

**Marmalade Skies Rose***Rosa 'Marmalade Skies'*

Height: 3 feet

Spread: 3 feet

Sunlight:

Hardiness Zone: 5b

Group/Class: Hybrid Tea Rose

Description:

Brilliant tangerine orange blooms from the beginning to end of the season in clusters of 5 to 8 double blooms - a complete bouquet - on each strong stem; this hybrid is quite hardy and disease resistant

Ornamental Features

Marmalade Skies Rose features showy fragrant double salmon flowers with rose overtones at the ends of the branches from late spring to mid fall. The flowers are excellent for cutting. It has green deciduous foliage. The glossy oval compound leaves do not develop any appreciable fall color. The fruits are showy red hips displayed in late fall.

Landscape Attributes

Marmalade Skies Rose is a multi-stemmed deciduous shrub with an upright spreading habit of growth. 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 shrub will require occasional maintenance 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

Marmalade Skies Rose is recommended for the following landscape applications;



Marmalade Skies Rose flowers
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- Mass Planting
- Hedges/Screening
- General Garden Use

Planting & Growing

Marmalade Skies Rose will grow to be about 3 feet tall at maturity, with a spread of 3 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.

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 somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. This particular variety is an interspecific hybrid.