

# HERITAGE ROSE TRAIL MAP

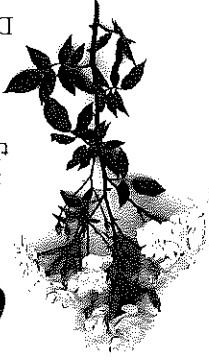


## HERITAGE ROSE TRAIL SITES

1. Ashley Hall,  
172 Rutledge Avenue
  2. Avery Research Center,  
125 Bull Street
  3. Bethel United Methodist Church,  
57 Pitt Street
  4. Boone Hall Plantation,  
1235 Long Point Road, Mt. Pleasant
  5. Canterbury House,  
175 Market Street
  6. Cathedral of St. John the Baptist,  
120 Broad Street
  7. Cathedral Church of St. Luke & St. Paul,  
126 Coming Street
  8. Charleston Visitors Center,  
375 Meeting Street
  9. College of Charleston,  
6, 12, 14, 20 Glebe Street, 58 George Street,  
54 St. Philips Street, parking lot  
at Simons Center
  10. Frances Edmunds Preservation Center  
108 Meeting Street
  11. First Baptist Church,  
61 Church Street
  12. Gaillard Municipal Auditorium,  
77 Calhoun Street
  13. Grace Episcopal Church,  
98 Wentworth Street
  14. Heyward Washington House Museum,  
87 Church Street
  15. Joseph Manigault House Museum,  
350 Meeting Street at John Street
  16. Medical University of South Carolina,  
171 Ashley Avenue – "the horseshoe"
  17. Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church,  
5 Glebe Street
  18. Nathaniel Russell House Museum,  
51 Meeting Street
  19. New Tabernacle Fourth Baptist Church,  
22 Elizabeth Street
  20. Noisette Study Garden,  
Mary Murray Drive – Hampton Park
  21. St. John's Reformed Episcopal Church,  
91 Anson Street – Heart Garden
  22. St. Mark's Episcopal Church,  
16 Thomas Street
  23. St. Michael's Episcopal Church,  
71 Broad Street
  24. St. Philip's Episcopal Church,  
142 Church Street
  25. Unitarian Church,  
4 Archdale Street
- Garden Gateway Walk between Unitarian Churchyard and St. Philip's Churchyard

*Welcome to the Heritage Rose Trail!  
This trail was created for the 9th International Heritage  
Rose Conference held in Charleston, South Carolina  
October 14-18, 2001. The roses are a gift to the citizens  
of Charleston to enjoy in perpetuity.*

Charleston's horticultural history began with the 16th century explorers. When the English arrived in the 17th century, reports of the Lowcountry's rich flora were already circulating throughout Europe. Visits in the 18th century by naturalists, Mark Catesby and John Bartram, increased botanical knowledge. Dr. Alexander Garden who practiced medicine in Charleston made additional contributions to plant identification. He is remembered also for the gardenia named in his honor by Linnaeus, the famous Swedish botanist who established the modern system of plant classification.



The outstanding contribution is yet to come! Sometime around 1802 John Champneys, a Charleston factor, crossed *Rosa chinensis* (Old Blush) and *Rosa moschata*, a white musk rose creating Champneys' Pink Cluster, America's first hybridized rose. It was given to his friend and neighbor, Philippe Noisette, a French botanist, and a more refined rose was hybridized, eventually named Blush Noisette. Philippe sent the rose to his brother, Louis Claude, a nurseryman and member of the Noisette family who were gardeners to French nobility. Pierre Joseph Redouté, the famous botanical artist included in his paintings of early 19th century roses one labeled "Rosa Noisettiana" and "Roisier de Philippe Noisette." The name, Noisette, spread throughout the world by way of the painting. Today, the Noisettes with their delicate blossoms, pastel colors and mesmerizing scents mix well with the Lowcountry's legendary flowering shrubs. Together, they create the memorable gardens of Charleston.



*Blush Noisette beside a Charleston piazza (photo by Ruth Knopf)*

Philippe Noisette came to Charleston from France by way of Saint-Domingue to work in America's first botanical garden developed by the Medical College of South Carolina. His descendants continued in the nursery tradition of the Noisette family, and roses were grown by them in Charleston until the middle of the 20th century.

**A Special Note to Gardeners:** The Noisette roses are vigorous plants with a profusion of bloom. They are also tough enough to take the heat of the Southern summer and the vagaries of the Southern winter. The Noisettes also have remarkable resistance to disease and a high recovery rate if it occurs.

Founded in 2000, The Charleston Horticultural Society is a non-profit organization seeking to inspire excellence in Lowcountry horticulture. With membership open to all, the organization has grown to more than 1,250 individual and business members interested in learning about all aspects of horticulture through monthly lectures, a newsletter, educational workshops, and special garden tours. Charleston Trees, dedicated to ensuring the city's green spaces are nurtured and expanded, and the Heritage Rose Committee, are both committees of the Charleston Horticultural Society. For additional information or to support the Society, please stop by 46 Windermere Boulevard, Charleston, SC 29407, or call 843-579-9922 or visit our web site at [www.charlestonhorticulturalsociety.org](http://www.charlestonhorticulturalsociety.org).



CHARLESTON  
HORTICULTURAL  
SOCIETY

*Heritage Rose*  
TRAIL MAP



*Blush Noisette, photo by Ruth Knopf*

CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA

## Heyward-Washington House

Blush Noisette • Duchesse de Brabant, Tea  
Rosa moschata, both single and double, species  
Rosa Mundi, Gallica • Shaler's Provence, hybrid China  
Red China

## Joseph Manigault House

Belle Vichysoise • Blush Noisette • Crepuscule  
La Biche • Lamarque • Louis Philippe, China  
Mutabilis, China • Old Blush, China • Reve d'Or

## Medical University of South Carolina

Belle Vichysoise • Bouquet d'Or • Blush Noisette  
Champaney's Pink Cluster • Crepuscule • Fellenberg  
"Fewell's Noisette" • Jeanne d'Arc • Lamarque  
La Biche • "Natchitoches Noisette"

## Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church

Crepuscule • Lamarque • Louis Philippe, China  
Mermald, Large-Flowered Climber • Reve d'Or

## Nathaniel Russell House

Blush Noisette • Champaney's Pink Cluster  
Duchesse de Brabant, Tea • Isabella Sprung, Tea  
Louis Philippe, China

## New Tabernacle Fourth Baptist Church

Belle Vichysoise • Crepuscule

## St. John's Reformed Episcopal Church

Fellenberg • "Florida Champaney's Pink Cluster"

## St. Marks Episcopal Church

Belle Vichysoise • Blush Noisette • Bouquet d'Or  
Champaney's Pink Cluster • Fellenberg • "Fewell's Noisette"  
La Biche • Madame Alfred Carriere

## St. Philip's Episcopal Church

Belle Vichysoise • Blush Noisette • Bouquet d'Or  
Champaney's Pink Cluster  
"Florida Champaney's Pink Cluster" • La Biche  
Lamarque • Madame Alfred Carriere

## Unitarian Church

Belle Vichysoise • Claire Jacquier • Crepuscule  
Fellenberg • Louis Philippe, China • Marechal Niel

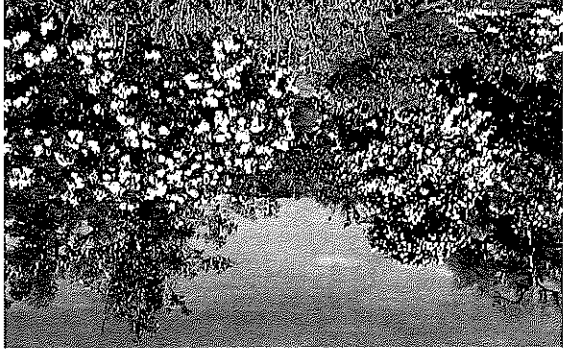
## College of Charleston

6 Glebe St. - Blush Noisette, climber, back wall  
Claire Jacquier - climber, brick wall, front yard  
12 Glebe St. - Blush Noisette, climber, front wrought  
iron fence  
14 Glebe St. - Lamarque, climber, front wrought iron fence  
20 Glebe St. - Belle Vichysoise at steps; right side of yard  
58 George St. - Lamarque, courtyard at lamppost

St. Phillips St., Simons Center parking lot,  
Champaney's Pink Cluster, Celine Forestier, Jeanne d'Arc

## Edmunds Preservation Center

Belle Vichysoise • Blush Noisette • Bouquet d'Or  
Champaney's Pink Cluster • Crepuscule  
"Haynesville Pink Cluster" • Lamarque  
Mme. Alfred Carriere • Duchesse de Brabant, Tea  
Madame Antoinette Marti, Tea  
Madame Joseph Schwartz, Tea • Marie Van Houste, Tea



*Old Noisettes at Boone Hall Plantation  
(photo by Malcolm Manners)*

## First Baptist Church

Champaney's Pink Cluster • Claire Jacquier  
Fellenberg • Rock Hill Peach, Tea

## Grace Episcopal Church

Belle Vichysoise • Celine Forestier • Claire Jacquier  
Crepuscule • "Fewell's Noisette" • Jeanne d'Arc • Lamarque  
Mme. Alfred Carrier • Marechal Niel • Mutabilis, China  
Reve d'Or • Zephitine Drouhin, Bourbon

## Ashley Hall

Blush Noisette • Belle Vichysoise • Claire Jacquier  
Crepuscule • "Florida Champaney's Pink Cluster"  
Louis Philippe, China • La Biche • Reve d'Or  
Excellenz von Schubert-Polyantha  
Blush Noisette • Crepuscule • Louis Philippe, China  
"Florida Champaney's Pink Cluster" • Mutabilis, China  
Reve d'Or

## Bethel United Methodist Church

Belle Vichysoise • Louis Philippe, China

## Canterbury House

Bouquet d'Or • Blush Noisette • Champaney's Pink Cluster  
Claire Jacquier • Crepuscule • Jeanne d'Arc • Lamarque  
Marechal Niel • "Mrs. Woods Lavender-Pink Noisette"  
Mutabilis, China • Natchitoches • "Pleasant Hill Cemetery"

## Cathedral Church of St. Luke & St. Paul

Blush Noisette • Champaney's Pink Cluster  
Crepuscule • Reve d'Or

## Cathedral of St. John The Baptist

Bouquet Tour Fat • Bougainville  
Champaney's Pink Cluster • Claire Jacquier • Fellenberg  
"Florida Champaney's Pink Cluster" • Jeanne d'Arc  
Lamarque • Mary Washington  
"Mrs. Woods Lavender-Pink Noisette" • Old Blush, China  
Princess de Nassau • Crepuscule, on fence across Broad  
Street at Bishop's House

*Noisette Study Garden at Hampton Park*

