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# RED LILY

The red lily is a perennial, herbaceous plant, which can usually reach a height of 35–70 cm, but in some cases it can reach 1.5 m. The bulb is yellowish-white and wide. The stem is green and covered entirely by lanceolate-serrate leaves, slightly twisted.

The flowers are red, up to 10 cm long, borne all together, from 1 to 6 (very rarely 12) at the top of the stem. They face downwards and the petals turn and turn back. They bear a heavy scent, orange pollen and stamens that protrude from the perigon.

It blooms during July–August



# CYCLAMEN

Cyclamens have a tuber, from which the leaves, flowers and roots grow. In most species leaves come up in autumn, grow through the winter and then die in spring, then the plant goes dormant through the dry Mediterranean summer.

Cyclamen is a tender plant which will not tolerate frost and blooms in the winter, and is therefore grown primarily as a houseplant. When purchasing a cyclamen, select a plant with lots of buds that are just starting to open and sturdy, succulent leaves. The rounded or heart-shaped leaves are either dark green or marbled with white or silver. On some cultivars the margins are slightly toothed or lobed, or the underside of the leaves may be purplish. The attractive 1 to 5 inch leaves form a mound up to 8 inches tall.



# CROCUS

Crocus is a genus of seasonal flowering plants. They are low growing plants, whose flower stems remain underground, that bear relatively large white, yellow, orange or purple flowers and then become dormant after flowering. Many are cultivated for their flowers, appearing in autumn, winter, or spring. The flowers close at night and in overcast weather conditions.



# CALENDULA

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Calendula is a beautiful wildflower, very common in the European countryside. It belongs to the complex family which is the largest family in the plant kingdom. It is a related plant to the daisy. Calendula is a plant with bright yellow or orange flowers.

Due to its long flowering period, from early summer to late autumn, the herb takes its name from the Latin *calendulae* meaning 'all months'. Its Latin name is *Calendula officinalis* and comes from the Latin word "calens", which means "the first day of every month".

Calendula flowers have been used as medicine for centuries, and herbal remedies based on calendula have been known for generations. Calendula flowers have been considered beneficial for reducing inflammation, speeding wound healing and their antiseptic capabilities. They have been used to treat a variety of skin diseases and are effective against skin ulcers.



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