

“Trees and Shrubs for the Autumn Garden”- The autumn season is a great time to garden. While autumn usually represents a time of harvest and putting the garden to rest, many landscapes are beaming with color. This lecture will offer practical information on how to garden using woody plants that possess interesting fall foliage, fruit and bark interest. Plants ideal for the home landscape will be highlighted.

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Autumn Blaze Maple- *Acer x freemanii*
Paperbark Maple- *Acer griseum* x *A. nikoense* ‘Cinnamon Flakes’
Coral Bark Maple- *Acer palmatum* ‘Sango Kaku’
Striped Maples-*Acer pensylvanicum* ‘Erythrocladum’, *A. tegmentosum* ‘Joe Witt’, *A. x*
‘White Tigress’, *A. rufinerve* ‘Winter Gold’
Bottlebrush Buckeye- *Aesculus parviflora* var. *serotina* ‘Rogers’
Serviceberry, Shadblow- *Amelanchier canadensis*, *A. x grandiflora*
Chokecherry- *Aronia arbutifolia*
Paper Birch - *Betula papyrifera*
Heritage Birch- *Betula nigra* Heritage®
Common Beautyberry- *Callicarpa dichotoma*, ‘Early Amethyst’ and ‘Issai’
Callicarpa dichotoma ‘Albifructus’,
C. japonica ‘Leucocarpa’ *C. americana*
Japanese Clethra- *Clethra barbinervis*
Flowering Dogwood- *Cornus florida*, Kousa Dogwood - *Cornus kousa*
Redtwig Dogwood- *Cornus sericea*
Yellowtwig Dogwood – ‘Flaviramea’
‘Winter Flame’ Dogwood – ‘Winter Flame’
Dwarf Fothergilla- *Fothergilla gardenii* ‘Mt. Airy’, ‘Red Licorice’
Ben Franklin Tree- *Franklinia altamaha*
Witchhazel- *Hamamelis* ‘Arnold Promise’, ‘Jelena’, ‘Diane’, *H virginiana*
Seven Son Flower - *Heptacodium miconioides*
Hydrangeas- *Hydrangea quercifolia*, *H. serrata*
Winterberry Holly- *Ilex verticillata*, ‘Red Sprite’, ‘Winter Red’
I. verticillata ‘Winter Gold’, *I. x* ‘Autumn Glow’
Virginia Sweetspire- *Itea virginica* ‘Henry’s Garnett’, ‘Little Henry’, ‘Merlot’
Crape Myrtle - *Lagerstroemia indica*, *L. faurei* ‘Fantasy’
Sugar Tyme Crabapple- *Malus x Sugar Tyme*™, ‘Red Jewel’
Sourwood- *Oxydendrum arboreum*
Persian Parrotia- *Parrotia persica*
Ornamental Cherry- *Prunus* sp., ‘Okame’, ‘Hally Jolivette’
Korean Mountain ash- *Sorbus alnifolia*
Stewartia - *Stewartia pseudocamellia*, *S. ovata*, *S. sinensis*
Sumac- *Rhus typhina*, *Rhus aromatica* ‘Gro-Low’
Linden Viburnum-*Viburnum dilatatum* ‘Erie’, Tea Viburnum- *V. setigerum*,

Arrowwood viburnum- *V. dentatum*, 'Blue Muffin', Doublefile Viburnum- *V. plicatum*
'Shasta', 'Marry Milton', 'Molly Schroeder', Cranberrybush Viburnum- *V. opulus*

Evergreen Foliage and Form

Hardy Camellias- 'April Rose', April Snow', 'Polar Bear', 'Winter Rose', 'Winter Star'

Majestic Trees

Katsura Tree- *Cercidiphyllum japonicum*, 'Pendulum', 'Heronswood Globe'

Ginkgo- *Ginkgo biloba*

Beech- *Fagus sylvatica* and *F. grandifolia*

White Oak- *Quercus alba*, Scarlet Oak- *Q. coccinea*, Red Oak- *Q. rubra*, Pin oak-*Q. palustris*

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