

The roses we have around our home are all antiques and all purchased from Vintage Rosary in Needville, Tx. We have found them to be very hearty and nearly maintenance free once established. And we have something blooming literally all year round – even at Christmas time!

Shades of Pink

Maggie, Duchess de Brabant 1857, Katy Road Pink, Hermosa, Rouletti, Cramoisi Superieur 1832, Old Blush

Red:

Frances Debreuil 1894, Martha Gonzales

White:

Mme Joseph Schwartz 1880, Ducher 1869

Yellow:

Rainbows End (Yellow with pink edges)

Multicolor:

Mutabilis – flowers are five petals but morph in color from red to deep pink to yellow as they mature – it's a very colorful rose bush because it always has so many colors on it.

Chestnut Rose – Who knows – can't get it to bloom, but it is a beautiful plant!

Climbers:

Veilchenbleu (lavender once bloomer)

LaMarque (White repeat bloomer that flowers nearly all summer – very fragrant)

Red Cascade (Red once bloomer)

We have two red climbers that we inherited from some neighbors some time ago. They are much happier living with us, but no one seems to be able to identify them. They bloom nearly all summer, with profuse red blooms.

Fortunes Double Yellow (Pink with yellow centers – VERY Fragrant - once bloomer but WAY worth the wait for the annual spring show!

Here is the Fortunes from our other house – my one now – at our three year old house - is tiny but in a few years will be this spectacular no doubt!

