

# Brindabella Crimson Knight Rose



**Finally, a low maintenance rose with fragrance, but do be sure to keep them watered correctly in pots!**

## *Rosa x 'Brindabella Crimson Knight'*

- **Use:** Brindabella Roses™, a collection of tough shrub roses selected for superior garden performance and show-stopping flowers. These roses have a bushy growth habit, excellent disease resistance, and fragrant doubled flowers in an array of traditional and modern colors. These low maintenance roses are very vigorous yet grow to only 4 feet tall and wide in 2 years' time. Very well suited to home gardens and commercial landscapes alike, the foliage is among the cleanest to be found in any shrub rose and the fragrance will stop any passerby in their tracks.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full to part sun. During the winter they prefer well-drained soils. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. All roses hate water on the leaves so try to avoid sprinklers and overhead watering if possible.
- **Growth:** Though very vigorous, this low maintenance rose grows to only 4 feet tall and 3-4' wide in 2 years time. Very well suited to home gardens and commercial landscapes alike. To keep your rose full and bushy from year to year, in late winter or very early spring the plant can be pruned back to about 18 inches above the ground. After this hard pruning, your rose will quickly flush out and start blooming with the arrival of warmer spring temperatures.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-10; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Unsurpassed resistance to black spot leaf disease.
- **Flower:** Blooms start out as deep near black buds gradually transitioning to deep crimson, maroon to burgundy shades with red highlights as they open to full double fragrant flowers. An easy to grow selection that delivers abundant blooms in a wonderful color all its own. Excellent for cutting!

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