

Peace Garden- A Rainbow of Diversity
A drought tolerant garden inspired by the colors of the world.

The plant palette:

Plant: Nandina 'Gulf Stream'- A cultivar with bright red winter color
Origin: From Japan and China
Size: 3-3 ½ ' tall by 1 ½ ' wide
Water: Low water needs, little to no water
Exposure: Sun to shade
Uses: Don't let this common plant turn you away, the cultivars are wonderful plants, long lived, hardy, and very low maintenance. They can be used as a textural accents or planted in mass. It is appropriate to use them in dry gardens, woodland gardens, tropical type gardens and commercial settings.

Plant: Dodonaea viscosa 'Purpurea'- Purple Hopseed Bush has burgundy foliage
Origin: America Southwest From Arizona to Hawaii
Size: 15 ' tall by 10 ' wide
Water: Low water needs, little water
Exposure: Sun to shade (turns green)
Uses: Terrific background plant, soft and willowy, hardy, easy to maintain into a trimmed shape and very low maintenance. They can be used as a textural accents or planted in mass as a tall screen. It is appropriate to use them in dry gardens, woodland gardens, and commercial settings. They look amazing with cedar trees and purple flowers around them.

Plant: Kalanchoe luciae- 'Flippin' Flapjacks
Origin: South Africa
Size: 12" tall by 6" wide
Water: Low water needs, very little water
Exposure: Sun to light shade (turns red in colder weather)
Uses: Fun little succulent plant, reliable and very low maintenance. They can be used as textural accents or planted in mass. It is appropriate to use them in dry gardens, rock gardens and in pots. They look great with other red succulents.

Plant: Aeonium arboreum 'Zwartkop'- Large Purple Aeonium
Origin: Canary Islands
Size: 1-2' tall by 1-2' wide
Water: Low water needs, little water
Exposure: Sun to light shade
Uses: Dark mysterious and looking succulent, provides deep color, great texture and very low maintenance. They are best used in mass. It is

appropriate to use them in desert-like gardens, dry gardens, and minimalist gardens.

Plant: *Echeveria agavoides* 'Doris Taylor'

Origin: Mexico

Size: 12" tall by 12" wide

Water: Low water needs, very little water

Exposure: Sun to light shade (turns red in colder weather)

Uses: Small fuzzy succulent plant, great for small places. They can be used as textural accents or planted in mass. It is appropriate to use them in dry gardens, rock gardens and in pots.

Plant: *Leonotis leonurus*

Origin: South Africa

Size: 4-6' tall by 4-6' wide

Water: Low water needs, little to no water

Exposure: Sun

Uses: Terrific background perennial, brilliant orange flowers, hardy, and very low maintenance. They can be used as an evergreen accent or planted in mass for exiting orange drifts. It is appropriate to use them in dry gardens, woodland gardens and colorful settings.

Plant: *Aloe striata*- Coral Aloe

Origin: South Africa

Size: 2' tall by 2' wide

Water: Low water needs, little to no water

Exposure: Sun to light shade

Uses: Exciting foreground succulent, fleshy, textural and dramatic coral to orange flowers and very low maintenance. They can be used as an accent or planted in groupings. It is appropriate to use them in desert-like gardens and dry gardens.

Plant: *Euonymus fortunei*- Emerald 'n' Gold

Origin: China

Size: 4' tall by 3' wide

Water: Low water needs, little water

Exposure: Sun to shade

Uses: Terrific all around shrub, provides bright color, hardy, easy to maintain into a trimmed shape and very low maintenance. They are best used in mass. It is appropriate to use them in dry gardens, woodland gardens, tropical-looking gardens and commercial settings.

Plant: *Sedum rupestre* 'Angelina'

Origin: Croatia

Size: 3' tall by 12' wide

Water: Low water needs, little to no water

Exposure: Sun to shade

Uses: Low growing succulent ground cover with eye catching foliage color. A great plant to use for pots or spilling over walls.

Plant: *Phormium hybrid*- 'Yellow Wave' New Zealand Flax

Origin: New Zealand

Size: 3' tall by 3' wide

Water: Low water needs, little water

Exposure: Sun to shade

Uses: Wildly colorful all around plant, hardy and very low maintenance. They are best used as an architectural accent or in a tight grouping. It is appropriate to use them in dry gardens, minimalist gardens, tropical gardens and commercial settings.

Plant: *Aeonium decorum* 'Sunburst'- Copper Pinwheel

Origin: Canary Islands

Size: 1-2' tall by 1-2' wide

Water: Low water needs, little water

Exposure: Sun to light shade

Uses: Happy looking succulent, provides bright color, great texture, and very low maintenance. They are best used in mass. It is appropriate to use them in desert-like gardens, dry gardens, and minimalist gardens.

Plant: *Sedum hispanicum*

Origin: Spain

Size: 6" tall by 12' wide

Water: Low water needs, little to no water

Exposure: Sun to shade

Uses: Low growing succulent ground cover with evergreen foliage color. A great plant to use for large areas, pots or spilling over walls. They are best used in mass. It is appropriate to use them in desert-like gardens, dry gardens, and minimalist gardens.

Plant: *Crassula ovata* 'Hobbit'

Origin: South Africa

Size: 1'-3' tall by 1'-2' wide

Water: Low water needs, little water

Exposure: Sun to light shade

Uses: Nice blue green foliage, great texture, hardy, and very low maintenance. They are great used in mass or as singular plants. It is appropriate to use them in desert-like gardens, dry gardens, minimalist gardens or just a conversation piece.

Plant: *Senecio serpens*- Blue Chalk Sticks

Origin: South Africa

Size: 1' tall by 1' wide

Water: Low water needs, little water

Exposure: Sun to light shade

Uses: Nice blue green foliage, great texture, hardy, and very low maintenance. They are best used in mass. It is appropriate to use them in desert-like gardens, dry gardens, and minimalist gardens.

Plant: *Senecio vitalis*- Narrow-leaf Chalksticks

Origin: South Africa

Size: 1' tall by 2' wide

Water: Low water needs, little water

Exposure: Sun to light shade

Uses: Nice green succulent, great texture, hardy, and very low maintenance. They are best used in mass. It is appropriate to use them in desert-like gardens, dry gardens, and minimalist gardens.

Plant: *Ceanothus* 'Joyce Coulter'

Origin: California

Size: 4' tall by 4' wide

Water: Low water needs, little to no water

Exposure: Sun to shade

Uses: Nice native background plant, provides beautiful light blue flowers, great texture, hardy and very low maintenance. They are best used in mass. It is appropriate to use them in native gardens, dry gardens, and woodland gardens.

Plant: *Iris douglasiana*

Origin: Central to Northern California

Size: 1-2' tall by 1-2' wide

Water: Low water needs, little water

Exposure: Partial sun to shade

Uses: Cool colored strappy accent plant, provides profuse iris flowers

Great texture, as an accent or in mass, hardy, and very low maintenance.

It is appropriate to use them in native gardens, dry gardens, and woodland

gardens.

Plant: *Alyogyne heugelii*

Origin: Australia

Size: 6' tall by 6' wide

Water: Low water needs, little water

Exposure: Sun to light shade

Uses: Wonderful flowering accent plant, provides big soft purple flowers almost all year, hardy and very low maintenance. It is best to prune them back twice year to maintain tight a shape, otherwise they grow very lose and gangly. They are best used as single plant among trees and other plants. It is appropriate use them in dry gardens, tropical-looking gardens and minimalist gardens.

Plant: *Kalanchoe pumila*

Origin: Madagascar

Size: 1' tall by 2' wide

Water: Low water needs, little water

Exposure: Partial sun to shade

Uses: Fuzzy little leaves of this succulent tend to be great for pots, low hedges and large grouping in dry gardens.