

Flower Availability

<u>Spring</u>	<u>Summer</u>	<u>Autumn</u>	<u>Winter</u>
Chrysanthemum	Aster	Chrysanthemum	Tropicals
Daffodil	Marigold	Daisy	Rose
Lily	Lisianthus	Hydrangea	Chrysanthemum
Ranunculus	Orchid	Dahlia	Freesia
Daisy	Heather	Iris	Iris
Orchid	Peony	Orchid	Calla Lily
Freesia	Iris	Freesia	Hydrangea
Tropicals	Rose	Lily	Amaryllis
Viburnum	Chrysanthemum	Rose	Lily
Heather	Delphinium	Stock	Stock
Stock	Larkspur	Amaranthus	Orchid
Calla Lily	Daisy	Tropicals	Tulips
Hydrangea	Freesia	Safari Sunset	
Iris	Lily	Hydrangea	
Tulip	Stock	Calla Lily	
	Tiger Lily		
	Gardenia		
	Bells of Ireland		
	Amaranthus		
	Tropicals		
	Hypericum		
	Hydrangea		
	Calla Lily		
	Dahlia		

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Glossary of Commonly Used Floral Bouquets Terms:

Cascade: A waterfall-like spill of blooms often composed of ivy and long-stemmed flowers that is wired to cascade gracefully over the bride's hands.

Classic Bouquet: A dense bunch of blooms that can be anchored in a bouquet holder, wired, or hand tied.

Composite: A handmade creation in which different petals or buds are wired together on a single stem to create the illusion of a giant flower.

Crescent: Composed of one full flower and a flowering stem, often orchids, wired together to form a slender handle that can be held in one hand. Designed as either a full crescent – a half circle with a central flower and blossoms emanating from two sides – or a semi-crescent, which has only one trailing stem.

Nosegays: Small, round bouquets, approximately 16-18 inches in diameter, composed of densely packed round flowers, greenery, and occasionally herbs. Nosegays are wired or tied together.

Pomander: A bloom-covered ball suspended from a ribbon; ideal for child attendants.

Posies: Smaller than nosegays but similar in design, posies often include extras like ribbons or silk flowers; perfect for little hands.

Presentation: Also known as the pageant bouquet, this is a bunch of long-stemmed flowers cradled in the bride's arms.

Tossing: This copy of the bridal bouquet is used solely for the bouquet toss ritual.

Tussy Mussy: From the Victorian era, a tussy mussy is a posy carried in a small, metallic, hand-held vase. Today, the term is often used in reference to the holder itself.

Other Flower Terms

Boutonniere: A single bloom or bud (or several small buds) attached to the left lapel of the jacket. Boutonnieres can be worn by grooms, attendants, ushers, and the bride's and groom's fathers.

Corsage: A single bloom (or small cluster of blooms) arranged against a lace or tulle doily and/or accented with ribbon. Corsages come in pin-on, wrist, and hand-held styles and are typically worn by mothers and grandmothers. Orchids and gardenias are popular choices.

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