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## COLORS Your Clients CRAVE

The hot colors for **2009**





### Clematis Cutie

The new clematis Bourbon from **Klehm's Song Sparrow** features stunningly vibrant red rounded flowers that are freely produced from mid through late summer. Contrasting yellow anthers further enhance the floral appeal. With requirements of full sun/partial shade in Zones 4-9, this low-growing selection (4 to 6 ft.) is ideal for growing through low shrubs or in containers.

For more information, visit [www.songsparrow.com](http://www.songsparrow.com).

### Catch Fire

Echinacea Tiki Torch from **Terra Nova** is a beautiful coneflower with brilliant colors and excellent vigor. Its large, bright, pumpkin-orange flowers combine with upright, well-branched flowering stems. This herbaceous perennial thrives in USDA zones 4-9, with coarse soil and full sun.

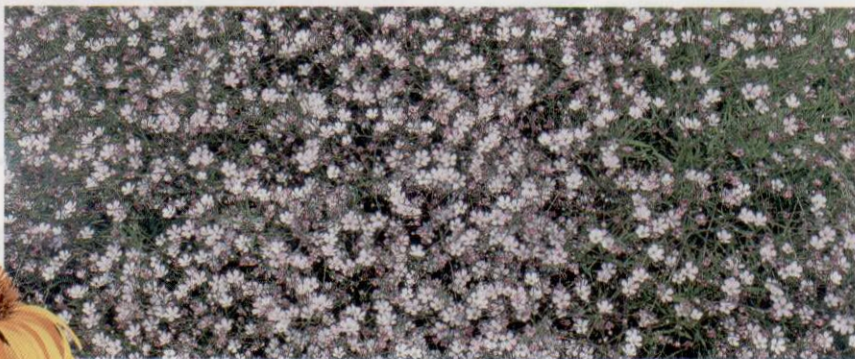
For more information, visit [www.terravanurseries.com](http://www.terravanurseries.com).



### Bella Verbena

**Goldsmith's** new series, Tuscany Verbena, is available in peach (pictured), rose, violet, white, lavender picotee and pink picotee. Scarlet, Burgundy and Orchid Frost will be available in 2009. It's naturally compact and well branched, so it fills in containers or beds quickly. The low-maintenance series offers uniform habits and flowering time, with big florets that form large bloom heads.

For more information, visit [www.goldsmithseeds.com](http://www.goldsmithseeds.com).



### Beautiful Baby

**Stepable's** *Gypsophila repens* Rosea, or pink creeping baby's breath, can be used to surround shrubs, cascade over walls or accent a rock garden. Its gray-green, thin, elongated foliage tends to stay low to the ground and is covered in small pink flowers in late spring. Rosea attracts butterflies and can be planted on walkway edges, over bulbs and in containers. Drought tolerant and suitable for any soil, the flower flourishes in partial shade to full sun.

For more information, visit [www.stepables.com](http://www.stepables.com).