

Belton Iris Society's 2014 Rhizome Sale

Tall Bearded (height of 27½" and above)

Abby's Fire	Clothed In Glory	Paul Clute
About Face (SA)	Cosmic Elegance	Pink Horizon (HIS) (& potted)
Absolute Treasure (AW)	Costume Ball	Pink Magnolia (HIS) <i>novelty</i>
Air Fare (SA)	Crystal Fountain (SA)	Plastic Money (SA)
Alcazar (& potted) (HIS)	Donna Hackman	Polynesian Queen
Alice Harding (AW & HIS)	Edifice (AW)	Purple Essence
Amidala	Elizabethan Age (AW)	Rainbow Shadows
And Kyler Too	Elvis Dreamer	Rasputin
Arranger's Choice	Eramosa Ridge	Reckon I'm Ready
Autumn Ring (RE)	Florence Hill (SA)	Roselie Figge (AW & RE)
Babblesome	Glitter Gulch (AW & SA)	Royal Invitation
Badge Of Courage	Greet The Moon	Scatterbrain (AW)
Balderdash	Happy Days (HIS)	School Marm's Blush
Batter Up (SA)	Hoosier Dome (AW)	Scottish Lass
Beth's Blessings	Ida Red (HIS) (& potted)	Skating Party (HIS)
Blaring Gale	Immortality (HIS & RE)	Sordid Lives (AW)
Bombay Eyes (SA) (potted)	Kudu'z Kudoz	Splatter Matters
Call Me Reba	Lady In Purple	Summer Radiance (RE)
Calling Cadence	La Scala (AW)	Swearin Ima Blarin
Casino Cruiser (AW & SA)	Leaps And Bounds	Tango To The Moonlight
Cause For Celebration	Masterwork (RE)	Town Flirt
Celtic Dancer	Matrix (RE)	Trumped (AW)
Charismatic	Muleshoe Money	Uvalde (SA)
Cheap Frills (AW)	My Generation (AW & RE)	Volunteer Pride
Chenille	Out To Lunch	Wonders Never Cease (AW)
Chill Factor (SA)	Over And Over (RE)	
Clarence (AW & RE)	Palace Beauty	

Arilbreds (cross between arils & more common bearded irises)

Omar's Stichery (AW) Purple Of Tyre (RE)

Intermediate Bearded (height of 16" to 27½")

Wright's Flights (SA)

Louisiana (requires soil somewhat acidic & wet)

Geisha Eyes Lady Of Lometa New Basin Canal Star Power (AW)

AW = Award Winning

HIS = Historic

RE = Reblooming

SA = Space Ager

Abby's Fire



'Abby's Fire' (Steve Poole, R. 2009). Seedling GG-2-1. TB, 40" (102 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards and Falls peach pink; style arms same, yellow-pink on edges; beards tangerine pink; frilled. Introduced 2012.

About Face



'About Face' (Vincent Christopherson, R. 2004). Seedling R3-8A. TB, height 36" (91 cm), Mid bloom season. Standards blue, darker midribs; style arms blue, falls white, blue veins; beards yellow, white at end; tailored form. Introduced 2007. Space Ager.

Absolute Treasure



'**Absolute Treasure**' (Richard Tasco, R. 2005). Seedling 99-TB-06-01. TB, height 42" (107 cm), Mid bloom season. Sky blue self, style arms slightly lighter toward back, falls slightly lighter centers; beards white, tipped golden yellow in middle and throat, frosty white at end; heavily ruffled; slight sweet fragrance. Honorable Mention 2008, Award of Merit 2010; Wister Medal 2013. Introduced 2006.

Air Fare



'**Air Fare**' (Tom Burseen, R. 2010) Sdlg. 07-36C. TB, 36" (91 cm), Early to mid bloom season. Standards phlox purple blended tan; style arms phlox purple blended gold; falls champagne pink blended golden-buff, gold buff hafts; beards huge fuzzy red-orange, fat fuzzy blue horns; ruffled, laced; pronounced musky fragrance. Introduced 2011. Space Ager.

Alcazar



'**Alcazar**' (Vilmorin, 1910). Sdlg. Ddlg yr 1906. TB, ML. Color Class-S3D. Vilmorin 1910. From Bulletin 112: Color effect light hortense violet, velvety pansy-violet bicolor; Standards light mauve or hortense violet, shaded deeper in recesses of creped portions.; falls deep velvety pansy violet, bronzed and veined on wide outer haft and becoming olive-yellow along the dense, showy beard. A large well-balanced flower of extra substance, firm texture, and good fragrance. *The exceptionally tall, widely branched flowering stalks are freely produced and well supported by excellent dark foliage of open growth. This is a distinct variety, and one of the best ten as a specimen plant.* Rating 89. Vilmorin 1910. This an early bloomer and it can carry any handles. Historic.

Alice Harding



'**Alice Harding**' (Ferdinand Cayeux, R. 1933). TB, , Mid bloom season. Color Class-Y4L, Introduced 1933. Award of Merit AIS 1927; French Dykes Memorial Medal 1933; Harding Prize 1933. Historic. From National Iris Gardens catalog for 1942: "Medium yellow. Closed standards and semi-flaring falls of medium yellow; bright orange beard. Strongly fragrant, large flowers on extra-good stalks. We have sold more of this variety than any other yellow."

Amidala



'**Amidala**' (Bruce Filardi, R. 2005). Sdlg. BF-213C. TB, 37" (94 cm), Midseason late bloom. Standards pale lavender-pink when fresh fading to pale peach over time; style arms peach; Falls pale blue-white fading to white over time, peach shoulders, narrow gilt rim; beards white tipped red orange; slight musky fragrance.

And Kyler Too



'**And Kyler Too**' (Tom Burseen, R. 2009). Seedling 04-96A. TB, 36" (91 cm), Mid-late bloom season. Standards and style arms white; falls pansy violet, aster violet rims and center stripe, white sunburst below beards; beards white base, hairs tipped tangerine orange; finely serrated edges; pronounced spicy fragrance. Introduced 2010.

Arranger's Choice



'**Arranger's Choice**' (Bob Brown, R. 1987). Sdlg. 84-29. TB, 36" (91 cm), M. Lightly ruffled medium violet blue, darker blaze around beard; self beard, yellow at base. Introduced 1987.

Autumn Ring



'**Autumn Ring**' (Michael Sutton, R. 2009). Seedling U-71-D. TB, 32" (81 cm). Midseason late bloom and rebloom. Standards primrose veined white, slight white edge; Falls white, 1/2" red-purple, yellow and brown rim; beards white tipped yellow; ruffled; slight spicy fragrance. Introduced 2010.

Babblesome



'Babblesome' (Tom Burseen, R. 2010) Sdlg. 07-381A. TB, 33" (84 cm), Mid to late bloom season. Standards and style arms gold; falls purple brown washed red purple, amber gold sunburst around bronze yellow beard; very flared, ruffled. Introduced 2011.

Badge Of Courage



'Badge Of Courage' (Pat Otterness, R. 2005) Sdlg. A-44. TB, 42" (107 cm), Early midseason bloom. Standards deep red Falls same, red veining over white on shoulders; beards deep apricot; ruffled. Introduced 2005.

Balderdash



'Balderdash' (Keith Keppel, registered 2002). Seedling 95-54A. TB, height 36" (91 cm), mid bloom season. Standards blended pastel golden buff to peach; style arms golden buff to peach, lavender midrib flush; falls blended imperial purple to greyed lilac; beards tile red. Introduced 2002.

Batter Up



'Batter Up' (Paul Black, R. 2003). Sdlg. G16FF. TB, 35" (89 cm), EM. S. medium yellow shading to white on upper half, narrow yellow band, white area with gold veining; style arms medium gold, edges cream, crests gold; F. white, narrow yellow band and haft veining, reverse veined yellow; beards yellow gold, 1/2-3/4" fuzzy light violet horn; ruffled; pronounced spicy fragrance. Introduced 2004. Space Ager.

Beth's Blessings



'**Beth's Blessings**' (Tom Burseen, R. 2009). Seedling 05-582A. TB, 35" (89 cm), Mid-late bloom season. Standards pale lavender blue-white, fine yellow gold edges; style arms same as Standards, more prominent yellowgold edging; falls white washed amber yellow at edges, yellow ochre shoulders; white frosted beards gold, blue at end; flared, looping ruffles; slight sweet fragrance. Introduced 2010.

Blaring Gale

No picture available.

'**Blaring Gale**' (Wanda Dow, R. 1988). Sdlg. MC-1. TB, 33.5" (85 cm), M. S. greyed yellow infused violet at midrib; F. violet; greyed orange beard; ruffled; slight spicy fragrance. Introduced 1992.

Bombay Eyes



'**Bombay Eyes**' (Hooker Nichols, R. 2007). TB, 36" (91 cm). Early midseason bloom. Standards ice blue-lavender; style arms ice lavender; Falls lighter, chartreuse veining, sapphire triangle surrounding beard; beards yellow and powder blue, very short horns; ruffled, sculpted. Introduced 2009. Space Ager.

Call Me Reba



'**Call Me Reba**' (Mark Grumbine, R. 2006) Sdlg. MG04-425-2. TB, 34" (86 cm), EM. S. white heavily infused medium pink exterior, inside center rib has orange cast; F. medium pink, bluish cast blending to pinkish white on edges, maroon veins on shoulders, heavily ruffled; beards pale orange, bright orange-red in throat; lacy; slight spicy fragrance. Introduced 2009.

Calling Cadence



'**Calling Cadence**' (Robert Van Liere, R. 2009) Sdlg. 23BS14. TB, 35" (89 cm), Mid to late bloom season. Standards and style arms yellow; falls magenta, gold edge; beards yellow orange; slightly ruffled, tight lace. Introduced 2010.

Casino Cruiser



'**Casino Cruiser**' (Tom Burseen, registered 2007). Seedling 02-199A. TB, height 36" (91 cm), early season bloom. Standards blended light chrome yellow and buttercup yellow; style arms buttercup yellow; falls same as standards, maize yellow hafts, texture veined; beards yellow gold, light chrome yellow spoons; ruffled; sweet fragrance. Introduced 2008. Honorable Mention 2011. Space Ager.

Cause For Celebration



'Cause For Celebration' (Frederick Kerr, R. 2010) Sdlg. 02-050B. TB, 38" (97 cm), Midseason late bloom. Standards white, tinted very light pink, pale blue edges; style arms white; Falls white, yellow in throat, triple edge of light blue, blue, and light blue; beards yellow base, hairs tipped red orange; slight sweet fragrance.

Celtic Dancer



'Celtic Dancer' (Robert Van Liere, R. 2013) Sdlg. 23GS24. TB, 36 (91 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards and style arms white; Falls brown fading to green-brown, distinct white edge, ruffled; beards gold. Introduced 2013.

Charismatic



'**Charismatic**' (George Sutton, R. 2010) Sdlg. V-337. TB, 37" (94 cm), Early, midseason, late bloom. Standards light peach-cream flushed pink; style arms light peach-cream; Falls light devonshire cream; beards apricot orange; bubble ruffled; slight sweet fragrance. Introduced 2011.

Cheap Frills



'**Cheap Frills**' (Paul Black, R. 2009). Seedling N19A. TB, 38" (97 cm), Early-mid-late bloom season. Standards buff peach, darker toward edge; style arms apricot peach, darker crests; falls white, light cinnamon plicata washed haft and 1/2" plicata band washed paler 1" inside band, medium brassy-green center stripe running 3/4 of way down; beards dark red-orange; ruffled, laced; slight sweet fragrance. Introduced 2009. Honorable Mention 2011.

Hybridizer's Comment: The only thing cheap about this heavily ruffled and laced beauty is the price. This excitingly different plicata has darker buff peach styles that peer from between light buff peach standards. White falls give way to heavily laced subtle cinnamon peach plicata washed and dotted margins and hafts. Zingy red orange beards terminate in greenish stripes extending 3/4 way down falls. Strong, vigorous growth produces exceptional show stalks with 3-4 branches and 10-11 buds. Barry Blyth said it gave a splendid performance as a guest in Australia. Expect exciting seedlings in a wide array of colors and patterns.

Chenille



'Chenille' (Keith Keppel, R 2010) Sdlg. 04-20D. TB, 38" (97 cm), Midseason late bloom. Standards pinkish white lightly shaded bishops violet at base; style arms cream, lavender lip; Falls oyster white to marguerite yellow shading to flesh toward shoulders; beards indian orange, very large and thick. Introduced 2011.

Hybridizer's Comment: The kicker here is the wild beard, like a glorified strip from a chenille bedspread.. or a big, fat caterpillar, which after ail is what the French word means. Lightly greyed pinkish white to cream petals, faintly undertoned soft violet, are lightly laced and ruffled. Fat, long beards are an almost glowing yellow orange to red orange color. Stems carry three branches and terminal, about eight buds, too short-branched for best show bench results, but perfectly fine for garden effect. Needs no label for identification!

Chill Factor



'Chill Factor' (LeRoy Meininger, registered 2008) Seedling KDXCC. TB, height 36" (91 cm), mid to late season bloom. Standards and falls clean white; style arms white-caramel; beards red, short white horns. Space Ager.

Clarence



'**Clarence**' (Lloyd Zurbrigg, R. 1990). Sdlg. ZZZ. TB, 35" (89 cm), M & RE (Aug/ NC & VA). S. white, tinted violet at top; F. light blue violet, white center and hafts; cream beard; sweet fragrance. Introduce 1991. Honorable Mention 1995; Award of Merit 1997; Wister Medal 2000.

Clothed In Glory



'**Clothed In Glory**' (Frederick Kerr, R. 2004). Sdlg. 99-088C. TB, 36" (91 cm), M. S. and style arms dark yellow; F. yellow, wide darker yellow hafts, 3/4" dark brownish-red band around edge, white area around beards, expanding as flower ages; beards white tipped gold; slight sweet fragrance. Introduced 2005.

Cosmic Elegance



'**Cosmic Elegance**' (Frederick Kerr, R. 2010) Sdlg. 03-001-1. TB, 42" (107 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards, style arms and Falls pinkish apricot, Standards darker at base, Falls overlaid lavender; beards red orange; slight musky fragrance.

Costume Ball



'**Costume Ball**' (O. David Niswonger, R. 2010) Sdlg. 17-08. TB, 34" (86 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards and style arms white; Falls blue, white in center; beards tangerine.

Crystal Fountain



'**Crystal Fountain**' (Vincent Christopherson, R. 2007). Sdlg. A5-101-AH. TB, 37" (94 cm), M. S. and style arms white, faint blue cast; F. medium yellow band and haft rays blending to cream in center; beards yellow, light blue horns and end. Introduced 2007. Space Ager.

Donna Hackman



'**Donna Hackman**' (Donald Spoon, R. 2008). Sdlg. 2003-166DH. TB, 36" (91 cm), M. Bright yellow self; beards white tipped yellow-orange, darker in throat; flared, ruffled, slightly laced; slight sweet fragrance. Introduced 2009.

Edifice



'**Edifice**' (Joseph Ghio, R. 2008) Sdlg. 03-93J. TB, 36" (91 cm), M S. orchid; F. pinkish orchid becoming deeper orchid at edge; beards tangerine. Introduced 2009. Honorable Mention 2011.

Elizabethan Age



'**Elizabethan Age**' (Lowell Baumunk, R. 2005) Seedling 943J. TB, height 33" (84 cm). Early to midseason bloom. Standards apricot, washed with translucent purple infusion except at edges; style arms apricot with slight purple highlighting; falls white with apricot rim and hafts, heavily overlaid dark purple in luminata pattern, apricot and white veining showing through white area around beards; beards tangerine, more intense in throat. Introduced 2005. Honorable Mention 2007; Award of Merit 2009; Wister Medal 2013.

Elvis Dreamer



'**Elvis Dreamer**' (Tom Burseen, registered 2007). Seedling 03-379A. TB, height 36" (91 cm), mid season bloom. Standards and style arms pale blue, darker bases; falls violet blue, lighter edges, cream hafts; beards bronze, violet blue at end, long; ruffled; pronounced sweet fragrance. Introduced 2008.

Eramosa Ridge



'**Eramosa Ridge**' (Chuck Chapman, R. 2009). Seedling 96-X-48. TB, 42" (107 cm), Mid bloom season. Standards royal purple, some white near base and on inside of petals; style arms royal purple; falls white ground heavily dotted and stippled royal purple, small white area at center, solid purple edge; beards purple base tipped light bronze; luminata plicata. Introduced 2009.

Hybridizer's Comment: Excellent bud count and branching on this super hardy plicata. There are a lot of people complaining about plicatas that are tender and rot easily. Complain no more. Not only is this plant hardy, it increases rapidly, and would appear to have a bad taste for iris borers. Standards are near solid royal-purple, and falls have a wide rim of royal-purple. With some dotting and streaking inside white centre. Violet-purple beards. Being heavily used in plicata breeding to work towards hardy luminatas and glaciatas.

Florence Hill



'Florence Hill' (Tom Burseen, R. 2008). Sdlg. 03-308A. TB, 36" (91 cm), M. S. and style arms peach buff; F. violet blue becoming light blue beneath tangerine beards; feathered violet-blue horns tipped buff; ruffled. Introduced 2009. Space Ager.

Glitter Gulch



'Glitter Gulch' (Tom Burseen, R. 2008) Sdlg. 04-259A. TB, 36" (91 cm), EM S., style arms and F. glowing bright cadmium-orange; beards tangerine orange, large cadmium-orange uplifting spoons; ruffled. Introduced 2009. Honorable Mention 2011. Space Ager.

Greet The Moon

No picture available.

'**Greet The Moon**' (Tom Burseen, R. 2011) Sdlg. 08-1003A. TB, 36 (91 cm), Early to midseason bloom. Standards white, light yellow base; style arms white, light yellow edge and base; Falls white, yellow washed edges, gold hafts; beards yellow, white at end; ruffled; pronounced spicy fragrance. Introduced 2012.

Happy Days



'**Happy Days**' (Sydney B. Mitchell, 1934). TB, Early/Midseason bloom. Color Code Y4M.
From the Quality Gardens 1937 catalog: An immense clear yellow with an unusual glistening finish. Standards pinard yellow; falls a shade deeper, the beard a rich orange yellow, many large flowers which do not fleck or fade. Historic.

Hoosier Dome



'**Hoosier Dome**' (Lynda Miller, R. 2007). Sdlg. 11103. TB, 36" (91 cm), ML. S. white, midrib brushed light plum; style arms white brushed light plum in center; F. plum paling to lavender at edges; beards pale blue, tipped yellow in throat; slight musky fragrance. Introduced 2007. Honorable Mention 2011.

Ida Red



'**Ida Red**' (B. Clark, R. 1978). TB, 36" (91 cm), EM. Deep red-wine; gold-bronze beard. Introduced 1979. Historic.

Immortality



'**Immortality**' (L. Zurbrigg, R. 1982). Sdlg. P 33 Alba. TB, 30" (76 cm). Midseason bloom and rebloom. Ruffled pure white; white beard; slight sweet fragrance. Introduced 1982. Historic.

Kudu'z Kudoz



'**Kudu'z Kudoz**' (Brad Kasperek, R. 2012) Sdlg. 4-695B. TB, 35 (89 cm). Midseason late bloom. Standards and style arms clear pink; Falls light peach background, almost solid lavender overlay; beards brilliant tangerine-orange; light lacing. Introduced 2009.

Lady In Purple

No picture available.

'Lady In Purple' (Anna & David Cadd, R. 2011) Sdlg. 27-2000-1. TB, 40-42 (10267 cm), Midseason late bloom. Standards lightly ruffled white, marbled intense red-purple, brown purple at base of midribs, lighter in center; style arms purple, brown edges; Falls white, red purple plicata markings, spots and dots, distinctive deep purple veins, narrow darker red-purple edges and tips of petals; beards white at end, white base tipped lavender in middle, tipped brown in throat; very dark purple, sometimes marbled green, leaf base foliage, color extending 1/3 of way up leaves; pronounced musky fragrance. Introduced 2011.

La Scala



'La Scala' (Keith Keppel, R. 2007). Seedling 01-98A. TB, 37" (94 cm), Early thru mid bloom season. Standards greyed pinkish lavender blending to violet orchid center; style arms creamy peach, midrib lavender; falls pale pink, center lighter and creamier, hafts flushed creamy peach; beards white tipped flame. Introduced 2008. Honorable Mention 2010, Award of Merit 2012.

Leaps And Bounds



'**Leaps And Bounds**' (O. David Niswonger, R. 2001) Seedling 66-97. TB, height 30" (76 cm). Midseason bloom. Standards white, hint of blue; style arms white; Falls pink fuchsia; beards dark tangerine. Introduced 2001.

Masterwork



'**Masterwork**' (Lloyd Zurbrigg, registered 2000). Seedling OO 33-4-1. TB, height 39" (99 cm), early, mid, late to very late season bloom. Standards white tinted pale violet; style arms white, shaded violet; falls light to medium violet blue; beards light red tangerine, deeper in throat, end blue with short horizontal horn. Introduced 2001. Rebloomer.

Matrix



'**Matrix**' (Earl Hall by Lloyd Zurbrigg, registered 1990). Seedling 86-144-5SC. TB, height 36" (91 cm), mid season bloom and rebloom (Sept/VA). Standards cream veined pale cinnamon, giving self effect; falls near-white, creamy yellow rim, cinnamon hafts, suggestion of pale violet texture veining and violet centerline; beards white, tipped cream. Introduced 1991.

Muleshoe Money



'**Muleshoe Money**' (Tom Burseen, R. 2010) Sdlg. 07-229A. TB, 33" (84 cm), Late bloom season. Standards white, fine gilt rim, open; style arms white, feathered gilt tips; Falls creamy lemon, heavy gold edges, center stripe and veins; beards marigold orange; ruffled, very flared; slight spicy fragrance. Introduced 2011.

My Generation



'**My Generation**' (Larry Lauer, R. 2009). Sdlg. 2205-2R. TB, 34" (86 cm), Early, midseason, late bloom and rebloom. Standards white base, solid aster violet top, lighter aster violet lines throughout; style arms aster violet; Falls white ground, aster violet lines throughout, lines more solid at end of petal, thin white rim; beards hyacinth blue at end, indian yellow in throat; ruffled; pronounced sweet fragrance. Introduced 2009. Honorable Mention 2012.

Out To Lunch



'**Out To Lunch**' (Barry Blyth, R. 2006). Sdlg. M28-2. TB, 40" (102 cm), EM. S. white, faint peach blush at midrib; F. champagne beige, slightly blended and darker at hafts, faint 1/4" edge of S. color; beards light burnt tangerine; pronounced sweet fragrance. Introduced 2006/07.

Over And Over



'Over And Over' (Sterling Innerst, R. 2000). Seedling Re 4622-1. TB, 36" (91 cm), Mid bloom season & Reblooming. Standards white; falls white, trimmed lavender; beards lavender. Introduced 2001.

Palace Beauty



'Palace Beauty' (Frederick Kerr, R. 2010) Sdlg. 99-061-1. TB, 40" (102 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards white, sky blue plicata marks at edge; style arms blue; Falls white, blue hafts, thin blue plicata edge; beards white; slight sweet fragrance.

Paul Clute



'Paul Clute' (Richard Ernst, R. 2006) Seedling W112-31. TB, height 38" (97 cm), Midseason to late bloom. Standards and style arms white; Falls yellow, white pencil rim, brown tick marks at orange yellow beard; slight sweet fragrance. Introduced 2006.

Pink Horizon



'Pink Horizon' (Schreiners, R. 1967). Sdlg. Y 1322-A. TB, 40" (102 cm), M. Color Class-O1P, Evenly colored flamingo pink self including beard. Introduced 1968. Historic.

Pink Magnolia (TB novelty)



'**Pink Magnolia**' (Opal Brown, R. 1968) Sdlg. 6-15A5. TB [novelty](#), 28" (71 cm), M. No standards; falls (6) Orient pink, deeper veining in heart; beard. Introduced 1970. Historic.

Plastic Money



'**Plastic Money**' (Tom Burseen, registered 2007). Seedling 03-47A. TB, height 36" (91 cm), mid season bloom. Standards and style arms light sea lavender-violet; falls creamy amber, light amber hafts; beards carrot red, fat, fuzzy, feathered sea lavender-violet horns; ruffled, serrated. Introduced 2008. Space Ager.

Polynesian Queen



'Polynesian Queen' (Thomas Johnson, R. 2010) Sdlg. Ty17A. TB, 36" (91 cm). Midseason late bloom. Standards light buff, strong midrib infused light rose; Falls light buff around beards bleeding to darker rose on outer edges, violet flash below burnt orange beard, deepest rose blending below flash to edge; sweet fragrance. Introduced 2010.

Hybridizer's Comment: This 'Polynesian Queen' is nicely tanned and robed in the soft colors of royalty. Light buff standards have strong midribs infused light rose giving way to heavily ruffled margins. Standard color bleeds down onto falls and blends outward to medium mauve plum edges. A slight blue violet flash below startling dark burnt orange beards descends to darker red purple centers. Stalks with 3 branches and 7-9 buds emerge from strong, healthy plants.

Purple Essence



'Purple Essence' (Hugh Stout, R. 2009). Sdlg. U-59-05. TB, 36-38" (91-97 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards light smoky violet-purple, deep purple flush at midrib; style arms light violet-purple, darker at base; Falls royal purple, hafts white around orange-red beard; slight fragrance. Introduced 2010.

Rainbow Shadows



'Rainbow Shadows' (Frederick Kerr, R. 2010) Sdlg. 04-062A. TB, 38" (97 cm), Early midseason bloom. Standards straw yellow overlaid blue lavender at center; style arms straw yellow; Falls white, wide straw yellow edge, violet blue center; beards antique gold; slight sweet fragrance.

Rasputin



'Rasputin' (Thomas Johnson, R. 2011) Sdlg. TA18E TB, 34" (86cm), Midseason bloom. Standards apricot, rosy blush up midrib; style arms light apricot; Falls rich wine-claret banded medium rose-mauve; beards bright tangerine; ruffled; slight fragrance. Introduced 2011.

Hybridizer's Comment: 'Rasputin' was most assuredly as colorful a character as the iris but definitely lacked the good-looks. Heavily ruffled, luscious apricot peach standards have a lovely rosy blush up midribs. Neatly ruffled, wide falls are rich wine claret banded mid rosy mauve. Light peach veins cluster around bright tangerine beards. Large flowers are presented on strong, well-branched stalks. Excellent increase produces instant clumps. Rasputin should give excellent bicolor seedlings with wonderfully colored and patterned falls.

Reckon I'm Ready



'Reckon I'm Ready' (Tom Burseen, R. 2008) Sdlg. 05-396G. TB, 35" (89 cm), ML S. shell pink washed phlox purple; style arms same but darker; F. cream, yellow ochre washed edges; large persimmon orange beards; ruffled; sweet fragrance. Introduced 2009.

Rosalie Figge



'Rosalie Figge' (Jane McKnew, R. 1991). Sdlg. 1-2. TB, 39" (99 cm), M & RE. S. violet (RHS 86B); style arms violet streaked darker on midline; F. dark violet, white spray pattern around beard; beards white, tipped violet, yellow in throat; pronounced sweet fragrance. Introduced 1993. Award of Merit 1999.

Royal Invitation



'Royal Invitation' (Hooker Nichols, R. 2009). Sdlg. 2006-1. TB, 36" (91 cm). Midseason late bloom. Standards white ground, spectrum violet plicata over base and center; style arms white and violet; Falls white ground washed wide spectrum violet on hafts and on edges; beards gold and violet; ruffled. Introduced 2009.

Scatterbrain



'Scatterbrain' (Thomas Johnson, registered 2008) Seedling Tw55C. TB, height 40" (102 cm), late season bloom. Standards white narrowly rimmed gold; style arms white touched gold on crest; falls white center, ruby veins transitioning to yellow ground with ruby veins becoming heavy ruby wash ending in narrow gold bands; beards bright yellow; ruffled; spicy fragrance. Introduced 2008. Honorable Mention 2010, Award of Merit 2012.

Hybridizer's Comment: The wildly colorful markings on the falls may leave you feeling a little scatterbrained. White standards are narrowly rimmed gold. Fall centers are white overlaid with ruby veins transitioning to yellow ground with ruby veins becoming a heavy ruby wash that terminates in narrow gold bands. Bright yellow beards continue this colorful theme. Well-branched stalks have up to 10 buds.

School Marm's Blush

No picture available.

'**School Marm's Blush**' (Hooker Nichols, R. 2007). TB, 36" (91 cm). Midseason late bloom. Standards pale creamy coral; Falls same, deeper coral hafts; beards fat neon orange; ruffled and laced. Introduced 2007.

Scottish Lass



'**Scottish Lass**' (Thomas Johnson, R. 2010) Sdlg. Tx26CC. TB, 40" (102 cm), EM. S. mauve pink flushed darker slate-violet up midribs; F. flesh pink, lighter in center, round; beards bright orange; sweet fragrance. Introduced 2010.

Hybridizer's Comment: She's fair-skinned with just a blush of color in her cheeks and dressed in a precisely ruffled skirt that accents her natural beauty. Mauvish pink standards are flushed slate violet up midribs. Wide and round flesh pink falls are topped with bright orange beards. Vigorous growth. Show stalks have 3 branches and 8-9 buds.

Skating Party



'**Skating Party**' (Larry Gaulter, R. 1983). Sdlg. 77-45. TB, 34" (86 cm). Midseason to late bloom. Fluted white; lemon beard tipped white. Introduced 1983. Historic.

Sordid Lives



'**Sordid Lives**' (Thomas Johnson, R. 2009). Sdlg. TX56A. TB, 41" (104 cm), EM. Standards white, slight gold halo; style arms white, gold crests; falls blend from white to light yellow, centers wildly washed, mottled and dotted rose magenta shading to darker rose over centers, wide blended bands of off-white to yellow, hafts veined and sanded plum; beards gold; purple based foliage. Introduced 2009. Honorable Mention 2011.

Hybridizer's Comment: Sordid Lives is as colorful and twisted as the movie by the same name. Pure-hearted white standards haloed in gold are in divine contrast to the raucously colored and blatantly ruffled falls. Falls blend from white to light yellow with centers wildly washed, mottled, and dotted rose magenta to darker rose over centers leaving wide blended bands of off-white to yellow. Hafts are veined and sanded plum. Add to it zany yellow gold beards and you have an unforgettable experience. Strong show stalks with 3-4 branches and 8-11 buds arise from clean, healthy purple base foliage.

Splatter Matters



'Splatter Matters' (John Painter, R. 2009). Sdlg. J04-14A. TB, 35" (89 cm), M. Standards dark pansy violet, streaked mottled white and aster violet; style arms dark pansy-violet; falls same but more heavily marked than S.; beards mixed violet and white, yellow in throat; slight spicy fragrance. Introduced 2010.

Summer Radiance



'Summer Radiance' (Betty Wilkerson, R. 1996). Seedling E31-1Re. TB, height 36" (91 cm), Early bloom season & very late. Standards bright chrome yellow; falls chrome yellow; beards yellow; slight spicy fragrance. Introduced 1996.

Swearin Ima Blarin



'**Swearin Ima Blarin**' (Tom Burseen, R. 2010) Sdlg. 07-201C. TB, 35" (89 cm), Early bloom season. Standards rose purple blended russet red and gold; style arms rose purple feathered russet gold at tips; Falls union jack red overlaid oxblood red, veined black, gold edges; beards persimmon orange; ruffled, laced; pronounced spicy fragrance. Introduced 2011.

Tango To The Moonlight



'**Tango To The Moonlight**' (Ben Johnson, R. 2008) Sdlg. I4-C. TB, 32" (81 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards creamy tan, some lavender influence, yellow highlights at base, ruffled; style arms pale lavender, yellow crests; Falls medium lavender deepening toward edges, paler near beards, thin edge of smoky plum, wide smoky plum border on reverse, bubble ruffled; beards very pale lavender, yellow in throat; slight sweet fragrance. Introduced 2011.

Town Flirt



'**Town Flirt**' (Thomas Johnson, R. 2010) Sdlg. Ty87A. TB, 39" (99 cm), M. S. clear medium pink; style arms pink; F. creamy white, pink hafts that blend outward to pink margins; beards shrimp pink base tipped white; purple base foliage; sweet fragrance. Introduced 2010.

Hybridizer's Comment: She's all pink and pretty with loads of ruffles and lace. She's the Town Flirt. Standards are medium pink. Creamy white falls have pink hafts and blend outward to pink margins. Shrimp beards add a little passion to this flirt. Show stalks with 7-9 buds emerge from healthy, purple base foliage.

Trumped



'**Trumped**' (Tom Burseen, registered 2007). Seedling 02-210A. TB, height 35" (89 cm), mid to late season bloom. Standards white, saffron yellow base; style arms light blue-white, strong feathered saffron yellow tips; falls plum purple, lighter washed edges, cream washed center, strong bronze hafts, black center line from beard to tip of petal; beards bronze, fat; ruffled. Introduced 2008. Honorable Mention 2012.

Uvalde



'Uvalde' (Tom Burseen, R. 2010) Sdlg. 07-312B. TB, 35" (89 cm), Early bloom season. Standards white; style arms white tinted hyacinth blue; Falls white washed hyacinth blue, color most prominent at shoulders; fat beards red orange, tattered light blue horns; blocky, ruffled, laced; slight musky fragrance. Introduced 2011. Space Ager.

Volunteer Pride



'Volunteer Pride' (Tom Parkhill, R. 2004). Sdlg. 95-901. TB, 35" (89 cm), Medium season bloomer. Orange self; beards deep orange-red; slight fragrance. Introduced 2005.

Wonders Never Cease



'Wonders Never Cease' (Paul Black, registered 2007). Seedling L83B. TB, height 40" (102 cm), early to mid season bloom. Standards and style arms white; falls white ground lined and dotted plum rose over haft changing to pale sanded wash over center, darker wash on lower, pale near white rim; beards white tipped yellow; ruffled; slight sweet fragrance. Introduced 2007. Honorable Mention 2009; Award of Merit 2011.

Hybridizer's Comment: Check out this fantastic sibling to Thundering Ovation. In written description they sound similar but in fact they are so very different. Standards are cream narrowly edged in soft gold lace. Very fine greenish gold veins radiate up and out from the midribs. The upper third of the fall is white covered with a fine network of wine sanded and dotted veins. The lower two-thirds is medium yellow-gold with veins becoming darker brick red, then heavier brick red wash. This terminates in a startling quarter inch pie-crust ruffled band encircling the falls. This is one of my favorite flowers. Placement of the flowers is a bit unusual. Well-spaced branches tend to elongate too much causing the flowers to end up on a diagonal plane toward the top of the stalks. You definitely won't mistake WONDERS NEVER CEASE for any other iris. Each year it has been a joy to see.

Omar's Stichery (Arilbreds)



'Omar's Stichery' (Carl Boswell, R. 2000). Seedling 127-87-5-AM. AB (OGB), height 16" (41 cm), Early bloom season. Standards lavender white, violet plicata marking; style arms white, edged violet; falls white, veined and edged violet; beards white. Introduced 2000. Honorable Mention 2002; Award of Merit 2004; White Medal 2006.

Purple Of Tyre (Tall Arilbreds)



'**Purple Of Tyre**' (Bernice Miller, R. 1986). **TAB**, 29" (74 cm). Early bloom and rebloom (Mid-Oct in Alabama). Ruffled purple; fragrant. Introduced 1986.

Wright's Flights (Intermediate Bearded)



'**Wright's Flights**' (G.Sutton CA, R.'08; I.'09) Seedling V-158-B. **IB**, Height 26", Very Early-Mid bloom season. Standards cream dotted pale blue, bright dresden yellow rim; style arms bright dresden yellow; falls cream rimmed bright dresden yellow, chartreuse yellow veins; beards enamel blue at end, old gold in throat, enamel blue horns; ruffled; slight sweet fragrance. Introduced 2009. Space Ager.

Geisha Eyes (Louisiana)



'**Geisha Eyes**' (Charles W. Arny, R. 1987). Sdlg. PU-AS-1-84. LA, 30" (76 cm), ML. S. dark violet blue, large light greenish yellow irregular signal with extended line crest; F. same; short purple styles. Introduced 1990.

Lady Of Lometa (Louisiana)



'**Lady Of Lometa**' (Jim Landers, 2013). LA. Sdlg. JL 1, 38" (96 cm). Midseason bloom. Standards light lavender, darker veining, tiny white edge; style arms white, yellow and lavender running length of style arms; Falls same as Standards, yellow line signal, slight fragrance. Introduced 2013.

New Basin Canal (Louisiana)



'**New Basin Canal**' (Patrick O'Connor, R. 2009). Sdlg. 05-23. LA, 34" (86 cm), M. Standards light redbrown suffused white; style arms deep wine, green midrib; falls red brown, signal deep yellow arrowhead edged wine red. Introduced 2009.

Star Power (Louisiana)



'**Star Power**' (Mary Dunn, R. 1993) Sdlg. L122-3. LA, 36" (91 cm), Midseason bloom. Ruffled velvety plum purple, medium-size spear-shaped gold signal. Introduced 1993. Honorable Mention 1998.