CHICAGO HARDY FIG Purple brown fig with great flavor. Good cold tolerance to zone 4, can dieback to the ground and come back and fruit the next season. Fruit produces on next season’s summer growth. There are claims of hardy to 10 degrees for the plant and –20 for the root.

JUBILEE BLUEBERRY Southern Highbush. Midseason, Sweet, firm berry. Upright and quite compact, with fruit borne on the outer periphery of the bush. Chilling requirement is estimated at 400-500 hours.

SUNSHINE BLUE BLUEBERRY Southern Highbush cultivar. Great flavored firm berries. Ripens May 10 through June 15 at Gainesville, Florida. A semi dwarf evergreen bush with great fall color. Showy hot pink flowers fade to white in spring. Self-fruitful. Estimated chilling hours needed 150 hours, but very cold hardy as well.

CHESTER BLACKBERRY Thornless, semi-trailing. Large, very sweet, flavorful even when firm. Fruit retains color and quality even in the heat. Begins to ripen just as Triple Crown finishes. Chester is the most winter hardy thornless blackberry and is very resistant to cane blight. Good variety for the Midwest and Deep South. Provide support for the vines. USDA Zone 5-7 (possibly 5-9).

PRIME ARK 45 BLACKBERRY Developed at the University of Arkansas, harvests late summer into fall, produces large crops of medium to large fruit over an extended harvest period. Good flavor.


CANBY RASPBERRY A thornless variety of raspberry, this large juicy red berry has a sweet flavor that lends itself to fresh picking as well as jams and jellies. Very winter hardy and a heavy bearer. Self- fertile USDA zones 4-9

FALL GOLD RASPBERRY Everbearing variety is sweet and large with golden yellow color. It is a winter hardy selection harvesting in July through the summer months. USDA zones 3-8.

HERITAGE RASPBERRY Everbearing. Large, dark red with mild flavor yet excellent quality. 5-6’ upright, vigorous canes spread rapidly by suckers. Can adapt to heavier soils but roots will rot in areas with poor drainage. First ripe berries in early July; biggest harvests in the fall. USDA Zone 3-9.

NOVA RED RASPBERRY Developed in Nova Scotia, Canada. Hardy reliable producer of abundant crops. Fruit is bright red, medium to large, ripening in early summer. Nearly thornless. Grows vigorously to 4-5 feet, disease resistant. Zones 3-8

WILLAMETTE RED RASPBERRY Excellent quality, large, round, dark red and very firm. Slightly tart berry, excellent for fresh eating, freezing and canning. Bush is vigorous and productive, requires well drained soils. Disease resistant, ripens early. One of the most popular commercial varieties in Oregon, Washington, and California. Zones 5-10

GOJI BERRY Bright red fruit used either fresh or dried. Contains the highest antioxidant level of any fruit type. Drought tolerant once established and very cold hardy. Self-fertile. USDA zone 5-9
FUJI APPLE Introduction from Japan that quickly became CA’s favorite apple. Sweet, very crisp and flavorful, excellent keeper. Dull reddish orange skin, sometimes russeted. Ripe mid September. Excellent pollinizer for other apple varieties. Low chilling requirement - less than 500 hours. Self-fruitful. USDA Zones 6 - 9

GALA APPLE (Original Gala) Wonderful dessert apple from New Zealand. Crisp, nice blend of sweetness and tartness, rich flavor. Skin reddish orange over yellow. Early harvest, 2 - 3 weeks before Red Delicious. Good pollinizer for other varieties. Adapted to cold and warm-winter climates. Chilling requirement less than 500 hours. Self-fruitful. USDA Zones 4 - 10

GOLDEN DELICIOUS APPLE (Yellow Delicious) Long-time favorite for its sweetness and flavor. Reliable producer, adapted to many climates. Pollinizer for Red Delicious. Mid season harvest (September in Central CA.). 700 hours. Self-fruitful. USDA Zones 5 - 10

GRANNY SMITH APPLE From New Zealand. Large, late, green, all-purpose. Crisp, tart, excellent keeper. Requires long summer. Thrives in hot climates. 400 hours. Prolonged bloom: good pollinizer for other apples. Self-fruitful. USDA Zones 6 - 9

HONEYCRISP APPLE Winter hardy tree from the University of Minnesota. Fruit is crisp and juicy with an aromatic flavor. Stripped red over yellow color. Stores well. Ripens mid August. Pollenized by Gala, Granny Smith, Empire, McIntosh and Red Delicious. USDA Zones 3 - 8

JONAGOLD APPLE Superb flavor; a connoisseurs’ choice. A cross of Jonathan and Golden Delicious. Yellow with red-orange blush. Crisp, juicy, subacid, all-purpose. 700 - 800 hours. Pollenized by Fuji, Gala, Granny Smith or Red Delicious, but not Golden Delicious.

NORTHERN SPY APPLE Large, firm fruit is aromatic, with a lively, tart flavor. Greenish-yellow skin with red blush or stripes. Dessert/cooking, excellent keeper. Winter hardy, vigorous tree. Slow to begin bearing. Harvest about 10 days after Golden Delicious. 1,000 hours. Pollenized by Golden Delicious. USDA Zones 4 - 7

HARCOT APRICOT From Canada. Frost hardy late bloom. Resists brown rot and perennial canker. Medium to large fruit ripens early to mid-June in Central CA. Sweet, juicy, rich flavor one of the best. 700 hours. Self-fruitful.

HUNZA APRICOT Native to northwest Pakistan, the fruit is sweet and flavorful. Very cold hardy.

BING CHERRY Large, firm, juicy, sweet, nearly black when ripe superb flavor, the No. 1 cherry. Mid-season. Large vigorous tree. Pollenized by Black Tart, Van, Rainier and Lapins. Also Stella in colder climates. 700 hours. USDA Zones 5 - 9

BLACK TARTARIAN CHERRY Medium-sized, nearly black, sprightly flavor, early season. Vigorous, productive tree. 700 hours. Pollinzer required - interfruitful with all popular sweet cherries. USDA Zones 5 - 7

CRAIG’S CRIMSON CHERRY Taste test winner. Self-fruitful, natural semi-dwarf sweet cherry. Dark red to nearly black, medium to large size, wonderful spicy flavor, very firm texture. Mature tree size about 2/3 of standard (smaller when budded onto Colt or Mahaleb rootstock). Mid-season. 500-600 hours. (Expired Pat. No.7320). USDA Zones 5 - 9 (Zaiger)

RAINIER SWEET CHERRY Large, yellow with red blush. Sweet and flavorful. Very cold hardy. Mid-season harvest. 700 hours. Pollenized by Van, Lambert, Lapins, Black Tartarian & Bing. USDA Zones 5 - 9

STELLA CHERRY Self-fruitful - no pollinzer needed. Large, nearly black, richly flavored sweet cherry similar to its parent, Lambert. Late harvest. 400 hours. Pollinates Bing, except in mild winter climates. USDA Zones 5 - 9

UTAH GIANT CHERRY The industry favorite sweet cherry in Utah. Larger, firmer, more flavorful than Bing or Lambert. Good canner. Does not double. 800 hours. Pollenizer required Bing, Lambert, Rainier, Van. USDA Zones 5 - 9

VAN CHERRY Very cold hardy, reliable, heavy bearing. Fine fruit similar to Bing, though usually smaller. 700 hours. Pollenizer required - interfruitful with all popular sweet cherries. USDA Zones 4 - 9

SUGAR CANE JUJUBE “Chinese date.” Round fruit is smaller than Li. Sweet, crunchy flesh. Tree is precocious, hardy, drought resistant, virtually pest and disease free. Requires long, hot summer. Very low chill requirement. Partly Self-fruitful.

CAVALIER NECTARINE From Virginia. Orange-yellow skin blushed with mottled dark red. Medium size, firm, aromatic, yellow freestone fruit resistant to brown rot. Ripens mid to late July in Central CA, one week before Elberta peach. Hardy, showy blossom. 700-800 hours. Self-fruitful.

FANTASIA NECTARINE Popular, large, yellow freestone. Early harvest fruit is firm ripe and tangy, later harvest is sweet, with rich flavor; high scoring in taste tests. Late July/early August in Central CA. 500 hours or less. Self-fruitful.

HARKO NECTARINE One of the highest scoring nectarines in DWN fruit tastings. Cold hardy Canadian variety has showy, large, single pink blossoms. Ripens with Redhaven Peach in early July in Central CA. Tolerant of bacterial spot and brown rot. 800 hrs. Self-fruitful.

INDEPENDENCE NECTARINE Bright red skin, firm yellow freestone. Rich flavor, tangy and sweet, one of the best. Consistently very high-scoring in taste tests. Winter & frost hardy, very reliable producer. Early July in Central CA. 700 hours. Self-fruitful.

CANADIAN HARMONY PEACH Late-blooming, vigorous tree. Cold hardiness comparable to Redhaven. Medium to large, firm, yellow freestone with red near the pit. Skin almost entirely blushed red. Ripens just before Halehaven. Used fresh and for freezing. From Ontario, Canada. Introduced in 1968. 1,000 hours. Self-fruitful.

POLLY WHITE PEACH One of the most winter hardy peach varieties. Developed in Iowa, hardy to -20°F. Reliable crops of tasty, sweet, medium sized, white-fleshed fruit. Crimson-blushed white skin. 1,000 hours. Self-fruitful.
RANGER PEACH One of the best late-blooming/frost hardy peaches for cold climates. Medium sized, full-flavored, high quality yellow freestone.


SUNCREST PEACH Large, very firm, fine-flavored, yellow freestone. Bright red skin over yellow. Suncrest is the peach immortalized by the book Epitaph for a Peach: Four Seasons on My Family Farm, by David Mas Masumoto (1995). Harvest late July in Central CA. Frost hardy. 900 hours. Self-fruitful.

VETERAN PEACH One of the most reliable peaches for cold climates: winter hardy and late blooming. Yellow to yellow orange skin. Yellow flesh is freestone when fully ripe, and richly flavored. Harvest one week before Elberta. 900 hours. Self-fruitful.

BARTLETT PEAR World’s most popular pear. Early mid-season, high quality, tolerates hot summers. 500-600 hours. Self-fruitful in most climates of Western U.S. Elsewhere, pollinated by Bosc, D’Anjou, Winter Nelis.

BOSC PEAR Long & narrow shape, brown skin. Superb quality, one of the best. Harvest late October. Fresh/cooked. Susceptible to fire blight in warm, moist climates. 500-600 hours. Pollenized by Bartlett or other pear.

COMICE PEAR The gift pack pear. Sweet, aromatic, fine texture, superb flavor and quality - one of the best. Short neck, greenish-yellow skin with red blush. Late harvest. 600 hours. Self-fruitful in most climates of Western U.S. or plant with Bartlett.

D’ANJOU RED Originated in the 1950's as a bud sport of D’anjou from a tree near Medford Oregon. Has all of the positive traits of D’anjou with red skin, high quality, sweet, and juicy. Egg shaped appearance and deep maroon color. Zones 4-9

SENSATION RED BARTLETT PEAR High quality Bartlett-type fruit with attractive red skin. Relatively small tree. 700 hours. Self-fruitful in most climates of Western U.S. Elsewhere, pollinated by Bosc, D’Anjou, or other pear.

CHOJURO ASIAN PEAR Russeted golden brown skin. Crisp like an apple when ripe. Harvest mid-August in Central CA. 450 hours. Pollenized by Hosui, Shinko, or other pear.

HOSUI ASIAN PEAR Consistently rated the best-tasting Asian pear at Dave Wilson Nursery fruit tastings. Large, juicy, sweet, flavorful, refreshing, crisp like an apple. Brownish-orange russeted skin. Harvest early to mid-August in Central CA. 300-400 hours. Pollenized by Shinko, Chojuro, Bartlett, or 20th Century.

SHINKO ASIAN PEAR Late ripening - September in Central CA - and excellent quality. Juicy, sweet, flavorful, refreshing, crisp like an apple. Golden brown russeted skin. 450 hours. Pollenized by Hosui, Chojuro, Kikusui, Bartlett

ALL-IN-ONE GENETIC SEMI-DWARF ALMOND No. 1 almond for home orchards. Heavy crops of soft shell nuts with sweet, flavorful kernels. Hot summer required to ripen. 15 ft. tree, very winter & frost hardy. 300-400 hrs. Self-fruitful. (Expired Pat. No. 4304) (Zaiger)

KERNER FEMALE PISTACHIO Long hot summers required to ripen. Plant from containers only, do not disturb root ball when handling. Very slow-growing to 20-30 ft. Drought-resistant. 800 hours. Pollenized by Peters.