

Carnation (Rani) - Plant



Carnation is a species of Dianthus. It is probably native to the Mediterranean region but its exact range is unknown due to extensive cultivation for the last 2,000 years.

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Sales price R 498

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Description

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Carnations instantly add colour to a garden. Whether you use them in a flowerbed, in a rock garden, in containers or as a border, the many available colour varieties will add ornamental value both indoors and out.

Carnations have straight stems and can grow approximately 18 inches tall. These long-lasting plants have full, big blooms that give off a spicy fragrance that is hard to ignore.

Common name	Flower colours	Bloom time	Height	Difficulty
Carnation, Chabaud Giant Model Mix Carnation	Dark pink	Late spring and summer	3 to 5 feet	Easy

Planting and care

Carnations are grown from seed. Carnation seeds can be directly seeded into your flower garden, or started indoors for transplanting later. If planting outdoors, sow them early in the spring. But, make sure the soil is not too wet.

When sowing seeds, cover lightly with 1/4 inches of fine soil. Space seeds or seedlings 12" apart.

If you are growing perennials, you can propagate them from cuttings or by division. Once your plants have been established, they can be propagated by separation in the fall.

Sunlight	Soil	Water	Temperature	Fertilizer
Carnations need full sunlight, about 4-5 hours everyday.	Carnations thrive in fertile, well drained, slightly alkaline (pH 6.75) soil.	Carnations do not require much water, except in the hot months. You must be careful not to make the soil	The optimum temperature for growing Carnations range from 50 to 59 degrees F at daytime and 41 to 46	Add a general purpose fertilizer once or twice a month.

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yellow foliage. You must
spray water on the plants
instead of splashing.

Caring for Carnation

- Insects and Diseases: Insect and disease problems are infrequent. If insect or disease problems occur, treat early with insecticides, repellents, or fungicide.
- Supporting Tall Carnations: You need to know ahead how tall each variety will grow in order to provide the right kind of support. The support should be set in place soon after planting, or as the plants emerge from the ground in the spring, so the stems will remain up.

Typical uses of Carnation

Special features:

References

- <http://www.gardenersnet.com/flower/carnation.htm>
- <http://www.theflowerexpert.com/content/growingflowers/growingflowers/growing-carnations>
- <http://www.flowersofindia.net/catalog/slides/Carnation%20pink.html>

Reviews

Wednesday, 30 August 2017

This plant can be grown anywhere in the house in?indirect sunlight.

Naresh Jhorar

Friday, 18 August 2017

Can i keep it in my ac room?

Kanchana Shanmugam

Thursday, 10 August 2017

Nurserylive have adorned my garden, really beautiful!! I

Robin Hill

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