



## Theodore Klein Plant Introductions

*The plants listed below were all selected and named by Theodore Klein over the course of his gardening career. Some have been introduced to the nursery trade. Several are currently under evaluation for future introduction.*

Genus	Species	Cultivar	Origin	Description	Photo
Acer	saccharum	Eagle Claw	found by Klein in a front yard on Floydsburg Road in Crestwood, KY	semi-compact grower with extremely dark green leaves that have a distinctively drooped character	
Acer	saccharum	Natchez	witches broom	broad columnar	
Acer	saccharum	Powhattan	witches broom	narrow columnar	
Acer	saccharum	Shawnee	witches broom	tight round	
Amelanchier		Silver Fountain		broad arching form	
Cercidiphyllum	japonicum	Amazing Grace	originated as a seedling in the nursery of Jess Eliot, IN; name coined by Bob Hill of Courier Journal/Hidden Hill Nursery	large weeping tree up to 35' tall and greater in width; yellow fall color; more tree like than typical weepers	
Cercis	canadensis	Silver Cloud	found as one of two variegated seedlings in a row by Klein at Yew Dell; both were mistakenly cut down late that summer and only one reared the following spring.	white splashed leaf variegation, most noticeable in cool weather; wispy stem growth	
Chaenomeles	speciosa	Cameo			
Cornus	florida	Super	found as an extremely vigorous seedling in a seedbed at Yew Dell; outgrew all the others in the block	extremely vigorous growth; strong straight trunk; bracts flushed pink when they emerge, fading to pure white	
Hamamelis	vernalis	Sashet	discovered as a chance seedling in a row planting at Yew Dell	extremely heavy flowering, coppery color and very fragrant; holds some winter leaves	
Hydrangea	quercifolia	Shannon	discovered by Klein and named for the daughter of Greg Rose;	compact growth to 5' tall with double flowers not unlike those of 'Snowflake'; up to 23 sepals per flower	
Hydrangea	quercifolia	Summit	Theodore and Martha Lee's daughter Joyce lived in Summit NJ and Theodore spotted what he thought to be an outstanding specimen of the species in the back yard of the house.	large grower with a narrow conical inflorescence	
Ilex	decidua	Crown Princess		very heavy fruiting form with rather horizontal branching; works very well in tree form	
Ilex	opaca	Anet			
Ilex	opaca	Autumn Wine			
Ilex	opaca	Ayr-Way	Louisville (Saint Mathews), KY		

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Ilex	opaca	Bickel	Cave Hill Cemetery		
Ilex	opaca	Big Daddy			
Ilex	opaca	Big Mack	Frankfort, KY		
Ilex	opaca	Cave Hill No.1			
Ilex	opaca	Cave Hill No.2			
Ilex	opaca	Cave Hill No3			
Ilex	opaca	Chief Paduke	Paducah Cemetery		
Ilex	opaca	Clatworthy	WV		
Ilex	opaca	Cornett	Coprnettsville, KY		
Ilex	opaca	Diane			
Ilex	opaca	France Fink	Cave Hill Cemetery		
Ilex	opaca	Irene Smith	Cave Hill Cemetery		
Ilex	opaca	Judy Evans	Cave Hill Cemetery; named for Theodore Klein's niece.		
Ilex	opaca	Julian			
Ilex	opaca	Julie Koehler	Cross Lanes, WV; named for Klein's granddaughter Julie Koehler		
Ilex	opaca	Katryn			
Ilex	opaca	Kentucky Smoothleaf	Louisville School		
Ilex	opaca	Klein No.1			
Ilex	opaca	Klein Compact			
Ilex	opaca	Laquerberry			
Ilex	opaca	Marsh Mutation	Spring Grove Cemetery, Cincinnati, OH		
Ilex	opaca	Marta	Selection from Cave Hill No.1		
Ilex	opaca	Miss Angie	Cave Hill Cemetery		
Ilex	opaca	Okrent			
Ilex	opaca	Old Gold	Pioneer, TN		
Ilex	opaca	Sally			
Ilex	opaca	Spring Grove	Spring Grove Cemetery		
Ilex	opaca	Suntan			
Ilex	opaca	Valentine			
Ilex	opaca	Virginia Giant	Williamsburg, VA		
Ilex	opaca	Webber	from the Webber lot in Cave Hill Cemetery		
Ilex	opaca	Wheeler			
Ilex	opaca	Xanthawood	Mt. Lookout, WV		
Malus		Ciji	Named by Theodore and Martha Lee for "Knot's Landing" actress Lisa Hartman's "Ciji" character	small semi-weeper, pink bud, white bloom	

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Picea	abies	Simpsonville	witches broom; named by Klein; the original scion wood was collected by area nurseryman Bill Merchant	
Pinus	cembra	Klein (Silver Whispers TM)		compact grower with distinct blueish cast in Spring foliage; TM name trademarked by Monrovia Nursery
Taxus	cuspidata	Gold Cap	sport of <i>Taxus cuspidata</i> var. <i>capitata</i> found in a seedling bed by Klein	bright gold Spring needles with typical growth form of 'Capitata'; need to propagate from cuttings from top of plant to maintain habit
Taxus	x media	Hicks Junior	Klein seedling of 'Hicks'	grows 2/3s the size and rate of 'Hicks'; excellent dark green needles all year
Taxus	x media	K50		
Taxus	x media	K55		
Taxus	x media	Wardi Seedling	seedling of <i>T. x media</i> 'Wardi' selected by T. Klein	very dark green color and pyramidal growth habit
Taxusd	baccata	Wilmore	found by Klein in a cemetery in Wilmore KY	Compact rounded form with dark olive green needles, similar to <i>T. b.</i> 'Viridis'
Viburnum		East	seedling of <i>V. carlecephalum</i> grown by Klein	Smaller than West with finer features, very strong fragrance with a fair amount of pink in the flower
Viburnum		West	seedling of <i>V. carlecephalum</i> grown by Klein	Very vigorous and large, inflorescence up to 5" across, pink bud, white bloom, fragrant