

Julia Child Rose



**Limited qty
available! Collectable!**

Rosa x 'Julia Child' ('Wekvossutono')

- **Use:** Has buttery bold blooms and a licorice-clove fragrance its namesake would have loved in the kitchen. This 2006 All-America Rose Selections winner produces very full blooms through the better part of five months, which makes it a compelling possibility for containers in warmer climates. Grafted. Julia Child is a floribunda destined to be as famous as her namesake. Personally chosen by the award-winning chef herself, this rose combines old-fashioned style with delicious fragrance rarely found in a free-flowering plant. This rose has a rounded habit and excellent disease resistance, raising the bar for any English-style rose.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full to part sun (at least 6 hours). During the winter they prefer well-drained soils. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry.
- **Growth:** Grows 3 to 7 feet tall, depending on
- **Hardiness:** 5-10 Shrub
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Some growers find that Gertrude is very hesitant to flower, and the solution for that is to either prune new growth to 1/2 length, or peg the tips of the long canes to the ground. This will help to encourage more blooms.
- **Flower:** The blooms begin as a fairly bright, almost lemony, yellow and gradually mellow to the described "butter-gold color" before fading to almost cream. Julia Child also features a sweet licorice perfume that exudes from each fully-petaled flower, as well as a butter-gold color that's perfectly suited to any landscape.