-Eyed-Susan
Crocsmia	Montbretia	Salvia	Salvia
Dianthus	Carnation	Santolina	Lavender Cotton
Digitalis	Foxglove	Senecio	Ragwort
Doronicum	Leopard's Bane	Scabiosa	Pin Cushion Flower
Echinacea	Cone Flower	Solidago	Goldenrod
Echinops	Globe Thistle	Stokesia	Stoke's Aster
Eryngium	Sea Holly	Tiarella	Foam Flower
Eupatorium	Mist Flower	Veronica	Speedwell

SHRUBS

Abelia (flowers & foliage)	Kerria (flowers & branches)
Aucuba (foliage)	Laurel (flowers & foliage)
Azalea (flowers)	Leucothoe (flowers & foliage)
Buddleia (flowers)	Lilac (flowers)
Clematis (flowers)	Nandina (berries & foliage)
Clethra (flowers)	Spirea (flowers & foliage)
Euonymus (foliage)	Viburnum (flowers & foliage)
Harry Lauders Walking stick (branches)	
Forsythia (flowers)	
Hydrangea (fresh & dried flowers)	

TREES

All small, flowering trees provide beautiful material for arrangements. Also consider the foliage, flowers or seedpods of trees such as holly, magnolia and Japanese maple.

FLOWERING BULBS

Use the beautiful blooms from all flowering bulbs to bring spring and summer inside! The season is fleeting! Bringing the blooms indoors extends your enjoyment of these flowers.

ORNAMENTAL GRASSES

Use any and all ornamental grasses to add airiness and texture to your arrangements.

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