

# TREES



## AUTUMN BLAZE MAPLE

*Acer freemanii* 'Jeffersred'      45' x 40'      Zone 3

This popular shade tree combines the dazzling fall color of Red Maples and the fast growth habit of the Silver Maple.

## AMUR MAPLE

*Acer ginnala*      15' x 15'      Zone 2

Striking red/orange fall color makes this smaller growing tree a standout. Does well in dry growing conditions.

1. **'Flame'** 15' x 15' Tolerates both sun and shade. Samaras and foliage turn bright red in late summer.
2. **'Bailey Compact'** 8' x 8' Dense, compact multi-stemmed shrub with the same great fall color.

## SENSATION BOX ELDER MAPLE

*Acer negundo*      40' x 30'      Zone 3

From Southwestern Idaho, this shade tree is great for dry, alkaline conditions; male, seedless cultivar has orange/green summer foliage followed by red/orange fall color.

## HELENA MAPLE

*Acer platanoides* 'Helena'      45' x 40'      Zone 3

This mature maple was found right here in town, thriving in our harsh growing conditions. Fast growing; green foliage turns yellow/orange in fall.

## PRAIRIE SPLENDOR MAPLE

*Acer platanoides* 'Prairie Splendor'      30' x 25'      Zone 3

Found in Southern Alberta, this is the hardiest of the red-leafed maples. Deep red foliage.

## TATARIAN MAPLE

*Acer tataricum* 20' x 20' Zone 2

Similar to an Amur Maple with better tolerance of alkaline soils; red/orange fall color.

1. **'Gar Ann' Hot Wings** 20' x 18' Samaras mature bright red in late summer, appearing as though the tree is covered in red flowers. Yellow to red fall color. Tolerant of dry, alkaline soils.

## NORTHERN SELECT PAPER BIRCH

*Betula papyrifera* 'Northern Select' 40' x 25' Zone 2

Plant in a protected space; bark becomes whiter with age.

## DAKOTA PINNACLE BIRCH

*Betula platyphylla* 'Fargo' 30' x 7' Zone 3

Introduced by the North Dakota State University. Upright, narrow growth; bark matures to a yellow white. Tolerant of heat, drought and alkaline soils. Wind protection is recommended.

## RUSSIAN HAWTHORN

*Craetagus ambigua* 15' x 18' Zone 4

Often found as a multi-stem small tree, it has beautiful branching, fine textured foliage, white flowers and red fruit.

## CRIMSON CLOUD HAWTHORN

*Craetagus laevigata* 'Crimson Cloud' 15' x 12' Zone 4

Bright red flowers with white centers in early summer are followed by red fruit.

## SNOWBIRD HAWTHORN

*Craetagus x mordenensis* 15' x 15' Zone 2

The hardiest hawthorn; white flowers followed by red fruits and yellow fall color.

## AUTUMN PURPLE ASH

*Fraxinus americana 'Junginger'*                      55' x 30'                      Zone 4

Fast growing large shade tree; seedless; excellent purple fall color.

## MANCANA ASH

*Fraxinus mandchurica 'Mancana'*                      40' x 25'                      Zone 2

Adaptable to soil and climate conditions, this extremely hardy tree turns bright golden in fall.

## NORTHERN ACCLAIM HONEYLOCUST

*Gleditsia triancanthos inermis 'Havre'*                      40' x 35'                      Zone 3

Introduced by North Dakota State University; upright growth habit. Lacey foliage provides dappled shade.

## AMUR MAACKIA

*Maackia amurensis*                      20' x 12'                      Zone 3

Smaller growing tree blooms white mid summer; tolerates poor soils.

## FLOWERING CRABAPPLE

Crabapples are a wonderful smaller ornamental tree, hardy for our climate. They prefer full sun and well drained soil. Many varieties available with different flower color, foliage color and fruit.

1. **Royal Raindrops** 20' x 15' Purple, cutleaf foliage, pink blossoms and small red fruit. Great disease resistance and fall color. Zone 4.
2. **Klehm's Improved Bechtel Crab** 20' x 20' Fragrant, large pink, double blossoms with light green foliage. Flowers later than most crabapples. Vase shaped with little to no fruit. Nice fall color. Zone 4.
3. **Perfect Purple** 25' x 20' Pink flowers against deep purple foliage, purple red fruit. Good disease resistance. Zone 3.
4. **Royalty** 20' x 20' Very hardy. Purple foliage, red flowers and dark red fruit. Zone 2.
5. **Spring Snow** 25' x 15' No fruit. Green foliage, profuse white flowers. Zone 3.
6. **Thunderchild** 20' x 15' Purple foliage with pink flowers. Dark purple fruit. Very hardy and disease resistance. Zone 2.

## DIABLO NINEBARK

*Physocarpus opulifolius* 'Monlo' 8-10' x 6-8' Zone 2

This tree form is perfect for small spaces. Super hardy, red-purple foliage through the season and exfoliating bark. Pinkish white flowers are followed by red berries.

## BROOKS POPLAR

*Populus x 'Brooks'* 50' x 35' Zone 2

Fast growing, short lived shade tree. Adaptable to many conditions, including wet and dry. Cottonless.

## PRAIRIE SKY POPLAR

*Populus x euramericana* 50' x 20' Zone 2

Fast growing, narrow upright form. Male hybrid is cottonless. Longer living than many other hybrids.

## QUAKING ASPEN

*Populus tremuloides* 40' x 30' Zone 2

Fast growing, white barked tree has gorgeous yellow fall color. Tolerates most soils with ample water; suckers.

## FOREST SILVER ASPEN

*Populus tremuloides* 'Driefest' 30' x 6' Zone 2

Silvery white bark; green foliage turns to a brilliant orange and red in fall.

## PRINCESS KAY PLUM

*Prunus nigra* 'Princess Kay' 15' x 12' Zone 3

Beautiful smaller flowering tree for colder climates. White clusters of flowers in spring; dark colored bark; excellent fall color. Occasional fruit.

## MERLOT BIRD CHERRY

*Prunus padus* 'Drietree' 35' x 15' Zone 3

Deep burgundy summer foliage. Light fruit set, uniform growth and non-suckering habit.

## CANADA RED CHOKECHERRY

*Prunus virginiana* 'Shubert'      25' x 18'      Zone 2

Upright growth habit; lighter fruit set; foliage emerges green and matures to purple for the rest of the season. Often grown as a multi-stem because of its suckering habit.

## MOUNTAIN FROST PEAR

*Pyrus ussuriensis* 'Bailfrost'      25' x 20'      Zone 3

Vigorous, upright growth habit. Hardy flowering pear with small fruit.

## BURR OAK

*Quercus macrocarpa*      50' x 50'      Zone 2

Slow growing, open form; tolerates dry, alkaline soils better than most oaks.

## PRAIRIE CASCADE WILLOW

*Salix x 'Prairie Cascade'*      35' x 352'      Zone 3

Hardy weeping willow for cold climates with gold stems; prefers moist soils.

## CARDINAL ROYAL MOUNTAIN ASH

*Sorbus aucuparia* 'Michred'      25' x 20'      Zone 3

Dark green foliage; red berries in fall attract birds.

## SKINNER MOUNTAIN ASH

*Sorbus aucuparia* 'Skinner'      30' x 20'      Zone 2

Hardy, upright ornamental tree; orange fruit; orange/red fall color.

## OAK LEAF MOUNTAIN ASH

*Sorbus hybrida*      30' x 25'      Zone 3

Resistant to fireblight. Oak shaped leaves, orange berries.

## JAPANESE TREE LILAC

*Syringa reticulata*      25' x 25'      Zone 3

Creamy, fragrant white flowers in early summer. Clump form makes a great specimen tree.

## IVORY SILK JAPANESE TREE LILAC

*Syringa reticulata* 'Ivory Silk' 25' x 15' Zone 3

Same great blooms on a gaster growing, denser form.

## REDMOND LINDEN

*Tilia americana x euchlora* 'Redmond' 50' x 30' Zone 3

Large foliage, smooth reddish bark and vigorous growth rate.

## GREENSPIRE LINDEN

*Tilia cordata* 'Greenspire' 40' x 30' Zone 3

Very uniform, conical shaped shade tree. Good disease/insect resistance.

## DROPMORE LINDEN

*Tilia x flavescens* 'Dropmore' 40' x 30' Zone 2

Great for colder climates. Dark green foliage, vigorous growing.

## HARVEST GOLD LINDEN

*Tilia mongolica* 'Harvest Gold' 40' x 30' Zone 2

Upright, oval shape makes a great boulevard tree. Golden yellow leaves in autumn.

## BRANDON ASCENDING ELM

*Ulmus americana* 'Brandon' 60' x 50' Zone 2

Vase shaped form and glossy green leaf. Adaptable to many soil conditions, vigorous and hardy.

## ACCOLADE ELM

*Ulmus japonica x wilsoniana* 'Morton' 60' x 45' Zone 3

Glossy, dark green foliage similar in form to the American Elm. Excellent Dutch Elm disease resistance.

## MEDORA JUNIPER

*Juniperus scopulorum* 'Medora' 12-15' x 4' Zone 2

Upright, columnar shape with blue-green color. The hardiest of the upright junipers. Must have full sun and well drained soil. Slow growing.

## WICHITA BLUE JUNIPER

*Juniperus scopulorum* 'Wichita' 12-18' x 5-7' Zone 3

Bright, silvery blue foliage makes a standout focal piece or screen. Broad upright growth. Must have full sun and well drained soil. Slow-moderate growth rate.

## SIBERIAN LARCH

*Larix siberica* 40-50' x 20-30' Zone 2

Deciduous conifer, foliage turns bright golden yellow before dropping in the fall. Bright green growth in spring. The hardiest of the family, native to Siberia. Needs moist soil.

## BLACK HILLS SPRUCE

*Picea glauca densata* 40' x 15-20' Zone 3

Uniform, dense, slow growing, pyramidal evergreen with blue-green needles. Will tolerate light shade but does best in full sun. Specimen tree or screen.

## COLORADO SPRUCE

*Picea pungens* 65' x 25' Zone 2

Extensively used throughout our landscapes. Shallow rooted, consistent watering is key for establishment. Color varies from green to blue.

1. 'Bacheri' 20-30' x 10-15' Zone 3. Sky blue color; adaptable; smaller growing.
2. 'Hoopsi' 20' x 10-15' Zone 2. Outstanding bright blue foliage; smaller growing.
3. 'Iseli Fastigate' 15-20' x 5-7' Zone 2. Blue foliage, vertical accent for small areas.
4. 'Sester Dwarf' 6' x 4' Zone 2. Slow growing, dwarf, conical evergreen.

## BRISTLECONE PINE

*Pinus aristata* 25' x 25' Zone 3

One of the longest living trees. Native to higher elevation, dry areas of the Rockies. Slow growing.

## SWISS STONE PINE

*Pinus cembra*      25' x 12'      Zone 2

Narrow, upright growing bluish green evergreen. Great for small areas. Full sun and well drained soil. Slow growing.

## PONDEROSA PINE

*Pinus ponderosa*      80'+ x 50'+      Zone 3

Grows on dry sites; native to many of the western states. Montana state tree.

## PLUMOSA SCOTCH PINE

*Pinus sylvestris* 'Plumosa'      40' x 25'      Zone 2

Interesting bark; good green color through winter. Hardier than straight species.

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