

Hearts of Gold Redbud



Lovely pink spring flowers in early spring. An excellent specimen tree that is very disease resistant. Attracts birds, butterflies, and beneficial pollinators.



Cercis canadensis 'Hearts of Gold'

- **Use:** This vibrant beauty will leave you in an absolute loss of words. It effortlessly makes gloomy days seem bright and happy. Using this tree for hedging is incredibly common with its capability to leave a bright illuminating outline for your garden, sidewalk, or driveway. Redbuds are native to the Eastern Coast.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Best flowering and foliage color in full sun, but because they are also understory trees in nature, also adept for use as wildlife-friendly groupings that cast light shade over seating areas, or in rows and odd-numbered clusters for naturalizing along the edge of a woods where they get some morning sun! Performs best in moderately fertile soils with regular and consistent moisture. Avoid wet or poorly drained soils.
- **Growth:** Graceful, multi-stemmed branching can grow 20-25 feet in height with a 15-18 foot spread at a moderate rate.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-9; Tree
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Small heart shaped leaves emerge orange red and quickly mature to lemon yellow and when fully expanded turn to a bright golden color. Towards the trunk, the plant displays darker yellow-green leaves, but fades into a bright gold coloration.
- **Flower:** In the spring, the pea-shaped lavender blooms profusely bloom to make a large bouquet of flowers to be enjoyed by family, friends, and even beneficial pollinators. Bird-friendly, flat seedpods arrive for fall and winter interest!

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