

# Red Bird Camellia



Tolerates heat and  
humidity well!



## *Camellia sasanqua* 'Red Bird'

- **Use:** With a truly unique color like no other fall-blooming *Camellia sasanqua*, 'Red Bird' produces LOADS of semi-double, brilliant deep crimson fuchsia flowers in fall, when we need vibrant color in the garden. This one has an upright, bushy habit with dark green, glossy foliage that is an excellent backdrop for the flowers. Flowers make a dazzling contrast with the glossy, dark green foliage. One of the first to flower in fall, this camellia is an excellent screen or hedge.
- **Exposure:** Prefers sheltered site, mostly sunny (break from late afternoon sun) or part-shade, and any well drained neutral/acid soil.
- **Growth:** Growing 8 to 12 feet tall and 6 to 8 feet wide –We love to use them as a an evergreen hedge in part shade. Space 5-6 feet apart to make a hedge.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 6-9; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Evergreen; valued for small dark-green foliage.
- **Flower:** Blooms profusely in fall with rosy-red, single flowers. Prune only right after blooms fade.

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