

1977 Preview

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Preview of New 1977 Introductions

TALL BEARDED

- BERKSHIRE (Ken Shaver 77) NET \$25.00
71-62-2 (Glacier Shadows X Berceuse) TB, 92cm (36"), M-L. This fine iris from Ken Shaver is an Aster Violet (Wilson 38) self with the beard and the area around the beard pale violet. The beard has yellow tipped hairs in the throat. Very nicely ruffled and fluted with domed standards and horizontal falls. Has three branches and nine buds or more.
- CITY OF DAVID (Jack Boushay 77) NET \$25.00
J68-AF-10 (Kingdom X Wild Ginger) (Sib to Anointed) TB, 92cm (36"), M. A very clear and bright Aureolin Yellow (Wilson 3) self with the beard slightly darker. Has three branches and nine buds and very good form with near horizontal falls and domed standards. All petals are nicely ruffled and fluted.
- DEMURE DEB (Rex Brown 77) NET \$25.00
71-9-2 (69-4-8 (64-63-68 (Melodrama x June Symphoney) x Gala Madrid) X Bandolier) TB, 86cm (34"), M-L. The standards of this flower are clear Naples Yellow (Wilson 403). The falls are Hyacinth Blue (Wilson 40/1) with hafts and border Golden Brown. There is a light yellow beard. It has nice ruffling and light lace and also a pleasing fragrance.
- GLACIER SHADOWS (Ken Shaver 77) NET \$25.00
68-35-1 (58-2-1 (Ice Carnival x Luella) X Prince Indigo) TB, 94cm (37"), M-L. This has been a much liked seedling in our garden and last year with the Region 13 spring convention held here and in Wenatchee; this iris was a runaway with the votes for the seedling Queen. A very good iris and well named as it is a very pale (almost white) blue orchid self that deepens in the heart, as if you were on the edge of a glacier and looking deep in the heart of the thick ice. The flower is ruffled with near horizontal falls and domed standards. Has three branches and nine plus buds.
- LAND OF JUDAH (Jack Boushay 77) NET \$25.00
71-DF-7 (Lightning Flash X Kingdom) TB, 114cm (45"), M-L. A very bright flower with the standards Salmon Pink (Wilson 412/1) in the center blending to Ochre Yellow (Wilson 07/1) at the edges. The falls are Barium Yellow (Wilson 503) blending to Ochre Yellow, same as standards. The beard is brilliant Nasturtium Red (Wilson 14). The petals are nicely ruffled with domed standards and flaring falls. The falls are a little long.
- QUIET GYPSY (Rex Brown 77) NET \$25.00
71-9-12 (69-4-8 (64-63-68 (Melodrama x June Symphoney) x Gala Madrid) X Bandolier) TB, 94cm (37"), M-L. The standards of this flower are light Mulberry Brown and the falls are Hyacinth Blue (Wilson 40/1) with the border the same color as the standards. It has very good form with the standards domed and flaring falls which are nicely ruffled and fluted. Has three and four branches with nine plus buds, will look very good on the show bench.
- QUIET KINGDOM (Jack Boushay 77) NET \$25.00
71-AT-51 (Babbling Brook X Azure Lace) TB, 90cm (35"), M-L. This is a clear iris of Wistaria Blue (Wilson 640/1), a self that lightens to white around the white beard. A beautifully formed flower with domed standards and nicely flaring falls with very nice ruffling and light lace. Has four branches and eleven plus buds.
- VIVACIOUS MISS (Jack Boushay 77) NET \$25.00
71-BS-41 (Beaux Arts X Lynn With Love) TB, 86cm (34"), M. The flower is Orchid Pink with the standards slightly deeper in the center and the falls slightly lighter in the center with the beard tangerine. The falls are rounded and widely flaring with the standards upright and slightly open exposing the large laced style crests. The flower is nicely ruffled and lightly laced.

INTERMEDIATE BEARDED

- NAVAHO PRIDE (Alta Brown 77) NET \$7.50
M 1611-3 (M 1400-3 (M 667-1 ((Baria x Fire Cracker) x Bronze Babe) x Gingerbread Man) X Commentare) IB, 50cm (20"), M. This is a rich Red Brown blend with yellow undertones. Has two and sometimes three branches with seven or more buds. The form is good with domed standards and flaring falls.

STANDARD DWARF BEARDED

- CARESS (Alta Brown 77) NET \$7.50
 M 1670-12 (Pink Cushion X M 1387-3 (Pink Cushion x Lenna M.)) SDB, 37cm (14½"), M-L
 This is an Orient Pink (Wilson 416/1) self with the beard slightly darker. Nice form with upright but closed standards and near horizontal falls.
- FREE SPIRIT (Jack Boushay 77) NET \$10.00
 72-C-2 (Cherry Garden X M 1546-20 (Cherry Garden x unknown)) SDB, 33cm (13"), M-L.
 This is an iris that you will not forget once you have seen it. The base color is Maroon (Wilson 1030) with Barium Yellow (Wilson 503) serrations throughout the flower including the beard. A very striking iris with domed standards and horizontal falls. I have grown this iris for three years just to watch it and make sure of the color pattern and the colors have held good for that time. The Yellow does come out best in warmer weather.
- ISHMAEL (Jack Boushay 77) NET \$7.50
 72-E-6 (Gingerbread Man X M 1404-23 (M 1293-7 (Snow Troll x Grace Note) x Gingerbread Man)) SDB, 33cm (13"), M-L. The standards of this iris are Violet (Wilson 36) with tan blended in the top half. The falls are yellow brown with clear, smooth, Maroon (Wilson 1030) on the hafts and down the sides of the falls. The beard is Bluebird Blue (Wilson 042/1) with yellow in the throat. The standards are domed and touching with the falls flaring.
- JAN REAGAN (Ken Shaver 77) NET \$7.50
 71-2-7 (Dear Love X Maroon Caper) SDB, 18cm (11"), EM-M. This is the first SDB I have to offer from Ken Shaver and like his falls, I am very impressed with this iris. The color is a smooth Violet self with a bright Blue beard that looks frosted. The beard also has a Yellow base but you have to look hard to see it. It has beautiful form with domed standards and wide, oval, horizontal falls. This one should go places.
- LITTLE DITTY (Alta Brown 77) NET \$7.50
 M 1380-3 (sib to Enchanted Cloud X Baby Jewel) (sib to Gentle Smile) SDB, 30cm (12"), EM-L. This is a white self with light green markings around the white beard. Has very good form with domed standards and round, horizontal falls and very nice ruffling all around the petals.
- RUCKUS (Alta Brown 77) NET \$7.50
 M 1703-8 (Runaway X Gingerbread Man) SDB, 27cm (11"), M. The falls of this iris are Plum Purple (Wilson 934) and the standards are a little lighter, Spectrum Violet (Wilson 735). The beard is Methyl Violet (Wilson 39) with Bronze in the throat. The standards are nicely domed and the falls are horizontal and ruffled with a velvety texture.
- RHYME (Alta Brown 77) NET \$7.50
 M 1682-27 (Moon Step X Runaway) SDB, 30cm (12"), M. This iris is a light Flax Blue (Wilson 642/1) with the base of the standards slightly darker. There is light Olive Green around the deep Lobelia Blue (Wilson 41) beard. The standards are nicely closed and the falls are horizontal but a little narrow.

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- FINE TASTE (Hooker Nichols 77) NET \$7.50
 22741 (Joy Bringer X Amazon Princess) SDB, 27cm (11"), E-M. The standards of this iris are creamy yellow and the falls are white with yellow-chartreuse around the beard. It is lightly ruffled and the beard is white with tangerine in the throat.

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Jack Boushay