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## Forecast calls for spring blizzard

A snowy shower of white blossoms, drifting on a balmy spring breeze from the branches of white-flowered trees and shrubs, is much easier to cope with than the cold, drifting snows of winter.

Frigid snowy days are perfect for holing up in the office to review and revise your order to include trees that offer fragrant, beautiful springtime snow. For drifts of white blooms and seasonal characteristics that deliver beauty throughout the year, consider these star performers whose names are inspired by snow.



### Snowcone® Snowbell

*Styrax japonicus* 'JFS-D' features the same pure white, bell-shaped, pendulous flowers as the species, but is unique for its densely uniform and pyramidal shape. Notable for its ability to flower at an early age, its inverted cone shape and refined leaves give a rather formal appearance. Nor does it appear to suffer the winter tip dieback problems that typically occur in the species. Mature height after 30 years growing in an average urban landscape setting is approximately 25 feet, with a spread of about 20 feet.



### Snow Fountains® Cherry

*Prunus* x 'Snofozam' greets spring with a fragrant river of white blossoms. Cascading branches laden with petite, dark green leaves give it a refined look throughout the growing season. Foliage becomes golden orange to bright orange in autumn. Smaller than other weeping cherries, it matures to a height and spread of about 12 feet. Adaptable to a wide range of climates, Snow Fountains® Cherry performs well in Zone 5 as well as in warmer areas such as California's Napa Valley where this fine specimen was photographed.



### June Snow™ Dogwood

*Cornus controversa* 'June Snow-JFS' is named for drifts of large, flat-topped clusters of white, star-like flowers that float above its horizontally spreading branches in late spring. Flowers give way to abundant clusters of tiny blue-black fruits that are quickly devoured by birds. Lush, dark green leaves stay fresh through the heat of summer. Fall colors are a kaleidoscopic medley of purple, red and yellow-orange. Broad spreading to 40 feet, and 30 feet in height, it presents a unique winter silhouette.

Review our availability lists for additional white-blossomed trees whose names are inspired by snow: Appalachian Snow Dogwood, Snowbird Hawthorn, Snowdrift Crabapple and Snow Charm® Snowbell.



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