

Camellia Royal Velvet



Pick the flowers and float them in a bowl of water to bring their beauty indoors.



Camellia japonica 'Royal Velvet'

- **Use:** Camellias are the rose of winter in southern gardens, with their colorful blossoms held against deep rich green glossy foliage on a naturally upright to rounded evergreen shrub. Certainly one of our favorites among the dark red Japonica Camellias! This Nuccio's Nursery introduction has a compact upright to rounded habit.
- **Exposure:** Prefers sheltered site, sunny or shade, and any well drained neutral/acid soil.
- **Growth:** Grows To: 8-12'H x 6-10'W
- **Hardiness:** Zone 7-9; shrub
- **Foliage:** Vigorous, compact, upright, evergreen shrub, valued for small pale green foliage.
- **Flower:** Produces some of the most beautiful, dark velvety red, perfect form, semi-double flowers in early to midseason. Prune only right after blooms fade.