Red Charm Peony







- <u>Use:</u> Paeonia Red Charm is undoubtedly the best known and most popular red peony available. Also it's one of the earliest available double-flowered varieties of the season. We love the round flowers because they have a perfect shape and can grow to be as large as 9". Carefree, long-lived plant rarely requires division. Elegant flowers are gorgeous in bouquets.
- <u>Exposure/Soil</u>: Full sun–light shade (afternoon/not deep shade preferred);
 Water regularly, when top 3" of soil is dry. Use slow release fertilizer twice a year. Once established needs only occasional water.
- **Growth:** Grows 24 to 30 inches tall.
- *Hardiness:* Zone 3-8; Perennial
- *Foliage:* Deciduous. Lobed, green foliage.
- <u>Flowers</u>: We love the round flowers because they have a perfect shape and can grow to be as large as 9" wide with a lovely fragrance. The petals of the Peony Red Charm form a combination of two different petals. The outside of the flower produces smooth petals with a bright red color. The center of the heart is filled with ruffled red petals. The combination of the two types of petals, gives the Peony Red Charm a charming look.
- <u>Tips</u>: Plant them shallow, mulch in the summer, take off the mulch in the winter, and they prefer a little afternoon shade. Cold winters will ensure lots of blossoms so plant them where they will get cold in the winter. Add a little lime to the soil.

