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2016 Roses in Review - Comments by Variety

Variety	Class	Likes	Dislikes
Abigail Elise	MinFl	Good exhibition form, good color, healthy, vigorous, open bloom lasts long in garden or vase.	Exhibition bloom does not last long.
Above All	LCl	Great color, clean plant, good bloomer.	Slow to climb.
Anna's Promise	Gr	Good color and form, disease resistant, lots of blooms, nice dark green foliage.	Slow and wimpy plant on own roots, blooms blow open quickly.
Astounding Glory	HT	Color is great, bloom lasts well on the bush, relatively disease resistant.	
Babies Blush	HT	Good colorful striping, outstanding fragrance, exhibition form or not, clean plant.	
Baldo Villegas	MinFl	Great exhibition form, beautiful red and white coloring, lots of flowers, nicely shaped plant.	Not disease resistant - most (but not all) report mildew.
Barbara Austin	S	Strong grower, delicate beauty and pink color; strong fragrance, disease resistant.	Stingy bloomer.
Beautiful Anne	MinFl	Produces great sprays, like the unusual color - russet.	
Beautiful Dreamer	HT	Beautiful blooms.	Slow to establish, stingy bloomer, somewhat short.
Best Kept Secret	HT	Nice color, good solid performer for garden and exhibition.	
Bill Reid	S	Reblooms often, bright cherry color with yellow center, disease resistant, fragrant.	Blooms short lived.
Black Forest Rose	F		
Bohemian Rhapsody	S	Hardy plant, strong fragrance.	Not a lot of blooms.
Boscobel	S	Beautiful coral/pink color, full flower form, fragrant, bushy, clean foliage.	Short plant, not a lot of blooms, color fades.
Brenna Bosch	Min		
Bull's Eye	S	This is one of the best Hulthemia hybrids, nice foliage, good bloomer, clean plant.	Bloom color fades, slow to grow.
Candia Meillandecor (Cherry Pie)	S	Starts blooming later than most of the roses, but once started, never quits, no signs of disease, nice red color.	
Candy Spelling	F		
Caribbean Breeze	F	Sweet pretty rose, lovely ruffled petals & soft colors, fast rebloom, mostly 1 bloom/stem, no blackspot.	Does not last.
Classy Lady	HT		
Cloud 10	LCl		
Clouds of Glory	HT	Big, full blooms.	

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Coretta Scott King	Gr	Beautiful color, good fragrance, disease resistance, nice dark leaves, easy to grow, good garden rose.	Slow grower, blooms fade and burn in heat, thorny.
Crush on You	F		
Crystal Palace	MinFl		Stingy bloomer, blooms take long to open, good exhibition blooms when you need them are hard to get.
Dad's Day (Oh My!)	F	Love the color, blooms constantly.	Blooms scorched by the summer sun.
Daddy Frank	Min	Excellent form and color, dark red exhibition blooms, repeats quickly.	Opens fast, no vigor.
Dark Desire (see Gräfin Diana)	HT	Throws out long canes with blooms, clean foliage.	Heat makes the blooms very small.
Dark Night (see Garden Director Bartje Miller)	HT	Great unique color, color vibrant when fully open, cool weather rose.	Blooms burn in summer, gets every disease, blooms do not last, does not last in vase.
David's Love	HT		
Dee-Lish (Line Renaud)	HT	Strong fragrance, pretty bloom form, disease resistant.	Not a show rose, not many blooms, blooms don't last.
Dona Martin	HT	Great exhibition form, relatively disease resistant, beautiful delicate color (light pink/lavender), glossy leaves.	
Doris Day	F	Great yellow color, disease resistant, holds color well in heat, flowers a lot, fragrant, quick rebloom.	Short stems.
Dr Gary Rankin	Min	Vivid orange-red coloring, good exhibition form.	
Dr Tommy Cairns	Min	Great dark pink color, lots of blooms, fragrant, exhibition form.	Blooms don't last, prone to fungal disease.
Eddie Edwards	HT	Spring blooms large, some with good centers.	Summer blooms washed out, oversized foliage.
Eternity	MinFl	Great color, exhibition potential.	Gets fungal diseases.
Eureka (Gold Struck)	HT	Great color and form, does well in the heat, grows beautiful sprays, blooms throughout the season.	
Eyeconic Lychee Lemonade	S	Very hardy except in heat.	Not vigorous in the heat, small plant.
Eyeconic Melon Lemonade	F	Attractive color combination, drought tolerant.	Small flowers fade to unattractive color, short stems, stingy bloomer
Eyeconic Pomegranate Lemonade	S	Unusual bloom color.	A very, very short shrub, should be classed as a miniature, plant only 6 inches high.
Eyes on Me	S	Pretty color combination on 'single' bloom, sweet	Short stems.

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(Raspberry Kiss)		fragrance, healthy foliage.	
Family Holiday	MinFl	Beautiful bloom, exhibition potential, good color - yellow	Stingy bloomer.
		fading to white, good form, healthy plant.	
Fighting Temeraire	S	Like the color, plant grows well, hardy, good garden rose.	Semi-double blooms last only 1-2 days.
Fired Up	F	Stunning color, striped petals, blooms in flushes.	Strange mildew-like puckering of leaves, stingy bloomer.
Flamingo Dancer	LCl	Able to climb up in the Juniper tree.	Not acting like a climber.
Garden Director	HT	Different color combo - dark red and gold,	
Bartje Miller		clean, hearty plant, cuts well, good semi-double bloom.	Blooms burn quickly, small blooms.
Ginny	Min		
Gold Struck	HT		Plant not flourishing.
(see Eureka)			
Good as Gold	HT	Nice (stunning) color, scent, and dark green foliage,	Not exhibition form.
		easy to grow.	
Happy Go Lucky	Gr	Always in bloom, great garden rose, lovely yellow color.	Not exhibition, blooms blow quickly.
Heathcliff	S	This is a great rose for the fragrance garden.	
Hello Gorgeous!	Min		Not living up to photos; maybe best in So. California?
Hello Sunshine!	MinFl	Good rose for this category.	
Heroes Rose	F		Stingy bloomer, just 1-2 blooms per bush, slow rebloom
High Hopes	LCl	Very tall arbor rose, will scent the entire garden when in	
		bloom, beautiful pinky peach color like the inside of a	
		shell, disease resistant, hardy.	
Hypnotized	HT	Beautiful color combination - red/dark pink stripes on	
		pink/cream background, very bright/flashy, exhibition.	
Icecap	S	Lots of white blooms, blooms in flushes, very easy to	
		grow, good for borders.	
Intimidator	Min	Good color, exhibition form.	Shrinks in summer heat, gets some diseases.
Jacqueline Powers	HT	Nice red exhibition form blooms on a clean plant.	
Jewel Grace	HT	Beautiful coloration and exhibition flower form.	
Jolene Adams	MinFl	Beautiful red/white coloration, fast repeat, good bloomer,	Can have exhibition form, but it doesn't last long,
		good open bloom, clean foliage.	took a while to establish, weak plant, vigorous for some
			and not for others, good bloomer for some and not
			for others, too big for a miniflora.
Jump for Joy	F	Stunning spring color, great floribunda rose in my garden,	Blooms fade.
		always in bloom, very showy in garden.	

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Kew Gardens	S	Quite vigorous, healthy, and hardy; very OGR-like; single	
		white blooms with yellow stamens are lovely in sprays on	
		the show table, wonderful hips, similar to Newport Fairy	
		without the horrible thorns and rambling habit.	
King of the Road	MinFl	Love it in my garden since it was a seedling, petals lined	Stems covered with numerous short prickles, this rose
		with red with base a light yellow coloration.	is similar to Shameless and Baldo Villegas.
Lady Sadie	F	Good color.	
Lady Salisbury	S	Color varies with our temps, gorgeous in the garden.	White, not pink, scrawny, rangy, twiggy, small blooms.
		"rosey" scent.	
Last Dance	Min		
Line Renaud see	HT	A large beautiful rose in small clusters.	
Dee-Lish			
Look-A-Likes	Pol	Not an exhibition rose, more of a specialty rose.	
Hydrangealicious			
Look-A-Likes	Pol	A beautiful single petaled rose, fast repeat, nice sprays,	
Phloxy Baby		gobs of OGR-like blooms in lovely pinks, disease free.	
Love Song	F	Gorgeous sprays of large lovely soft lavender ruffled.	
		blooms clustered tightly, fragrant, lasts as a cut flower,	
		disease free, easy to grow, love it.	
Magnificence	HT		
Maid of Honor	LCl	A beautiful full orange pink exhibition rose.	
Manuel Cuevas	MinFl		It blooms so rarely that I never notice the plant.
Margaret Mae	LCl	Nice blooms, clean foliage.	Lots of blind shoots in the fall.
Mel's Heritage	HWich	Grows well and climbs, very healthy and clean, flowers	
		very nice; fragrant, decide how much or tall you want it.	
Mercury Rising	HT	Blooms have exhibition potential; vigorous plant.	Looks like Gemini, but not as nice, blooms are nothing
			special and don't last, short stems.
Miss Mable	MinFl	Beautiful lavender-pink exhibition blooms on a sturdy,	
		bushy plant.	
Neil Diamond	HT	Striking striped color, big exhibition blooms, great	Slow to establish, blooms and leaves burn.
		fragrance, cuts well, disease resistant, exhibits well.	
Not First Choice	MinFl	Dozens of blooms, plant is 4 ft high by 4 ft wide.	No difference between this rose and First Choice or
			Mikaila Danielle.
Novalis (Posiedon)	F	Very vigorous, disease free, long stems, great color.	

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Oh My!	F	Beautiful bright red blooms w/yellow stamens, good substance, blooms last long on bush & do not burn, healthy, vigorous.	Slow to repeat.
Olivia Rose	Min	Excellent exhibition potential, profuse bloomer in nice clusters, beautiful shade of lavender/mauve, repeats well.	Prone to fungal diseases
Orchid Romance	F	Beautiful bloom with orchid color, fragrant, easy to grow, healthy plant, OGR type form.	Doesn't last when cut, stingy bloomer.
Pacific Celebration	HT	Good exhibition form blooms in a nice color combo.	Slow to establish.
Peppermint Kisses	Min		Not a good rose for my area - needs warmer/dryer area
Petite Princess	MinFl		Burns in afternoon sun.
Pink Flamenco	Min	Vibrant pink color, quick repeat bloom, profuse blooms, beautiful open blooms.	Needs full sun to do well, too large for a mini.
Popcorn Drift	S	Lots of pale yellow turning to white blooms, clean plant.	Not an exhibition rose.
Pretty in Pink Eden see	LCl		Slow to climb.
Princess Katelyn	MinFl	Great exhibition rose with tremendous potential.	Prone to fungal diseases.
Sandy's Pick	MinFl	Great exhibition form, large blooms.	Stingy bloomer, short stems, prone to fungal diseases.
Savannah	HT	Pretty blooms similar to an Austin, very disease resistant.	Weak stems so far, stingy bloomer.
School Spirit	F	Attractive striped rose, hardy, healthy, photographs well.	Slow to grow, good in garden and maybe in exhibition.
Shug	HT		Very disapointing pink HT, will remove it.
Silver Cream	HT	Good color on a clean plant, blooms are more ovoid.	Not exhibition on my new plant.
South Africa	Gr	Deep golden yellow color, one of the best grandifloras in the market, lots of blooms, color holds in heat, clean shiny foliage.	Grows more like a floribunda - more spreading and low growing.
Souv. de Baden-Baden	HT	Love the crenated petal edges, very fragrant, no disease, looks fantastic in arrangements, loves our heat.	
Summer Nights	HT	Beautiful colors in the blooms.	
Summer Romance	F	Beautiful form, disease resistance, looks good in a bouquet with Austin roses.	
Summer Surprise	HT		
Sunny Sundays	HT	My favorite of the new roses so far, nice warm colors on a bloom with good exhibition form.	
Sunshine Happy Trails	S		Stingy blooms, slow to rebloom, slow starting plant,
Tahitian Treasure	S		hate all the thorns.
Take it Easy	S	Nice coloring, clean plant, prolific bloomer, easy to grow,	Not fond of bloom form and irregular sprays.

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		hardy, good garden rose.	
Tammy Clemons	MinFl	A fabulous rose, beautiful exhibition form blooms in tight sprays, great color, great form, hardy, well branched.	Prone to powdery mildew.
Tattooed Daughter	Min	Love the colors of this small stripe, very different colors, very nice, a novelty rose also having exhibition potential.	
The Lady Gardener	S	Nice English style blooms, more white than apricot blend, clean foliage, not much disease.	Not as fragrant as most English roses, sparse bloom, not exhibition.
The Lark Ascending	S	Beautiful creamy white semidouble and delicate rose, vigorous and upright, will climb, disease free.	Sparse blooms, not exhibition, blooms don't last long.
The Lighthouse	Min	Great (best of this color) yellow exhibition rose, clean plant.	Opens too quickly, could be more productive, black spot
Tooth Fairy	Pol	Sweet and cute, pale pink clustered blooms fade to white, great polyantha to grow.	Small growth - could be classified as a mini.
Top of the World	Cl MinF		
Tranquility	S	Beautiful white blooms, found in clusters at the end of long canes, great fragrance, grows rapidly, lots of blooms.	Short bush, prone to rust.
Wanderlust	Min	Lots of blooms.	Blooms not good after one day.
Wedding Bells	HT	Lots of blooms.	
Wedding Party	F		Too soon to tell, but so far the stems are really weak.
Winter Sun	HT	It has a beautiful color which holds.	Doesn't repeat enough.
Wollerton Old Hall	S	Vigorous growth with strong canes, good foliage, nice apricot color, wonderful myrrh/citrus fragrance.	Delicate blooms do not last long, bad fragrance.
Yabba Dabba Doo	S	Great single rose, bright cheery blooms mostly as gorgeous sprays, lots of blooms, reblooms quickly.	Blooms don't last long, does not like the sun - burns.
You're the One	Min	A prolific and fast rebloomer, big clear pink blooms can be exhibition, but primarily decorative with hot pink fringes, best fully open, tall plant, grows well.	
Zach Nobles	HT		