

TREE DESCRIPTIONS

Bur Oak grows slowly to 70'-80' with an 80' spread. It produces ¾" - 1 ½" long, ¾"-2" in diameter fringed acorns after 35 years. Leaves are dark green in summer, dull tan in winter. This oak provides food and shelter for a wide variety of birds and animal life.

Northern Red Oak grows fast to 60'-75' tall with a 45' spread. It produces ¾"-1" acorns after 25 years. The leaves are a shiny rich green color in summer turning russet-red to bright red in the fall.

Pin Oak grows fast to 60'-70' tall with a 35' spread. It produces ½" acorns after 20 years. Leaves are glossy dark green in summer and scarlet to bronze in the fall.

Scarlet Oak grows at a medium rate to 60'-80' tall with a 45' spread. It produces ½"-1" acorns after 20 years. The deep green leaves of summer turn brilliant red or scarlet in the fall.

Willow Oak grows at a medium rate to 40'-60' tall with a 30'-40' spread. It produces ½" acorns after 20 years. Willow like leaves are dark green in summer changing to yellow, yellow- brown, bronze-orange, and russet-red in fall. This oak provides shelter and food for songbirds, ducks, turkey, quail as well as large and small animals.

Rose-of-Sharon grows at a medium rate to 8'-12' tall with a 6'-10' spread. Showy trumpet shaped, five petal, white, pink, red, purple or violet flowers bloom in late spring to early fall. The leaves are medium to dark green.

3308 – 10 Oak Trees + Rose-of-Sharon



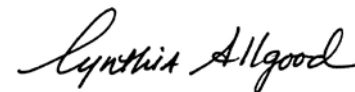
Dear Member:

Thank you for your contribution to the Arbor Day Foundation and sharing our mission to inspire people to plant, nurture, and celebrate trees.

Your free trees are my way of saying thanks. A leaf identification key and tree color code chart are on the back of this letter. Complete planting and transplanting instructions are in the enclosed *Tree Planting Guide*. You may contact Member Services if you have any questions about your trees. More complete information about each tree can be found in *The Tree Book* or on the online Tree Guide at arborday.org.

We want your tree planting experience to be successful. These trees are guaranteed to grow. If they don't, send your name and address and member number, if available, to the above address, and the entire packet of trees will be replaced free. Please enclose \$3.50 for shipping and handling and tell us which package of trees needs to be replaced. You may reach us by calling the toll-free number for Member Services, 1-888-448-7337, or e-mail us at info@arborday.org.

Best regards,



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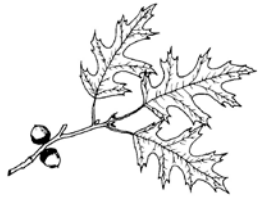
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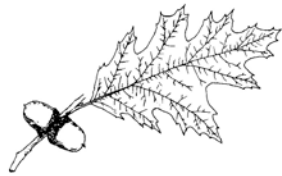
Bur Oak



Scarlet Oak



Pin Oak



Northern Red Oak



Willow Oak



Rose-of-Sharon

COLOR CODE CHART

Ten Oak Trees + Rose-of-Sharon
(Package 3308)

<u>Tree</u>	<u>Paint Color (above roots)</u>
2 Bur Oak (<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>)	Pink
2 Northern Red Oak (<i>Quercus rubra</i>)	Dark Blue
2 Pin Oak (<i>Quercus palustris</i>)	Green
2 Scarlet Oak (<i>Quercus coccinea</i>)	Silver
2 Willow Oak (<i>Quercus phellos</i>)	Orange
1 Rose-of-Sharon (<i>Hibiscus syriacus</i>)	Gold