

# Charles Darwin Rose



## *Rosa 'Charles Darwin'*

- **Use:** The flowers are very full and rounded at first, later opening up to shallow cups. They are yellow in color, tending almost towards mustard, and have a strong, delicious fragrance, varying between soft floral Tea and pure lemon. It makes a sturdy shrub with broad, spreading growth. Named after the naturalist who was born in Shropshire.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full preferred. They must have well-drained soils, so if you have red clay you must amend it. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. Keep water off the leaves (no sprinklers/ don't water leaves.)
- **Growth:** Grows to 4.5' tall and 4' wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-11, Shrub
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Foliage is dark green and disease resistant.
- **Flower:** Delightful strong fragrance that varies between a soft, floral tea and almost pure lemon depending on weather conditions. Flowers are very full and rounded opening to a shallow cup in a lovely shade of rich yellow similar to Old Gold. Occasionally, the 140+ petals have a lemony or sandy tint. Excellent repeat flowering.

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