

Cherokee Brave Dogwood



Once the leaves drop they make way for vibrant red berries that pop against the Cherokee Brave Dogwood's stunning grey trunk. They fill the countryside with color while other plants are dull and brown during the winter. The showy red berries are a food source for birds, and invite them to perch in the Cherokee Brave's branches. In exchange for a delicious snack the birds chirp and hop from branch to branch to entertain spectators.



Cornus florida 'Comco'

- **Use:** They earn their strong warrior title, 'Cherokee Brave' because they are tough and low maintenance. They are pest and disease resistant, while also being drought tolerant. Simply plant your new Cherokee Brave Dogwoods and watch them thrive.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Part sun-shade. Best when planted under other trees, but not too deep a shade or poor flowering. Moist, well-drained soil, but not soggy. Use slow release fertilizer two times a year. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry.
- **Growth:** Reach heights of 20 to 30 feet, so they can fit perfectly in any landscape. Even those with limited space. They will flourish with unrivaled beauty without taking over the yard.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-9; Tree
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Leaves first emerge they have a red tint before maturing to lush, green leaves that fill in to create an attractive canopy that shades the area beneath it. In the fall the leaves turn a shade of maroon for a dazzling display of colorful fall foliage.
- **Flower:** Your friends and neighbors will love gazing at the Cherokee Brave Dogwood's large four petal blossoms that have a unique red hue that fades into a white center. The flowers glow in the landscape and will cause your garden to be the most beautiful one in the neighborhood.