

**Nature's Palate:
Fresh Floral Designs
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Vase Arrangements



Capturing the spirit of the holiday season, this arrangement highlights a stunning pop of color with the beautiful red Amaryllis.

Using a newly purchased Polish pottery vase, the inaugural arrangement for this vessel features a blend of verdant greenery and delicate white hypericum berries.



This trio of spring branches features three stages of growth: bare birch branches, budding dogwood branches and blooming weeping pink cherry branches, elegantly displayed in a tall, fluted vase. This arrangement towers at 42”.



An enchanting springtime arrangement in shades of pink and purple, showcasing tulips, roses, lilac sprigs, and soft purple gypsophila.

The choice of vessel can dramatically enhance the overall look of an arrangement. Here, the sleek black vase beautifully contrasts with the double bloom narcissus stems, adding a striking style to the display.



Centerpieces

An attractive array of roses, stock flowers, spider mums, dianthus, and mini gerbera daisies grace this compote dish. Coontie palm branches lend a dramatic flourish, extending the design with elegance.



This centerpiece features a pleasing blend of tulips, roses, and iris, accentuated by the round foliage of silver dollar eucalyptus.

Bud Vase Arrangements



Miniature gerbera daisies and alstroemeria arranged in a petite glass bud vase.

This lovely bud vase arrangement showcases a single tulip surrounded by pink spray roses, beautifully complemented by contrasting green Hypericum berries.



Flowers Under Glass



Encased within a glass cloche, this arrangement showcases a vibrant red Gerbera daisy. Forsythia and golden aster enhance the yellow center of the daisy, while curly willow and pussy willow introduce texture and graceful movement.

Beneath the glass, moss and stones spill onto the birch base, creating a natural and captivating display.

Garlands



This garland is intricately wired with eucalyptus, wax flower stems, hypericum berries, and gypsophila, topped off with lovely white

rosebuds and delicate pink rose buds.



Hand Bouquets



The focal flower of this bouquet is the rose, highlighting a lovely yellow and white theme. To exude joy and warmth, this informal and airy bouquet features Star of Bethlehem, dianthus, ranunculus, eucalyptus, St. John's Wort, and Asparagus Virgatus—a South African broom fern.

Stunning lavender roses, creamy ivory ranunculus, and wax flower stems harmoniously intertwine in this exquisite hand-tied bouquet.



Boutonnieres



Ideal for spring, a petite baby daffodil peeks out from the side of this boutonniere. White gypsophila and carefully arranged leaves accentuate the large daffodil in this design.

Orchid Lei



This fresh orchid lei features stunning blooms of green and purple Dendrobium orchids.

Succulents

Utilizing an aged, natural tree root, air succulents are artfully arranged around it to evoke a serene and captivating effect. The selection of air succulents features Usneoides Silver Sage, Straminea, Concolor, Brachycaulos, Cacticola, Ionantha, and Stricta varieties.



Ikebana

Ikebana is the Japanese art of floral arrangement. It is characterized by its minimalist and harmonious compositions while emphasizing balance, simplicity, and the appreciation of natural beauty. Ikebana arrangements often incorporate elements such as line, form, and space to create striking visual expressions that reflect the changing seasons and invoke a sense of tranquility.



Cherry blossom branches and calla lilies are arranged at precise angles, showcasing the beauty of simplicity and negative space in the arrangement.

Spring is in the air! Tulip leaves are manipulated to bend, creating a green base for the pink and white Hyacinths. A solitary tulip stands nestled among birch branches.

