Super Cherokee Princess Dogwood





Once the leaves drop they make way for vibrant red berries that pop against the Super Cherokee Princess 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 Brave's branches. In exchange for a delicious snack the birds chirp and hop from branch to branch to entertain spectators.





Cornus florida 'Cherokee Princess'

- <u>Use:</u> This improved dogwood variety is a spectacular tree with great vigor and larger flowers than most. Excellent as a landscape specimen. They are pest and disease resistant, while also being drought tolerant. Simply plant your new Cherokee Brave Dogwoods and watch them thrive.
- <u>Exposure/Soil</u>: 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:** Maturing at 15 to 30 (25 years) feet tall and 10 to 20 feet wide. They will flourish with unrivaled beauty without taking over the yard.
- Hardiness: Zone 5-9; Tree
- Foliage: Deciduous. The medium to dark green glossy leaves turn to outstanding shades of red to reddish purple with the arrival of cooler temperatures in fall.
- <u>Flower</u>: Much like the ever-popular Cherokee Princess Dogwood, Super Princess has an extra heavy set of large flowers with bracts 4 to 5 inches across that cover the tree like snow in early to mid spring. The flowers glow in the landscape and will cause your garden to be the most beautiful one in the neighborhood. As with other flowering dogwoods, abundant clusters of deep red berries are displayed in fall persisting well into winter providing cool season interest and a delectable delight for the birds.