

# Herb List for 2007

- Basil-Ararat**—*Annual* Lovely bicolor basil. Unique appearance with mottled green and purple leaves. Mild, classic basil flavor. Use as a garnish, cut flower, or in a flower garden. Grows 20-28" tall.
- Basil-Cinnamon**—*Annual* Distinctive cinnamon colored stems, purple flowers and dark green leaves. Pleasant sweet scent. Slight cinnamon taste. Use fresh or dried.
- Basil-Genovese**—*Annual* A favorite for authentic Italian basil flavor and appearance. Tall, 24-30" with large dark green leaves about 3" long.
- Basil-Holy Red & Green**—*Annual* Slender leaves, hairy purplish stems, and purple flowers. Light Musky scent with a hint of mint and cloves. Grows 16-22" tall.
- Basil-Italian Large Leaf**—*Annual* A sweeter pesto type with high yields. Tall, 24-30", medium-dark green leaves up to 4" long. Compared to Genovese, scent and taste are sweeter less clove-like.
- Basil-Key Lime**—*Annual* Distinct zesty aroma of lime. Adds a unique citrus flair to fish and salads. Compact plant, leaves 2" long, grows 16-20" tall.
- Basil-Mrs. Burns Lemon**—*Annual* The best tasting lemon basil, with a sweet, tangy flavor. Bright Green 2.5" leaves with white flowers. Attractive and flavorful. Grows 20-24" tall.
- Basil-Osmin Purple**—*Annual* Dark purple leaves with a sweet, fruity aroma. Glossy, slightly ruffled 2" leaves with contrasting pale lilac flowers. Grows 16-20" tall.
- Basil-Purple Ruffles**—*Annual* Large, ruffled leaves. Good for garnishes or as an ornamental garden plant. Grows 16-20" tall.
- Basil-Red Rubin**—*Annual* Vigorous, purple, Italian large leaf type. High yields and great flavor. Flat, 3" long leaves, copper-tinged purple color. Grows 18-24" tall.
- Basil-Spicy Globe**—*Annual* Small, dome-shaped plants with smaller leaves. Decorative plants can be Grown in pots or used in flower beds. Grows 8-14" tall.
- Basil-Thai Magic**—*Annual* Mild, sweet flavor with a hint of anise. Shiny, thick green leaves 3" long. Brilliant magenta flower clusters—fantastic for ornamental use. Grows 18-22" tall.
- Bay Laurel**—*Annual* The traditional bay leaf, so essential to Continental cuisine. Leathery aromatic Leaves. Slow growing. Grow in a container in this area and bring inside for the winter.
- Catnip**—*Perennial* Vigorous, high-yielding plants. Cat-attracting with gray-green leaves and white Flowers. Grows 18-24" tall. Hardy Zone 3-9.
- Chamomile-Common**—*Annual* Blooms small, sweet-smelling, daisy-like flowers. Tea made from flowers may aid digestion and acts as a gentle sleep inducer. Grows 15-24" tall.
- Chamomile-Roman**—*Perennial* Aromatic, ground cover that will tolerate light foot traffic. Has similar Uses for teas as annual varieties, but produces fewer blossoms. Grows 10-16" tall.

**Chives**—*Perennial* Mild onion flavor. Leaves are a key culinary herb, while the attractive globe-shaped blooms are used as an edible garnish. Grows 18” tall.

**Cilantro-Delfino**—*Annual* A new look for cilantro! 2006 All America Selection winner. The same flavor But with fern-like, open leaves resembling dill. Same uses as other cilantro varieties. Grows 12-18” tall.

**Cilantro-Santo**—*Annual* A classic Mexican herb. A variety that is slow-bolting. Need to plant seed or a new plant every two weeks for a continuous supply of fresh leaves. Grows 12-18” tall

**Dill-Fernleaf**—*Annual* A dwarf dill with high leaf yields. Very slow to bolt (go to seed). Abundant, dark Blue-green foliage. Great in containers or in small spaces. Grows 26-32” tall.

**Fennel-Bronze**—*Tender Perennial (reseeds)* Gorgeous reddish-bronze color in the foliage. Vigorous uniform variety that is slow to bolt (go to seed). Leaves have a sweet flavor, nice addition to salads, cole slaw, and dressings. Non-bulbing type. Grows 24-36” tall.

**Lavender—Dutchmill**—*Perennial* Long spikes of dark violet flowers. Whitish-grey foliage. Attracts Butterflies. Grows 24” tall.

**Lavender-French**—*Perennial* Features fragrant dark violet flowers. A great accent plant with fine, silvery foliage. Use in borders, pots, as a cut flower, or in potpourri. Grows 36” tall.

**Lavender-Grosso**—*Perennial* Extremely fragrant deep violet flowers atop attractive silver green foliage. A butterfly magnet Grows 24” tall.

**Lavender-Hidcote Blue**—*Perennial* Attractive dark purple flowers above a dense mound of fine-leaved, silvery, aromatic foliage. Use in borders, a garden accent, fresh or dried. Grows 12-18” tall.

**Lavender-Lady**—*Perennial* Aromatic, beautiful silvery foliage and deep lavender-blue flowers. Use in borders, a garden accent, fresh or dried. Grows 18” tall.

**Lavender-Royal Velvet**—*Perennial* Produces the longest stems of any lavender. Very long, dark purple flower heads. Green foliage. Dries well. Grows 18-20” tall.

**Lemon Balm**—*Perennial* Produces abundant supply of lemony , fresh leaves for tea and salads. Easy to grow. Grows 18-26” tall.

**Lemon Grass**—*Annual* Aromatic grass from India. Used for flavorings and perfumes. Grow in a container if you do not want it to freeze in winter. Grows 36” tall.

**Lemon Verbena**—*Annual* A wonderful smelling herb with long, narrow leaves, white flowers. A strong lemon fragrance and flavor. Use in drinks, jams, fruit salads and potpourri. Grows 36” tall.

**Marjoram**—*Annual* Elegant and versatile culinary herb. Aroma is similar to oregano, but sweeter and more balsam-like. Grows 10”-24” tall.

**Mint-Apple**—*Perennial* Soft, gray-green round leaves have a fruity fragrance and apple flavor. Use in borders, drinks, candies and vegetables. Grows 24-36” tall.

- Mint-Chocolate**—*Perennial* Features dark leaves, purple stems and lavender flowers. Delightful peppermint patty fragrance and flavor. Use in borders, drinks, candy. Grows 24" tall.
- Mint-Orange**—*Perennial* Attractive green foliage with red veins, a delightful citrus flavor and aroma. Use in borders, potpourri, drinks, candies and vegetables. Grows 24" tall.
- Mint-Peppermint**—*Perennial* Large, serrated, strongly scented leaves with purplish stems and reddish violet flowers. Use in borders, teas, jellies and desserts. Grows 20-24" tall.
- Mint-Spearmint**—*Perennial* Dark green serrated leaves that are highly flavored and a strong mint scent. Grows 24" tall.
- Oregano-Greek**—*Perennial* Heavy oregano aroma; great for pizza and Italian cooking. Characteristic dark green leaves with white flowers. Use fresh or dried in stews, fish, and meats. Grows 24"
- Parsley-Italian Large Leaf**—*Biannual* Flat, glossy, dark green leaves have a strong parsley/celery flavor for use fresh or dried. Grows 18-20" tall.
- Parsley-Starke (Curley)**—*Biannual* Intense curled leaves make exceptionally beautiful garnishes. Mild flavor, good yields. Grows 14-16" tall.
- Rosemary**—*Tender Perennial* Needle like leaves with a soft pine aroma Use fresh or dried in a variety of dishes. Grows 30" tall.
- Rosemary-Hill Hardy**—*Tender Perennial* Needle-like leaves with a soft pine aroma. Use fresh or dried. A sturdy upright selection, reputedly hardy to Zone 6. Grows 24" tall.
- Rosemary-Pine-Scented**—*Tender Perennial* Upright growth habit. Distinctive, strong pine scent. Grows 24" tall.
- Rue**—*Perennial* Lacy blue-green ornamental. Bushy growth habit ideal for short borders. Pungent aroma. Limited culinary use due to strong bitter flavor. Grows 24-36" tall.
- Sage-Garden**—*Perennial* Handsome, dusty green leaves. Use in dressings, sausage, sauces, and tea. Makes a good base for dried wreaths. Grows 16-30" tall.
- Sage-Gold Variegated**—*Tender perennial* Long, oval green and good leaves. Blooms lavender-blue flowers. A milder flavor than standard sage. Grows 24" tall.
- Sage-Pineapple**—*Annual* Shrubby growth habit with attractive scarlet flowers and wonderful pineapple scented leaves. Use leaves for jams, jellies and for garnishes. Grows 36" tall.
- Sage-Purple**—*Tender Perennial* Aromatic purple foliage with striking blue flowers. Attractive in flower gardens, use leaves fresh or dried in sausage, salads and soups. Grows 24" tall.
- Sage-Tricolor**—*Tender Perennial* Attractive long, oval, green leaves and pink and white margins. Mauve-blue flowers. Mild flavor. Use fresh or dried leaves in sausage, salads and soups. Grows 24" tall.

**Salad Burnet**—*Perennial* Unique leaf shape for salads, garnishes. Mild cucumber flavor. Oval toothed leaflets and deep crimson flower heads. Grows 16-24" tall.

**Saltwort**—*Annual* A Japanese cooking herb. Long leaf, crunchy texture. Use as a salad addition Rich in vitamins and nutrients. Grows 12" tall.

**Savory-Summer**—*Annual* Dark green leaves add a peppery flavor to culinary dishes such as beans, cabbage, and sauerkraut. Grows 10-18" tall.

**Savory-Winter**—*Perennial* The perennial cousin to summer savory, with thicker and shinier leaves. Flavor is more pungent and biting. Use to flavor beans, cabbage. Grows 10-18" tall.

**Scented Geranium-Bug Off**—*Annual* Geranium has large deeply cut leaves with a citronella Scent.

**Scented Geranium-Dr. Livingston**—*Annual* Also call Skeleton Leaf Rose. Has deep cut leaves with a rough, raspy texture and a rose scent.

**Scented Geranium-Fair Ellen**—*Annual* Leaves are slightly lobed with purple-brown midrib markings. Has a strong pungent scent. Low growing oak leaf type and looks good in pots.

**Scented Geranium-Grey Lady Plymouth**—*Annual* Deep divided grey-green leaved edged with white. Lovely rose scent and small lavender flowers.

**Scented Geranium-Lemon**—*Annual* One of the most popular of the lemon-scented geraniums. It has small, roundish, crinkled leaves. Stiff, upright stems, that left unpruned with cascade as they lengthen, making it attractive in a container.

**Scented Geranium-Lime**—*Annual* Has smooth roundish leaves that are slightly ruffled, and sweetly lime scented. Will grow tall and lanky if not pruned frequently. Small pale lavender flowers.

**Scented Geranium-Old Fashioned Rose**—*Annual* Grows to a medium height, with gray-green Strongly indented leaves and a nice rose scent. Blooms small lavender flowers.

**Scented Geranium-Peppermint**—*Annual* A large sprawling plant with large, lobed leaves with a wonderfully soft, velvety texture. Quickly fills a container. Prefers afternoon shade.

**Scented Geranium-Pungent Peppermint**—*Annual* Plant has deep cut gray-green leaves. Grows to a medium size and has a nice mint scent and mauve flowers.

**Scented Geranium-Snowflake Rose**—*Annual* Attractive large, slightly fuzzy leaves have a hit-or-miss white variegation. Good choice for large containers. Has a lemon-rose scent.

**Scented Geranium-Strawberry**—*Annual* Has small dark green trilobed leaves with a crinkled edge and the sweet fragrance of strawberry and citrus. Blooms pale pink flowers.

**Spilanthes**—*Annual* Also called the "toothache plant" as chewing on a leaf will numb your mouth for Several minutes. A fun ornamental that blooms olive-shaped golden yellow flowers with a Deep burgundy red eye. Attractive bronze foliage. Grows 12-15" tall.

**Stevia**—*Annual* Incredibly sweet leaves are an herbal alternative to sugar. Use fresh or dried, to sweeten food. Bushy, high yielding plants. Grows 18-30" tall.

**Tarragon-French**—*Annual* Features narrow, dark green leaves with a mild, anise like flavor. Use fresh, dried or frozen to flavor vinegars, sauces, meats and eggs. Grows 36" tall.

**Thymus-Elfin**—*Perennial* Tight, creeping ground cover with mats of tiny, dark-green foliage and pink flowers in summer. Perfect for miniature or rock gardens. Grows 2" tall.

**Thymus-German Winter**—*Perennial* Classic culinary and ornamental herb. Small, round to needle-shaped, evergreen leaves on woody stems. Good flavor and yields. Grows 8-12" tall.

**Thymus-Highland Crème**—*Perennial* Attractive fragrant cream and green, variegated, evergreen foliage. Showy, white-pink flowers. Use as edging or ground cover. Grows 2-3" tall.

**Thymus-Latavin Lucy**—*Perennial* Dark green, shiny foliage with rosy-purple flowers. Great choice for between stepping stones. Grows 2" tall.

**Thymus-Lemon**—*Perennial* Attractive tiny, light green leaves with lemon scent. Small clusters of tiny pink flowers. Use as ground cover, in rock gardens, or for edging. Grows 12" tall.

**Thymus-Minus**—*Perennial* Fragrant evergreen foliage and showy light pink flowers. Use as a ground cover or between stepping stones. Grows 1" tall.

**Thymus-Red Creeping**—*Perennial* Blooms reddish-pink flowers on mat forming, smooth dark leaves of sweetly scented foliage. Excellent used as a ground cover. Grows 4" tall.

**Thymus-Silver**—*Perennial* Features a shrubby growth habit of tiny leaves edged in silver. Use as a low border for the herb, vegetable or flower garden. Grows 12" tall.

**Thymus-Victor Reiter**—*Perennial* Blooms rosy-pink flowers amid mats of rich green tiny leaves. Use as a ground cover or between stepping stones. Grows 2" tall.

**Thymus-Wooly**—*Perennial* Attractive dense, silver-grey, wooly foliage provides a mat-like covering. Use as a ground cover, in rock gardens and between stepping stones. Grows 2-4" tall.