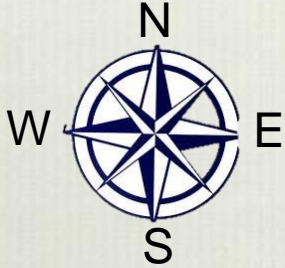


Growing and Caring For Roses

- **Location**

East – South - West



- **Sun**

4-6 hours or more

- **Amended Soil**

- 1/3 top soil (Holy Cow Soil)
 - 1/3 sand
- 1/3 organic materials (plant or animal matter)



- **Raised Beds**

- Good drainage
- Easy to maintain and care for
 - 18"x 24" deep



• **Materials to Build Borders**

- Wood ties
- Stacked stone
- Modular block
- Brick walls
- Concrete walls
- Composite Lumber

• **Water**

- Place beds close to water supply
 - Drip system
 - Soaker hoses
 - Hand watering (hose)
- *Do Not Depend On Rainfall*
- Water according to temperature





• P.H.

- Acidity or Alkalinity
- P.H. meter 0-7, 6.2-6.8
- If Acidity is too low use Dolomitic Lime or Limestone F
- If Alkaline is too high use Sulfur

• Planting and Selecting Roses

- A.R.S. Handbook for selecting roses – roses in review
 - 0-10 rating
 - 7-9 is a good or best rating
- Container (3 gallon), 3 canes or more – plant during planting season
 - Bare Root – plant in March





- **Fertilizing Roses**
- Organic – plant and animal; Mills Mix; Beaty Fertilizer
 - Slow release granular
 - Bloom-Kote – 4 months
- Liquid fertilizer – Easy Feed (do not water after)
 - *Water Before And After*

• Diseases

- Fungicides use Banner Maxx or Honor Guard; every 15 days
- Black spot and Downy Mildew use Manzate
 - Organocide every 7-10 days



• Insects

- Rose Aphids use Merit 75wp
 - Japanese Beetles
- Spider mites use Organocide
 - Thrips



• Pruning and Tools

- Gloves
- Pruners
- Spring Pruning
- Deadheading
- Grooming

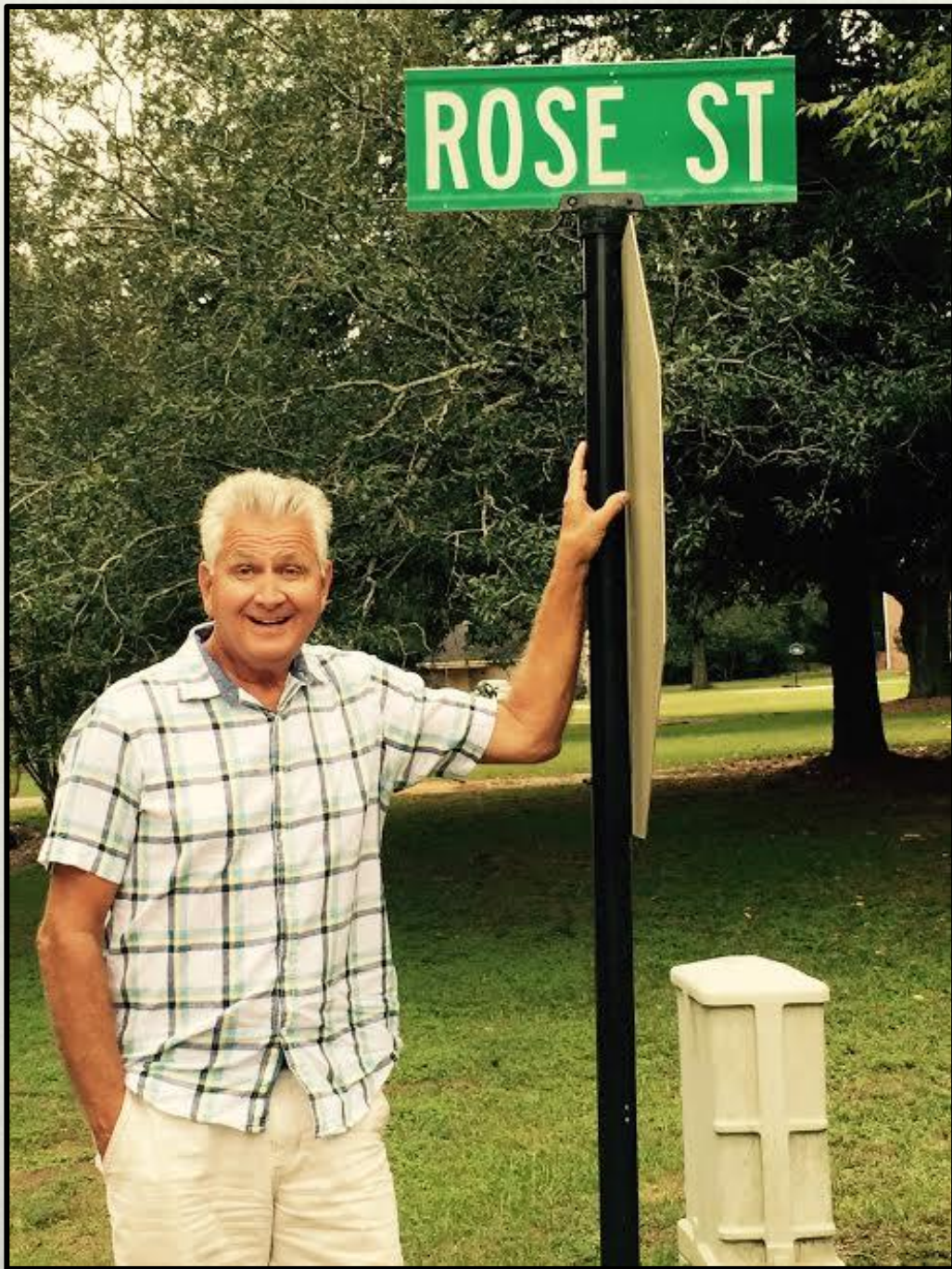
• Mulching

- Brown shredded Pine
 - Compost
 - Pine Needles



• Winter Care and Protection

- Mounding
- Collars with mulch at 8-15"
 - Cones
- Protect graft union



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REMEMBER THIS:

Only God can grow roses,
Rosarians are simply
conduits of help.

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