



2017 Backyard Tree Catalog

Fowler Nurseries has been producing fruit trees in Placer County since 1912. We are a leader in our industry, which serves production agriculture. In order to stay on top, we travel the world discovering new and exciting Varieties and Rootstocks. Fowler Nurseries is pleased to make available to the homeowner the best of our discoveries as well as the best of the “old tried and true” HEIRLOOM selections. We hope your shopping experience is enjoyable and informative.

Featuring:

- Almonds
- Apricots
- Asian Pears
- Cherries
- Nectarines
- Plums - Fresh and Dried
- Peaches - Freestone
- Pears

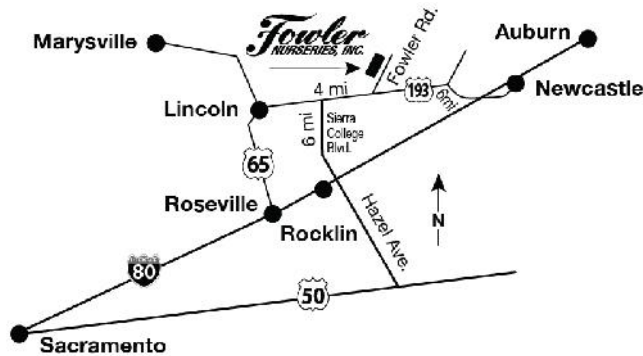
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How We Ensure You Always Receive A Superior Tree



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- Careful selection of seed or rootstock
- Strict attention to trueness of variety
- Grown in mineral-rich, decomposed granite soil, which creates a fibrous root system
- Superior scion wood or bud wood
- Exact staking of trees to ensure straight trunks
- Use a specialized nutrient formula to develop trees
- Precise trimming of suckers and branches to promote good healing
- Strict high quality standards at harvest and shipping



ALMONDS

Teeming with essential minerals and healthy nutrients, almonds are enjoyed in a wide variety of commercial products. Most almonds are grown in California because of its Mediterranean-type climate.

Nonpareil

Standard Early September

~The most sought-after almond variety in California~

The Nonpareil shell is characteristically “paper” thin. Medium to large nut, somewhat flattened. Tree growth is large, upright and spreading. Almonds require another almond variety for pollination.

Carmel

Standard Mid September

~A heavy, precocious producer~

Elongated nut, medium-sized. Well sealed shell, but soft. Tree growth is medium-sized and stands notably more upright than Nonpareil. Almonds require another almond variety for pollination.

Monterey

Standard Late September

~Easy knock-off harvesting nut~

This elongated nut has a soft and well-sealed shell. Heavy and precocious producer. Tree growth is somewhat spreading and vigorous to a medium size. Harvests three to four weeks after Nonpareil but similar bloom time.

APRICOTS

When was the last time you enjoyed a great apricot? Do you remember the aroma, the sweet flavor? We do, so we offer varieties with those very characteristics.



Apache

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Late May

~Juicy and dense flesh~

Bright orange apricot with low acid. Very sweet with exceptional apricot flavor. Fruit does not cling to the pit. USDA release from Dr. Craig Ledbetter. Use Nicole as the pollinizer.

Orangered™

Bhart cv. (PAF)

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Early June

~Most popular apricot in France~

Sweet, aromatic, firm apricot with exceptional flavor. Flesh is deep orange with red blush on the skin. Hangs well on the tree. No apricot planting should be without this variety! Use Robada or Royal as the pollinizer.

Apricots, continued.

Robada

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Early June

~Aromatic choice~

Highly colored fruit, freestone, aromatic and sweet at harvest maturity. Deep orange coloration with a strong red blush on sun-exposed surfaces. Vigorous and upright growth. Self-fertile.

Nicole

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Early June

~Really Sweet!~

Very sweet, highly flavored apricot with low acidity. Smaller fruit than other apricots but, packed with flavor. Not self-fertile. Use Apache, Robada or Royal as pollinizers.

Royal AKA Blenheim

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Mid June

~All purpose apricot~

Fruit is medium and firm with a sweet flavor and a golden-orange flesh. Use Robada or Orangered as the pollinizer.

ASIAN PEARS

Asian pears are some of the sweetest and crunchiest pears you'll find. No waiting, you pick them ripe from the tree. This group of Asian Pears offers a mix of fine quality varieties that harvest a truly unique product. They are commonly referred to as apple pears, salad pears or Nashi.

Shinseiki

Standard Early August

~Smooth greenish-yellow skin~

Sweet and juicy. Medium to large fruit with firm, white, crisp flesh. Thin fruit for better size (leave 1 fruit per cluster or you'll have marbles). Fruit will store for up to 3 months in the refrigerator. For best production add a pollinizer.

Shinko

Standard Mid to Late August

~Exceptional flavor~

Very popular variety. Fruit is medium to large with excellent quality. Skin is golden brown and russeted. Flesh is juicy and sweet. Medium size tree, heavy bearer; shows some fireblight resistance. For best production add a pollinizer.

Yoinashi™

Standard Mid to Late August

~Popular, newer variety~

Flavor is sweet and smooth. Large fruit with crisp, off-white flesh and light brown russeted skin. Flesh is finer textured than most Asian Pears.

Olympic

Standard Late September

~Tasty, late variety~

Very large fruit. Skin is an attractive golden-brown russet with a crisp, sweet juicy flesh. Fruit can store over six months. From Korea. For best production add a pollinizer.

CHERRIES

Who can resist a sweet, firm cherry? Few. That's why cherries have become a worldwide favorite and are considered a sweet delicacy. We've made the best cherry varieties available to you.

Bing

Semi-Dwarf Late May

~The industry's standard cherry~

A premium quality fruit with red skin and meaty flesh. Known for its large, firm, juicy qualities. Best pollen sources are Rainier, Sandra Rose, or Benton.

Benton®

(USPP #15847)

Semi-Dwarf Late May

~High Quality~

Large and firm fruit with an exceptional, mouth-watering flavor and a dark red skin. Rates higher than Bing in taste tests. Moderately resistant to rain cracking and self-fertile. Excellent pollinizer.

Rainier (white)

Semi-Dwarf Late May

~Sought-after, sweet delight~

Considered a "white cherry" because of its golden yellow and appealing red blush skin color. Flesh has clear yellow color with exceptional taste. Large, firm fruit, considered top quality. Tree is large and very productive. Use Bing or Sandra Rose as a pollinizer.

Sandra Rose

(USPP Pending)

Semi-Dwarf Early June

~Flavor Galore~

A large, high quality cherry. Fruit is a deep red color with firm red flesh. It is a good producer and will pollinate Bing and Rainier. Self-fertile.

Lapins

Semi-Dwarf Mid June

~Mouth Watering Flavor~

Large and firm fruit with exceptional, mouth-watering flavor and a dark red skin. Resistant to rain cracking. Self-fertile. Excellent pollinizer.

PLUMS – FRESH AND DRIED

Prized for their sweetness, dried plums are a delicious source of vitamins A, B and E. They are enjoyed fresh, in baked goods and as juice.

Santa Rosa

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Mid June

~Best all-purpose Japanese-type plum~

Medium to large size with purplish-red skin. Flesh is yellow to amber, red near the skin. Rich, pleasing tart flavor. Excellent fresh and in preserves. Self-fertile in most situations. Tree large, upright and productive.

Plums, continued.

Satsuma

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Late July to Early August

~Great fresh or in preserves~

Medium in size, dark dull red skin with deep red flesh. Solid, meaty texture with mild, sweet flavor. Small pit is semi-freestone. Use Santa Rosa as the pollinizer. Japanese-type plum.

Tulare Giant

(USPP# 12224)

Standard Early August

~Large European-type plum~

Oval-shaped fruit, substantially larger than the standard French. It has a dark purple skin and was bred for the fresh market. Tree is very vigorous and productive. Use Muir Beauty as the pollinizer.

Muir Beauty™

(USPP# 15547)

Standard Early August

~Sweet with beautiful coloring~

Fresh or dried, this plum is delicious and very sweet. Its skin is light bluish-purple and has a thick, meaty flesh that is an amber-yellow color. The tree is a vigorous grower and forms a very upright tree. Self-fertile.

French (Improved)

Standard Late August to Early September

~Excellent eaten fresh or dried; European-type plum~

A medium-sized fruit with thick red to purple-black skin and a distinct ovate shape. Flesh is golden yellow with a very sweet taste. Grows upright and vigorous with strong branches. Self-fertile.

PEACHES - FREESTONE

Today there are numerous varieties of peaches. Here you'll find some of the finest varieties based on optimum color, taste, firmness and marketability. All peaches are self-fertile.

Springcrest

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Mid June

~Earliest yellow peach~

Start the season with this great peach flavor! The exterior red blush makes this a stunning looking peach. Flesh is yellow with very good flavor. Fruit size is medium to large and firm.

Nectar (white)

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Early July

~Enjoy with plenty of napkins – it's juicy~

This sweet and aromatic fruit is a gift from the Gods. Large white freestone with a tinge of red near the pit. The skin is white to pinkish with an attractive red blush. Juicy, soft, melt-in-your-mouth fruit is best eaten fresh as it is too soft for canning.

White Lady (white)

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Late July

~Beautiful and tasty~

A light red blush covers most of this large, firm, white peach. It has a full, rich flavor and low acid.

Peaches – Freestone, continued.

Gene Elberta

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Late July
~*Knock your socks off peach flavor*~

Discovered by our founder almost 50 years ago. A large peach with yellow, blushed red covering. A well-liked fresh market peach that can also be canned or frozen. Heavy producer.

Suncrest

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Late July
~*Heirloom variety*~

Large fruit with excellent flavor and a bright red sunset blush on the skin. Popular for fruit stands.

Arctic Gem (white)

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Late July – Early August
~*An enjoyable gem*~

White-fleshed fruit with good color, shape, and size. Slight to moderate acid-type flavor.

Fay Elberta

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Early August
~*Preferred multipurpose peach*~

Large fruit with yellow flesh and a premium sweet, juicy flavor. Skin has a colorful blush. A popular and attractive variety. Good for drying, canning, freezing, or eating fresh.

O'Henry

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Mid August
~*Productive with quality*~

Large fruit with good firmness and flavor. Skin is highly colored. Late season harvest. High quality and a heavy producer.

Paradise (white)

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Mid August
~*Generous producer*~

Large strawberry-type fruit with white to pink flesh and some red at the pit. Skin is reddish-white. Good quality and a heavy producer of delicate fruit.

Fairtime

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Mid September
~*Great freezer peach*~

Large and round fruit with good firmness and splendidly delicious taste. Skin has a red blush with yellow background. This is a heavy producer.

NECTARINES

A taste so heavenly, nectarines were named after the Greek God Nektar and thereafter considered the drink of the gods. Many of these varieties are long-time favorites at farmers' markets and others are newer releases from around the world.

Jade™ (white) Momee cv. (PAF)

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Late June
~*Exceptional flavor and superior size*~

Sweet but with a hint of acid, large fruit with exceptional color and white flesh. Tree is moderately vigorous.

Nectarines, continued.

Emeraude™ (white) Monnude cv. (PAF)

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Mid July
~*Beautifully colored fruit*~

Colorful skin, on a large white-fleshed nectarine with sweet and slight acid flavor. Ripens about seven days before Fantasia.

Zephyr™ (white) Monphir cv. (PAF)

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Mid to Late July
~*Most popular nectarine in France*~

Large white-fleshed, sub-acid with excellent flavor and aromas. Great firmness. Skin is attractive red to pinkish red over a white background.

Heavenly White (white)

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Late July to Early August
~*First class flavor*~

First introduced as a home garden variety for its large size and superb flavor. A winner at roadsides or Pick Your Own where full color is not crucial for consumer satisfaction. Large freestone with superior white flesh and a balanced flavor.

Fantasia

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Early August
~*Old flavorful variety*~

This large freestone is bright yellow with a bright red blush. Flesh is firm and yellow with a delicious flavor. The tree is notably vigorous and productive. Moderate chilling required.

Royal Giant

Standard and Semi-Dwarf Late August
~*Generous producing tree*~

Very large fruit. This giant has attractive color and excellent flavor with just a hint of acid. Tree is moderately vigorous, but very productive.

PEARS

Called the “butter fruit” because of its smooth texture, pears are enjoyed fresh, baked, poached, sautéed, canned or dried. Fowler Nurseries offers an extensive selection of old and new varieties from all over the world.

Please note – *Harrow Delight, Super Red and Bartlett can be left on the tree to ripen instead of harvesting, storing and then ripening. Fruit will ripen approximately two weeks after timing shown in descriptions.*

Harrow Delight

Semi-Dwarf Mid July
~*Fireblight resistant*~

Fruit is large, flavorful and sweet. Very similar to Bartlett. This variety is less susceptible to fireblight disease than our other pears. Use Bartlett or Comice as a pollinizer.

Pears, continued.

Super Red

Semi-Dwarf

Mid July

~Earliest maturing red pear~

Fruit is large, dark red in color with bright white flesh. Flavor is excellent. Summer heat will not fade the red color – perfect for hot California areas. Storage life is very short, 4 weeks. Use Bartlett, Harrow Delight, or Comice as a pollinizer or even an Asian pear. This pear can be left on the tree to ripen-add about 2 weeks to harvest timing.

Bartlett

Semi-Dwarf

Mid July to Early August

~Most popular pear grown today~

Picked green, but enjoyed when it ripens to a soft yellow, sometimes with a slight blush. Flesh is sweet and tender. Excellent fresh or canned. Fruit is large and appealing. Tree bears early, heavily and regularly. This variety is self-fertile.

D'Anjou

Semi-Dwarf

Early September

~A famous winter pear~

Large to medium-size fruit with a round shape and short neck. Fruit is firm and juicy, with a superbly rich flavor. Needs a pollinizer.

AC™ Harrow Sweet

(USPP #9863)

Semi-Dwarf

Early September

~Blushing Sweet~

Fruit has a beautiful red blush over yellow skin. Flavor is like Bartlett. Less susceptible to fireblight. For a pollinizer use any variety of Asian pear.

Comice

Semi-Dwarf

Late September

~Considered the King of pears~

Comice is a large, roundish rich fruit. Flesh is fine grained (smooth) with a delectable flavor that melts in your mouth. Skin color is yellow with a slight blush. Best eaten fresh after a short storage period. Tree growth is vigorous with good production. Can be self-fertile, but for consistent production use Super Red as a pollinizer.



Happy
Harvesting!

2017 BACKYARD PRICE LIST

	VARIETY (in sequence of ripening)	ROOTSTOCK	SIZE	Price
ALMONDS	NONPAREIL	KRYMSK @ 86 *		20.50
	PRICE	KRYMSK @ 86 *		20.50
	MONTEREY	KRYMSK @ 86 *		20.50
APRICOTS	APACHE	CITATION	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	APACHE	LOVELL		20.50
	ORANGERED™ *	CITATION	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	ORANGERED™ *	LOVELL		20.50
	ROBADA	CITATION	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	ROBADA	LOVELL		20.50
	NICOLE	CITATION	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	NICOLE	LOVELL		20.50
	ROYAL aka Blenheim	CITATION	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	ROYAL aka Blenheim	LOVELL		20.50
ASIAN PEARS	SHINSEIKI	BETULAEFOLIA		20.50
	SHINKO	BETULAEFOLIA		20.50
	YOINASHI™ *	BETULAEFOLIA		20.50
	OLYMPIC	BETULAEFOLIA		20.50
	BING	KRYMSK @ 5 & 6 *	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
CHERRIES	BENTON ®*	KRYMSK @ 5 & 6 *	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	RAINIER	WHITE KRYMSK @ 5 & 6 *	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	SANDRA ROSE *	KRYMSK @ 5 & 6 *	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	LAPINS	KRYMSK @ 5 & 6 *	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	SANTA ROSA	CITATION	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
PLUMS	SANTA ROSA	LOVELL		16.50
	SATSUMA	CITATION	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	SATSUMA	LOVELL		16.50
	TULARE GIANT *	MYRO 29C		20.50
	MUIR BEAUTY™ *	MYRO 29C		20.50
	FRENCH	MYRO 29C		16.50
	SPRINGCREST	ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	SPRINGCREST	LOVELL		16.50
FREESTONE PEACHES	NECTAR	WHITE ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	NECTAR	WHITE LOVELL		16.50
	WHITE LADY	WHITE ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	WHITE LADY	WHITE LOVELL		16.50
	GENE ELBERTA	ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	GENE ELBERTA	LOVELL		16.50
	SUNCREST	ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	SUNCREST	LOVELL		16.50
	ARCTIC GEM	WHITE ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	ARCTIC GEM	WHITE LOVELL		16.50
	FAY ELBERTA	ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	FAY ELBERTA	LOVELL		16.50
	O'HENRY	ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	O'HENRY	LOVELL		16.50
	PARADISE	WHITE ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	PARADISE	WHITE LOVELL		16.50
	FAIRTIME	ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	FAIRTIME	LOVELL		16.50
NECTARINES	JADE™ *	WHITE ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	JADE™ *	WHITE LOVELL		20.50
	EMERAUDE™ *	WHITE ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	EMERAUDE™ *	WHITE LOVELL		20.50
	ZEPHYR™ *	WHITE ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	ZEPHYR™ *	WHITE LOVELL		20.50
	HEAVENLY WHITE	WHITE ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	HEAVENLY WHITE	WHITE LOVELL		16.50
	FANTASIA	ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	FANTASIA	LOVELL		16.50
PEARS	ROYAL GIANT	ISHTARA™ *	Semi-Dwarf	20.50
	ROYAL GIANT	LOVELL		16.50
	HARROW DELIGHT	OHxF 97	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	SUPER RED	OHxF 97	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	BARTLETT	OHxF 97	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	D'ANJOU	OHxF 97	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	ACT™ HARROW SWEET *	OHxF 97	Semi-Dwarf	25.50
	COMICE	P. QUINCE BA29C	Semi-Dwarf	25.50

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