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LOS ANGELES 21, CALIFORNIA

1952 Fall Special

Giant Trumpet DAFFODILS

A gorgeous mixture of Trumpet
Daffodils in all known shades.
Outstanding for bed and borders,
wonderful as cut flowers.

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◀ *Giant* **RANUNCULUS**

The Ranunculus has during the last decade become one of the most popular flowers with the home gardener throughout California and the Southwest, and deservedly so. Plant any time from August to Spring. They are easy to grow and their beautifully shaped flowers in brilliant shades of red, orange, white, pink and yellow lend color to the garden when other flowers fail. Ideal cut flowers.

5040 Mixed Colors A brilliant mixture of all shades.

JUMBO BULBS	EXTRA LARGE
Dozen 97c	Dozen 69c
25 bulbs \$1.89	25 bulbs \$1.34
50 bulbs \$3.69	50 bulbs \$2.59
100 bulbs \$7.29	100 bulbs \$4.97

SEPARATE SHADES

5045 Red Shades; 5046 Orange Shades; 5047 Pink Shades; 5048 Gold Shades; 5049 White Shades.

JUMBO BULBS	EXTRA LARGE
Dozen \$1.25	Dozen 79c
25 bulbs \$2.39	25 bulbs \$1.49
50 bulbs \$4.59	50 bulbs \$2.89
100 bulbs \$8.99	100 bulbs \$5.69

RANUNCULUS—Giants of California

Collection No. 5050—Five selected bulbs each of the five beautiful separate colors (25 bulbs in all) for **\$1.19**.

Giant **ANEMONES** ▶

Another popular flower, that may be planted at any time from August to early Spring. In culture and growth it resembles the Ranunculus. The enormous poppy-shaped flowers come in brilliant hues of blue, red, pink, and delicate white.

5025 Anemones Mixed. A fine mixture including all the shades known in Anemones.

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SEPARATE SHADES

- 5026 Anemone, Blue Beauty.** Enormous sky blue flowers with silvery white base.
- 5028 Anemone, The Bride.** Large flowers of white and ivory shades.
- 5027 Anemone, Red Emperor.** Flowers of brilliant red. Base white.
- 5029 Anemone, St. Brigid.** An excellent strain of double and semi-double flowers. Mixed.

All above available in the following sizes:

JUMBO BULBS: Doz. \$1.25; 25 for \$2.39; 50 for \$4.59; 100 for \$8.99
EXTRA LARGE: Doz. 79c; 25 for \$1.49; 50 for \$2.89; 100 for \$5.69.

SPECIAL

5030 ANEMONES

Large 3 to 4 inch poppy-shaped flowers of varied, vivid shades. Especially rich in exquisite blues and violets, they are delightful companion flowers to Ranunculus. Same planting suggestions as Ranunculus.
50 BULBS, only \$1

COMBINATION OFFER 5055

100 BULBS (50 RANUNCULUS and 50 ANEMONES) ONLY.....

RANUNCULUS

Largest in the World! Uniformly double, of Camellia flowered type. Riot of colors in orange, apricot, gold shades, edged whites and yellows. Beautiful for winter bloom in all mild climates. Where severe winters prevail enjoy gorgeous blooms this winter indoors, plant balance in your garden in spring.
5042—50 BULBS only \$1

\$1.89

◀ *Beautiful* **GLADIOLUS** **FOR FALL and WINTER BLOOMS!**

In Southern California, Arizona and the Gulf Coast States, Gladiolus may be planted during the Summer and Fall months with great success. The bulbs offered below were dug during May and June. They have been kept in cold storage for several months and are therefore ready to grow as soon as planted. They will come into full bloom in 90 to 100 days from the date of planting according to weather conditions.

5728 Special Mixture for Winter Blooming. A beautiful blend of pastel shades with bright splashes of Red, Orange and Scarlet.

10 BULBS for 59c
20 BULBS for \$1.00

40 BULBS for \$1.89
50 BULBS for \$2.39

100 BULBS for \$4.69

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81ST ANNIVERSARY

Tulip Combination Offer No. 5950

One Tulip FANTASY plus 25 Tulips in a hand blended mixture of all the best colors in Tulips.

26 bulbs in all for \$2.00

Gorgeous **TULIPS**
GERMAIN'S EXHIBITION TULIPS

A magnificent group of giant Tulips, many new and of outstanding merit. Gorgeous range of brilliant colors..

5934 **Golden Harvest**. Large flowers of pure lemon yellow. One of the best yellow Tulips.

5935 **The Bishop**. A pure violet Tulip of outstanding merit.

5936 **Glacier**. Enormous icy-white flowers on tall strong stems.

5937 **Campfire**. A new introduction from Holland. Pure scarlet, long strong stems.

5938 **Philip Snowden**. Very large delicate rose. A novelty of great merit.

5939 **Pride of Haarlem**. Bright rose suffused purple. Large flowers.

Prices: 6 of any variety 69c; 12 for \$1.29; 25 for \$2.49

GOLDEN WEST COLLECTION No. 5940

Three bulbs each of the superb Giant Tulips described above.
18 Bulbs for \$1.75

\$1 SPECIAL

**DARWIN
TULIP OFFER**

Giant cup-shaped blooms on long, strong stems. Large bulbs, rich mixed colors, yellow, red, pink, rose and lavender.

5955 15 BULBS, only.....\$1

**GIANT PARROT
TULIP OFFER**

Artistic, beautifully formed flowers with unusual fringed and frilled petals. Mixed colors.

5805 10 BULBS, Only \$1

Giant
PARROT TULIPS

These quaintly shaped flowers are of an artistic and beautiful form, deeply laciniated and frilled

5925 **Fantasy**. Center white. Petals

Geranium-red edged carmine

5926 **Therese**. Carmine purple with bright green marks.

5927 **Sunshine**. A golden yellow Parrot Tulip of great merit

5928 **Red Champion**. Bright red with white base.

5929 **Blue Parrot**. Deep violet. Large and deeply frilled.

3 of any variety 59c; 6 of any variety \$1.09; 12 of any variety \$2.09

No. 5930—Two bulbs each of the 5 varieties (10 bulbs in all) \$1.69

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Famous HYACINTHS

The most satisfactory size Hyacinth for garden planting are those bulbs which measure 16 to 17 centimeters. Our Bedding Hyacinths are all of that size or larger.

29c each; 3 for 79c; 6 for \$1.49; 12 for \$2.89

5300 **Bismarck**, sky blue.

5301 **City of Haarlem**, yellow

5302 **Gertrude**, rose pink.

5303 **Grand Maitre**, lavender.

5304 **King of the Blues**, deep blue.

5305 **Lady Derby**, bright pink.

5306 **La Victoire**, carmine rose

5307 **L'Innocence**, pure white

5308 **Myosotis**, light blue.

5309 **Queen of the Pinks**, clear pink

Garden Size HYACINTH COLLECTION

One bulb each of Grand Maitre, La Victoire, L'Innocence, Queen of the Pinks, Myosotis, City of Haarlem, Bismarck and Gertrude.

5310—8 Bulbs in all for \$1.75

**Red, White and Blue
Hyacinth Collection**

2 bulbs each of three magnificent show Hyacinth varieties: Jan Bos (Red), La Grandesse (White), Indigo King (Blue).

5316—6 Bulbs in all, only \$2

\$1 SPECIAL

HYACINTH OFFER

5312 Dutch Hyacinths — Fine quality bulbs imported direct from Holland. One each dark blue, light blue, pink, red, white, 5 BULBS only.....\$1

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Lovely DAFFODILS

FIVE BEAUTIFUL SHOW DAFFODILS

5500 Mrs. R. O. Backhouse. This famous flower of delicate distinction is most unusual and charming in color. Flaring perianth of ivory white. Slim, elegant trumpet of clear pale apricot, deeply fringed edges.

5501 Beersheba. A magnificent flower measuring nearly five inches across, color creamy white. Perianth flat, large trumpet beautifully flanged at mouth.

5502 Fortune. A giant incomparabilis of elegant form. Creamy yellow perianth. Crown yellow frilled glowing orange.

5503 Golden Harvest. The largest Trumpet Daffodil in existence. Uniform golden yellow and flower well proportioned.

5504 Thalia. A dainty, charming Daffodil. Two or three lovely pure white flowers per stem. Makes a beautiful cluster.

All priced at 3 for 97c; 6 for \$1.89; 12 for \$3.69.

SHOW DAFFODILS COLLECTION NO. 5505

2 bulbs each of Mrs. Backhouse, Beersheba, Fortune, Thalia and Golden Harvest.
10 bulbs in all for only \$2.97.

GIANT TRUMPET DAFFODILS

5509 Aerolite. Very large flowers of lasting quality. Broad, flat, deep primrose perianth, pure rich yellow trumpet.

5511 Mrs. E. H. Krelage. Large, very fragrant flowers. The perianth is almost white. Trumpet rich cream or ivory passing to white as the flower ages.

5512 Minister Talma. Extremely early golden yellow Daffodil, free flowering.

5513 Treserve. Immense flowers of deep canary yellow with slightly lighter colored perianth.

5514 Spring Glory. Creamy white perianth petals; long chrome yellow trumpet. An early free-blooming Daffodil, excellent for cutting.

3 for 59c; 6 for \$1.09; 12 for \$1.89; 25 for \$3.69

5510 Daffodil King Alfred. The most popular and adaptable of all Daffodils. Large golden yellow flower, deeply frilled at mouth, of lasting quality in the garden and when cut. Is easily grown in pots or bowls indoors.

Large Jumbo bulbs for pot culture; 3 for 79c; 6 for \$1.49; 12 for \$2.79

Extra large bulbs: 3 for 49c; 6 for 89c; 12 for \$1.69

GIANT TRUMPET DAFFODIL COLLECTION NO. 5515

Three bulbs each: Aerolite, Mrs. Krelage, Minister Talma, Treserve, Spring Glory.
Plus 3 King Alfred extra large bulbs.
18 bulbs in all for only \$2.29

KING ALFRED DAFFODIL

No. 5518

King of Giant Trumpet Daffodils. Enormous golden yellow flowers on tall stems. Trumpets very large and heavily ruffled.

8 BULBS FOR \$1

\$1 SPECIAL

Colorful DUTCH IRIS

Exhibition Dutch Iris

Outstanding giant flowered varieties new originations recently imported from Holland.

5341 Alaska. Large flower of deep golden yellow.

5342 Aviator. A striking flower of clear cornflower blue.

5343 Blue Pearl. Enormous flowers in deep violet.

5344 Bronze Beauty. Purplish blue, lips of olive green spotted orange.

5345 Jean D'Arc. Huge flowers of creamy white.

5346 King Mauve. Violet mauve shading to clear orchid. Flowers very large.

5347 Le Mogul. Deep bronze with orange lip. A striking variety.

5348 Princess Irene. Pure white with yellow lips.

6 bulbs for 79c; 12 for \$1.49; 25 for \$2.89

5350 Collection. Two bulbs each of the above 8 novelties. 16 bulbs in all

only \$1.75

8 Superb New Dutch Iris

Orchid-like flowers of great beauty Six fascinating colors for an ideal Spring Garden and for cutting.

5331 Mauve Queen. Clear mauve.

5332 Blue Horizon. Tall medium blue.

5333 Bronze Queen. Bronze shaded blue.

5335 Imperator. Dark blue.

5336 Golden Harvest. Deep yellow.

5337 White Superior. Pure White.

Prices, separate varieties: Six bulbs for 49c; 12 for 94c; 25 for \$1.79; 50 for \$3.39

COLLECTION No. 5338

3 bulbs each of the above six varieties (18 bulbs in all) for only \$1.29

COLLECTION No. 5339

6 bulbs each of the above six varieties (36 bulbs in all) for only \$2.49

SPIDER LILY

(Lycoris)

A wonderful house plant. Order early to obtain flowers this year. Place three bulbs in a five-inch pot. Keep the foliage growing through the winter and spring. In California or in other mild climates will do well outdoors.

5445 Rose Pink shading to lilac.

5446 Yellow

5447 White

5448 Red

25c each; 3 for 69c; 6 for \$1.29.

\$1 SPECIAL

5340 IRIS WEDGEWOOD

Large brilliant blue flowers on long slender stems. Form a garden picture of breath-taking beauty when planted together with King Alfred Daffodils.

25 BULBS, only \$1

5800 DUTCH IRIS

For early blooming. Very hardy. Will bloom year after year. 10 each of blue, yellow and white.

30 BULBS, only \$1

BLUE & GOLD GARDEN No. 5530 33 Bulbs—8 King Alfred Daffodils and 25 Dutch Iris Wedgewood, only \$1.89.

The beautiful sky blue Wedgewood Iris blooms at the same time as the Golden King Alfred Daffodil. They make a lovely and striking combination in Your Spring Garden.

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