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*Jelle Roos*  
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*Concord, Massachusetts*





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# *A Message to Gladiolus Lovers:*

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR PLANTING GLADIOLUS BULBS

Gladioli are very easy to grow and will do well in almost any ordinary garden soil. If planted in the richest place of garden and given plenty of sun and moisture, they will, however, repay you with extra-large blooms and gorgeous colors.

To obtain a continuation of blooms during the greatest part of the season, it is advisable to plant at intervals of ten days, from the middle of April until the end of June.

Plant the bulbs 4 inches deep in heavy soil and 5 or 6 inches deep in light soil. To get your soil in good condition it will be necessary to spade deep and pulverize thoroughly. It is preferable to work in stable manure in the fall if possible. If not, it is advisable to use fertilizer or bone meal in the spring, such as is used for growing potatoes, being careful to mix the fertilizer well with the soil so that the bulbs will not come in direct contact with it.

Many people make the mistake of planting the bulbs too shallow, making it necessary to stake or tie up the flowers during the blooming time. This will not be necessary if my instructions for deep planting are followed.

I shall also be glad to furnish you with any other information you may require to grow Gladioli successfully.

## TO OWNERS OF COUNTRY HOMES

Names and addresses of competent superintendents and gardeners, wishing to obtain positions, are kept on file at my office. You are invited to use these records in securing a man whose references bear a thorough investigation.

There are no charges connected with this service.

## PLEASE NOTE

All bulbs offered in this catalog are of excellent quality and will produce blooms the first season.

**Remittance.** May be made by Express Money Order, P.O. Money Order, check or cash.

**Terms.** All orders accompanied by remittance will be sent PREPAID. Thirty days' credit will be allowed to customers of approved financial standing.

## PLACE YOUR ORDER EARLY

It is to your advantage and to mine to place your order as soon as possible after receiving this catalog. Please state whether you want the bulbs sent to you at once or at the proper time for planting. All orders received before March 1 will be held until time for planting when all danger of freezing in transit has passed, unless immediate shipment is desired; in which case the bulbs will travel at purchaser's risk against frost.

**JELLE ROOS**

*Flower Bulb Specialist*

**CONCORD, MASS.**



*Gold*

## NAMED GLADIOLI

Six bulbs will be sold at one-half the price of a dozen,  
 twenty-five at one-fourth the price of a hundred

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Albania.</b> Pure glistening white flower, with finely ruffled edges...	\$0 20	\$2 00	\$15 00
<b>America.</b> Beautiful soft lavender-pink; very large flowers.....	05	45	3 50
<b>Anna Eberius.</b> Dark velvety purple rose, very distinct.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Baron Joseph Hulot.</b> Deep violet blue.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Bengal Tiger.</b> A peculiar dull red with dusky bluish-gray stripes. A very striking variety.....	20	2 00	15 00
<b>Blue-Jay.</b> Beautiful pale blue, with white blotch; a very distinctive variety.....	25	2 50	18 00

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NAMED GLADIOLI — *continued*

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Byron L. Smith.</b> Most refined lavender-pink on white ground. Color equal to a very choice cattleya orchid.....	\$0 18	\$1 75	\$12 50
<b>Captain Boynton.</b> One of the finest lavender colors in existence. Small dark spot on lower petals.....	35	3 50	25 00
<b>Carmen Sylva.</b> Pure, snow-white, throat slightly penciled lilac, almost self, stem tall, slender, and wiry, always straight. Excellent for cutting.....	20	2 00	15 00
<b>Catherine Coleman.</b> Rich coral pink with throat markings of American Beauty.....	60	6 00	
<b>Conspicuous.</b> Light-blue, dark blue spot with yellow center.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Crackerjack.</b> Dark red, throat spotted with yellow and maroon..	06	60	4 00
<b>Crimson Glow.</b> Perfect scarlet of a deep tone. Very large open flowers of the finest form.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Diana.</b> Very handsome red, early..	20	2 00	15 00
<b>Distinction.</b> Very dark wine-red..	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Dorothy McKibbon.</b> Bright pink around outer edge, blending to pure appleblossom throat. Ruffled... .	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Dr. Elkins.</b> A true sport from "Mrs. Frank Pendleton." Same large and showy flower, but the original rose pink has changed to a white and the large throat blotches to a fine shade of lilac blue. A distinct and classy flower and a decided acquisition.....	35	3 50	25 00
<b>Dr. F. E. Bennett.</b> Peach red, overlaid with flame scarlet, throat speckled with ruby and white. Very attractive.....	40	4 00	
<b>Duchesse of York.</b> Beautiful violet blue flowers well placed on erect, strong stems.....	25	2 50	18 00
<b>Early Snowflake.</b> White, delicately tinted and flaked rose with tinge of yellow in throat, blended with delicate rose feathering on rear half of lower petals.....	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Early Sunrise.</b> Salmon, very large flowers. Earlier than Halley.....	18	1 75	12 50
<b>E. J. Shaylor.</b> Beautiful, pure deep rose-pink. Very choice, ruffled... .	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Evelyn Kirtland.</b> Rosy pink, darker on edges, fading to shell-pink in center.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Fern Kyle.</b> Large creamy white, heavily ruffled flowers, many open at a time on long, strong spike, refined variety.....	35	3 50	25 00
<b>Flora.</b> Beautiful golden yellow....	18	1 75	12 50
<b>Frank J. Symmes.</b> Salmon-rose pink with red center, strong grower. Ruffled.....	15	1 50	10 00

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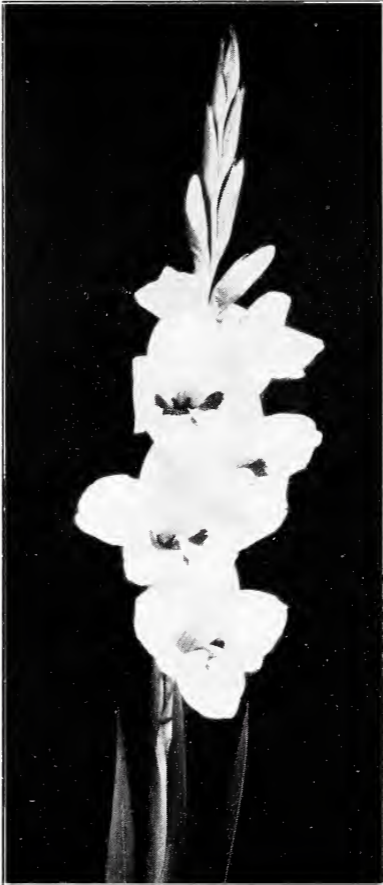


*Giant Nymph*

**NAMED GLADIOLI** — *continued*

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Giant Nymph.</b> A giant in growth and flowers. Light rose pink with creamy yellow throat . . . . .	\$0 25	\$2 50	\$18 00
<b>Gold.</b> Pure golden yellow, throat a shade deeper, slightly dotted and streaked, almost self-color. Large flowers, many open at one time and perfectly placed. A grand variety	20	2 00	15 00
<b>Golden Measure.</b> Very large dark yellow. One of the best yellow varieties. Tall and graceful . . . . .	20	2 00	15 00
<b>Gretchen Zang.</b> Very beautiful soft melting shade of pink, blending into scarlet on lower petals . . .	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Halley.</b> Delicate salmon-pink, with creamy blotch; an attractive early-blooming variety; very popular . .	06	60	4 00
<b>Henry C. Goehl.</b> Large white, slightly flushed pink with deep crimson blotch on lower petals . . .	35	3 50	25 00

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*Henry C. Goehl*

**NAMED GLADIOLI** — *continued*

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Herada.</b> Pure mauve, glistening and clear, with deeper markings in throat.....	\$0 10	\$1 00	\$7 50
<b>Idamae.</b> Very large wide open ivory white flowers, lower petals overlaid yellow with delicate rose penciling in throat.....	25	2 50	20 00
<b>Jack London.</b> Light salmon, orange flame stripes. Bloom well placed and many open.....	18	1 75	12 50
<b>Jenny Lind.</b> Pure, soft apricot pink, throat pale yellow, the two colors blending to perfection. Many blooms open at one time. An exceedingly refined and attractive variety.....	30	3 00	20 00
<b>Joe Coleman.</b> Very bright red, carmine blotch, ruffled, very attractive.....	10	1 00	7 50

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*Jenny Lind*

**NAMED GLADIOLI**—*continued*

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Joerg's White.</b> Pure glistening snow white. Lower petal shades to creamy yellow in throat with light crimson veinings. Very large and handsome.....	\$1 00	\$10 00	\$75 00
<b>Le Marechal Foch</b> (Dutch variety). Beautiful shade of light pink. One of the largest gladioli in the world. Blooms very early.....	08	80	6 00
<b>Lily White.</b> Pure white, lower petals cream shaded: very early.....	10	1 00	7 50
<b>L'Immaculee.</b> Pure white.....	18	1 75	12 50
<b>Longfellow.</b> La France pink. A pleasing color. Many large, wide open flowers on tall slender wiry stem..	50	5 00	38 00
<b>Los Angeles.</b> Delicate pink with flame feather in throat. Blooms over long period.....	20	2 00	15 00

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NAMED GLADIOLI — *continued*

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Louise.</b> The lavender queen of the Gladioli. Velvety maroon blotch toward the center. Large flowers of good form. . . . .	\$0 15	\$1 50	\$10 00
<b>Marshal Foch.</b> (Kunderd.) Finest salmon-pink with small red mark in throat. Large flowers. Slightly ruffled. . . . .	20	2 00	15 00
<b>Mary Fennell.</b> Beautiful light lavender; lower petals penciled with primrose-yellow; perfectly exquisite and distinct; especially recommended. . . . .	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Mary Pickford.</b> Delicate creamy white. . . . .	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Minuet.</b> Very large rich lavender flower of heavy substance. . . . .	1 75	18 00	
<b>Miss Helen Franklin.</b> Pure white with violet markings on the lower petals. (Ruffled). . . . .	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Miss T Rose.</b> Creamy pink. Very much like a tea rose in color. Graceful spike; an exquisite variety. . . . .	20	2 00	15 00
<b>Mona Lisa.</b> Pale lavender pink. Very delicate. Many ruffled flowers open at one time. . . . .	18	1 75	12 50
<b>Mrs. (Dr.) Norton.</b> White, edges suffused soft La France pink; lower petals have a blotch of sulphur-yellow and are speckled at base with Tyrian rose. . . . .	18	1 75	12 50
<b>Mrs. F. C. Hornberger.</b> The finest white gladiolus ever produced. Wonderful wide-open blooms. Strong, sturdy and vigorous. . . . .	1 25	12 00	90 00
<b>Mrs. Francis King.</b> Salmon-red. . . . .	05	45	3 50
<b>Mrs. Frank Pendelton.</b> Flowers very large, of a lovely flushed salmon-pink, with a brilliant carmine blotch on throat, presenting a vivid contrast. . . . .	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Mrs. Frederick C. Peters.</b> Beautiful shade of rose lilac, with crimson blotch bordered white on lower segment; resembling an orchid in color. Flowers of large size and many open at one time on a strong stem. . . . .	20	2 00	15 00
<b>Mrs. G. W. Moulton.</b> Large violet-red or cerise. Flowers placed nicely on spike. . . . .	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Mrs. H. E. Bothin.</b> Light geranium pink, scarlet centre, heavily ruffled. . . . .	20	2 00	15 00
<b>Mrs. Leon Douglas.</b> Begonia pink striped with brilliant scarlet. Pale lemon lip slightly speckled ruby. . . . .	35	3 50	25 00

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*Marshal Foch (K)*

**NAMED GLADIOLI** — *continued*

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Mr. W. H. Phipps.</b> Beautiful flesh pink with about 20 blooms to a spike.....	\$0 50	\$5 00	\$38 00
<b>Mrs. Watt.</b> Deep brilliant wine color.....	08	80	6 00
<b>Mrs. Wm. E. Clark.</b> Salmon pink with a beautiful blotch. Very attractive.....	25	2 50	18 00
<b>Muriel.</b> Extra fine light blue with darker spot.....	25	2 50	18 00
<b>Myrtle.</b> A most beautiful shell-pink, lightly penciled with rose... ..	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Nancy Hanks.</b> Tall large flowered variety shading from peach-red to orange-pink with prominent grenadine tongue.....	35	3 50	25 00
<b>Niagara.</b> Delicate cream, blending to a canary-yellow, throat splashed with carmine.....	08	80	6 00

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*This Display was awarded the Gold Medal by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society at Boston Horticultural Hall in August, 1928.*

**NAMED GLADIOLI — continued**

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Odin.</b> Deep salmon pink with intense carmine blotch on lower petals. Large flowers on strong stem. Very early.....	\$0 15	\$1 50	\$10 00
<b>Orange Glory.</b> Very rich orange color, with beautiful lighter throat; very distinct. (Ruffled).....	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Osalin.</b> Lovely coral-pink with soft orange markings in the throat; very beautiful.....	50	5 00	
<b>Panama.</b> Magnificent pale pink; very beautiful.....	08	0 80	6 00
<b>Peace.</b> Giant white, with a delicate lilac feathering on the lower petals	07	75	5 50
<b>Pearl of California.</b> Clear soft LaFrance pink blending to a rosy-white throat. Flowers measure five inches in diameter on long spike, which contains 26 to 32 buds with 8 to 12 open at one time....	3 50	35 00	
<b>Persia.</b> Very beautiful dark red...	35	3 50	25 00
<b>Pink Wonder.</b> Large, pointed flower of clear pink; good spike..	15	1 50	10 00

**NAMED GLADIOLI — continued**

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Pollyanna.</b> Clear, rich, golden yellow, almost self. Blooms medium size. Many open at one time and always perfectly placed. Fine wavy petals. A very beautiful yellow.....	\$0 20	\$2 00	\$15 00
<b>Pride of Goshen.</b> Pale salmon-pink. Large blossoms, ruffled petals....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Prince of Wales.</b> Fine orange; variety of great merit.....	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Princeps.</b> Brilliant scarlet, with broad white blotches across lower petals.....	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Purple Glory.</b> Ruffled, velvet purple, large flowers.....	25	2 50	18 00
<b>Richard Diener.</b> Pure geranium pink with a slight sprinkling of ruby on creamy yellow centre....	30	3 00	20 00
<b>Rose Glory.</b> Ruffled flowers of pure rose pink.....	20	2 00	15 00
<b>Roem Van Kennemerland.</b> Deep pink with creamy throat, very large flowers.....	08	80	6 00

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*Pollyanna*NAMED GLADIOLI — *continued*

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>1910 Rose.</b> Pure rose pink of extra fine shade. Narrow white central line on lower petals.....	\$0 10	\$1 00	\$7 50
<b>Rose Ash.</b> A grand novelty named Rose Ash by reason of its distinctive combination of old rose tones and ashes of roses.....	18	1 75	12 50
<b>Scarlano.</b> Light, bright orange-red. Fine spike and flower, finely ruffled	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Scarlet Princeps.</b> Large spike of massive crimson-scarlet flowers, 5 to 6 open at one time.....	18	1 75	12 50
<b>Schwaben.</b> Pure canary-yellow, shading to a soft sulphur-yellow..	08	80	6 00

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*Vivian Mae Wilson*

**NAMED GLADIOLI** — *continued*

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Sidney Plummer.</b> Beautiful soft yellow, suffused pink. Rich amber lip, amaranth purple tongue. Large blooms, slightly ruffled. . . .	\$0 25	\$2 50	\$18 00
<b>Sunnymede.</b> Orange yellow with beautiful blotch. Very choice. . . .	40	4 00	30 00
<b>Twilight.</b> Creamy white, finely ruffled. . . . .	18	1 75	12 50
<b>Vivian Mae Wilson.</b> Blush pink, suffused salmon with delicate lemon yellow throat. One of the daintiest Gladioli in existence. . . .	1 25	12 00	
<b>War.</b> Deep red of brilliant color, extra-large open flowers. . . . .	15	1 50	10 00
<b>White Glory.</b> Ruffled; a gorgeous pure white, with beautiful iris-blue throat. . . . .	20	2 00	15 00

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*Purple Glory*

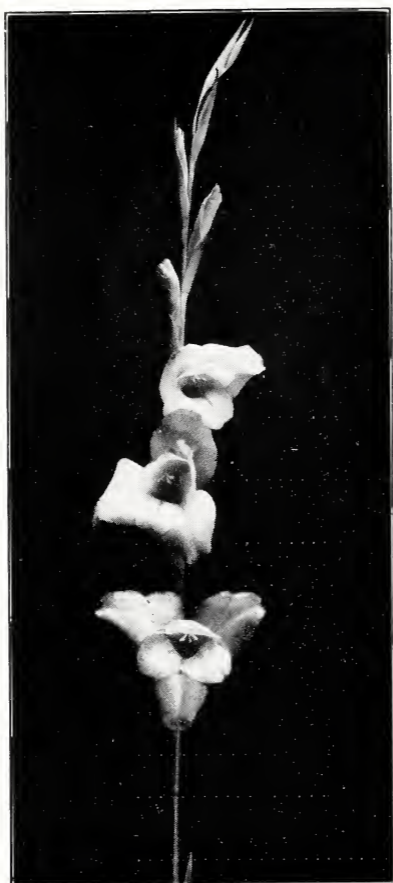
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	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Wilbrink.</b> Lovely flesh-pink, with creamy blotch on lower petals; very beautiful. . . . .	\$0 08	\$0 80	\$6 00
<b>Yellow Hammer.</b> Pure yellow with a very small red mark in throat. . .	10	1 00	7 50

**MIXTURES**

**A Very Fine Mixture**, containing several of the best varieties, accidentally mixed in the handling and growing. 4 cts. each, 45 cts. per doz., \$3.00 per 100.

**Exhibition Mixture**, consisting of high-grade varieties, selected very carefully with the purpose of securing a well-balanced combination of colors. 5 cts. each, 50 cts. per doz., \$4.00 per 100.



*Ethelyn*

**NAMED VARIETIES OF PRIMULINUS TYPE**

Not enough can be said about these beautiful strains of Gladioli. The flowers are very graceful, having retained all the daintiness of their Primulinus parents, even to the hood formed by the drooping of the upper petal. No other race of Gladioli contains such varied and beautiful tints of yellow, orange, saffron, and pink. The stems are slender but strong and tall. One bulb will often produce several flower spikes, thereby prolonging the flowering season considerably. They are especially fine for dainty decorations.

*The following is a choice selection from some of the very distinct new strains.*

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Alice Tiplady.</b> A grand, large Primulinus of most beautiful orange saffron color. Very choice . . . . .	\$0 10	\$1 00	\$7 50
<b>Alma Gluck.</b> Brilliant peach red with sulphur yellow throat . . . . .	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Angola.</b> Large salmon pink with beautiful throat . . . . .	10	1 00	7 50

PRIMULINUS TYPE — *continued*

	Each	Doz.	100
<b>Arlon.</b> Large petaled flower of light salmon. Very showy.....	\$0 10	\$1 00	\$7 50
<b>Capella.</b> Fiery orange red.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Dorothy Wheeler.</b> Beautiful rose pink with light throat, slightly ruffled.....	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Ethelyn.</b> Orange, yellow. Very striking.....	40	4 00	30 00
<b>Jewel.</b> Blush pink with large golden blotch. Tall, graceful spike.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Maiden's Blush.</b> Enchantress pink, well shaped flowers on slim spike.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Miranda.</b> Large Primulinus type, producing 3 to 4 flower spikes from every bulb; color, fine canary yellow, slightly striped with carmine rose.....	07	60	4 00
<b>Myra.</b> Giant flowered Primulinus Hybrid, deep salmon over yellow ground.....	18	1 75	12 00
<b>Orange Queen.</b> Warm deep orange, large open flowers. New and very fine.....	30	3 00	20 00
<b>Rose Mist.</b> Old rose edged with pallid neutral gray. Large spike with many open flowers.....	40	4 00	
<b>Salmon Beauty.</b> Very large flowered Primulinus. Deep salmon, rich salmon yellow throat.....	15	1 50	10 00
<b>Souvenir.</b> Beautiful, rich canary-yellow; tall, graceful spike.....	18	1 75	12 00
<b>Sunbeam.</b> Pure yellow, long spikes of well formed flowers.....	18	1 75	12 00
<b>Tiffany.</b> Pure white Primulinus of graceful form.....	18	1 75	12 00
<b>Topaz.</b> Pleasing shade of salmon over gold ground. Very attractive.....	18	1 75	12 00
<b>White Butterfly.</b> One of the finest white Primulinus grown. Creamy white throat with florets of decided butterfly form. Strong grower...	18	1 75	12 00
<b>Splendid Mixture,</b> containing named varieties of Primulinus Types. Many bulbs of the above-named sorts will be found in this mixture.....	10	1 00	7 50
<b>Artistic Mixture,</b> containing some named varieties and seedlings of Primulinus Hybrids. This mixture covers a wide range of colors and tints.....	07	60	4 00





"The Lemonade"

NAMED DAHLIAS

	Each
<b>Alex Waldie (Decorative).</b> A large, well formed flower and a particularly soft and pleasing color, being creamy ground and suffused delicate salmon pink.....	\$ 75
<b>Alexander Pope (Hybrid Cactus).</b> Attractive shade of crimson with reverse of magenta. The petals have a metallic lustre and twist showing reverse. Centre of bloom almost black. Very attractive .....	3 00
<b>Amun Ra (Decorative).</b> Immense blooms of copper and orange shading to gold and amber .....	75
<b>Andreas Hofer (Hybrid Cactus).</b> Glowing light pink with a salmon-rose suffusion. Flowers held erect, on long, strong upright stems.....	3 00
<b>Barbara Redfern (Decorative).</b> Rosy gold of excellent formation. Large flowers of great abundance on long stiff stems.....	5 00
<b>Bashful Giant (Decorative).</b> Apricot with orange shading.....	1 00
<b>Ben Wilson (Decorative).</b> Orange-red, tipped yellow. Exceptionally fine for exhibition.....	1 00
<b>Bob Pleuse (Hybrid Cactus).</b> Deep crimson, tipped white, very attractive.....	1 00
<b>Bonnie Brae (Decorative).</b> Cream shaded blush pink, very large.....	75
<b>Edna Ferber (Hybrid Cactus).</b> Glistening coral shading to old gold at base of petals. Excellent growing habits.....	5 00
<b>Ellen E. Kelly (Peony).</b> Lemon yellow flowers produced abundantly on long stems.....	50
<b>Ellinor Vanderveer (Decorative).</b> Rich, glowing satiny rose pink. Flowers of great depth held on long strong stems.....	1 50
<b>Elsa Bonnell (Hybrid Cactus).</b> Deep velvety maroon. Very large on long stems.....	75
<b>Ida Perkins (Decorative).</b> Large white flowers of heavy texture and a remarkable keeper. Considered the best white decorative Dahlia.....	7 50
<b>Jack Rose (Decorative).</b> Identical in color with the rose of this name.....	25
<b>Jane Cowl (Decorative).</b> Deep, massive blooms of bronzy buff and old gold, blending darker toward the perfect centre. A stem of unusual strength holds this giant decorative over a bush of ideal growth.....	10 00

NAMED DAHLIAS — *continued*

Each

<b>Jersey Beauty (Decorative).</b> A large well-formed flower and a particularly soft and pleasing color, being creamy ground and suffused delicate salmon pink. . . . .	\$1 00
<b>Jersey Jewell (Decorative).</b> Very large, long petaled flower of a beautiful mellow pink, fine stems. . . . .	1 50
<b>Kittie Dunlap (Decorative).</b> A wonderful color of the American Beauty rose, borne on stems of great length. . . . .	1 00
<b>La Toreador (Decorative).</b> True type of crimson color with unusual keeping qualities when cut. Flowers freely on long wiry stems. . . . .	1 00
<b>Mariposa (Hybrid Cactus).</b> Beautiful shade of true pink, centre intensified and suffused with faint violet. . . . .	1 00
<b>Marmion (Decorative).</b> Pure golden yellow suffused bronze. Petals long and wavy. Form, stem and foliage perfect. . . . .	5 00
<b>Mina Burgle (Decorative).</b> Brilliant glowing scarlet. Flowers borne on long, wiry stems well above foliage. . . . .	50
<b>Mrs. Carl Salbach (Decorative).</b> Deep lavender pink, long stems, ideal cut flower. . . . .	75
<b>Mrs. I. De Ver Warner (Decorative).</b> Deep mauve pink of perfect form, impressive for its very large size. . . . .	75
<b>Oregon Beauty (Decorative).</b> Intense Oriental red with golden sheen and garnet suffusion. A splendid garden variety. . . . .	50
<b>Paul Michael (Decorative).</b> A rich gold without any shading on long stems. A perfect giant. . . . .	50
<b>Pierrot (Incurved Cactus).</b> Long tubular petals of a deep amber, or orange-buff, occasionally showing white tips. Very striking. . . . .	75
<b>Pride of California (Decorative).</b> Huge crimson red flowers on long straight stems. . . . .	75
<b>Purity (Cactus).</b> Pure glistening white of sterling quality. Early, continuous and abundant bloomer. . . . .	25
<b>Queen Mary (Decorative).</b> A clear silvery pink. Large flowers on long stems. . . . .	50
<b>Robert Treat (Decorative).</b> Clear American Beauty Rose color. . . . .	1 50
<b>Sequoia Gigantea (Decorative).</b> A large yellow with good stem and strong growth. . . . .	75
<b>Shower of Gold (Hybrid Cactus).</b> Brilliant yellow, deepening to soft apricot towards center. Petals slightly fluted. Free bloomer. . . . .	75
<b>Storm King (Show).</b> Most reliable white show dahlia. Pure white flowers produced on long stems. . . . .	25
<b>The Bride (Single).</b> Beautiful large white with large yellow centre. Very handsome. . . . .	1 00
<b>The Lemonade (Decorative).</b> Clear lemon yellow. Good stems, free bloomer and perfect flowers. . . . .	5 00
<b>W. D'Arcy Ryan (Decorative).</b> Purple tipped white, very attractive. . . . .	1 00
<b>Walk Over Prince (Decorative).</b> A very sensational and striking flower of nopal red, each petal tipped picric yellow. Large and thick. . . . .	7 50
<b>Wilhelm Miller (Decorative).</b> Very brilliant purple. . . . .	25
<b>World's Best White (Decorative).</b> Very large blossom and very deep. Ivory white. Fine for exhibition. . . . .	1 50

## Special Offers of Gladiolus Bulbs

### Special Offer No. 1 — 24 bulbs for \$1.00 Prepaid.

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 3 LeMarechal Foch, Pink | 3 Halley, Salmon-Pink   |
| 3 Schwaben, Yellow      | 3 Mrs. F. King, Red     |
| 3 Herada, Mauve         | 3 Alice Tiplady, Orange |
| 3 Lily White, White     | 3 Niagara, Cream        |

Each variety named and packed separately.  
Catalog value \$1.95 for only \$1.00 Prepaid.

### Special Offer No. 2 — 16 bulbs for \$1.00 Prepaid.

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| 2 Rose Ash, Ashes of roses | 2 Mrs. Watt, Wine                       |
| 2 Yellow Hammer, Yellow    | 2 Peace, White                          |
| 2 Louise, Lavender         | 2 Mrs. F. Pendleton, Salmon with blotch |
| 2 Wilbrink, Pink           | 2 Crimson Glow, Deep scarlet            |

Each variety named and packed separately.  
Catalog value \$1.82 for only \$1.00 Prepaid.

### Special Offer No. 3 — 10 bulbs for \$1.00 Prepaid.

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 Conspicuous, Light blue        | 1 Mrs. F. C. Peters, Rose-lilac     |
| 1 Orange Glory, Orange           | 1 Distinction, Dark wine            |
| 1 Richard Diener, Germanium-pink | 1 Gold, Golden yellow               |
| 1 Baron Hulot, Violet-blue       | 1 Mrs. Dr. Norton, Variegated       |
| 1 Carmen Sylva, Snow-white       | 1 Scarlet Princeps, Crimson-Scarlet |

Each variety named and packed separately.  
Catalog value \$1.81 for only \$1.00 Prepaid.

### Special Offer No. 4 — 50 bulbs for \$2.75 Prepaid.

For \$2.75, I will send you Special Offer No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3 combined.

Each variety named and packed separately making 50 bulbs in all.

Catalog value \$5.58 for only \$2.75 Prepaid.

### Special Offer No. 5 — 50 bulbs for \$1.00 Prepaid.

For \$1.00 I will send you fifty bulbs of my RAINBOW MIXTURE. These are young, healthy two-year old bulbs and will bloom this season. They are guaranteed to produce excellent flowers for several years to come.

### Special Offer No. 6 — (Ruffled varieties) 8 bulbs for \$1.00 Prepaid.

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| 1 E. J. Shaylor, Rose      | 1 Marshal Foch, Salmon            |
| 1 Albania, White           | 1 Dorothy McKibbon, Bright pink   |
| 1 Mona Lisa, Lavender-pink | 1 Purple Glory, Deep purplish red |
| 1 Scarlano, Scarlet        |                                   |
| 1 Twilight, Cream          |                                   |

Each variety named and packed separately.  
Catalog value \$1.41 for only \$1.00 Prepaid.

All bulbs listed in this catalog and Special Offers are large size and will produce good blooms this season.

If, when your order reaches me, I am sold out of the varieties listed in these Special Offers, I will substitute a variety of the same color, equally as good or better.

**Jelle Roos**  
Concord, Mass.







