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## Strike it rich in autumn with golden foliage of native trees

North American native trees are a gold mine of bright yellow fall color. The warm tones of Quaking Aspen, Eastern Redbud, Yellowwood, Kentucky Coffee Tree, River and Paper birches, Hackberry and other species are a perfect foil for the bright red and orange hues of Maples, Oaks, and other colorful native trees that populate our continent's forests. Three golden-hued beauties are notable for their clear, bright yellow autumn colors:



Quaking Aspen

**Quaking Aspen** sounds as beautiful as it looks in autumn, when its golden leaves quake and shimmer in the slightest breeze. Groves of this popular native tree paint bright swaths of gold across the fall landscapes throughout the west. They are appreciated for their statuesque beauty, silvery white bark and leaves that make a distinctive whispering sound whenever the wind blows.

**Eastern Redbuds** steal the show in springtime when they light up forests and urban landscapes with bursts of bright pink flowers that crowd along their winter-bare branches. The color fest returns in autumn, when the green, heart-shaped leaves of summer turn to brilliant, clear yellow.



Eastern Redbud

**River Birch** and its cultivars are landscape favorites, admired mostly for their colorful exfoliating bark, filtered shade and graceful form. Adaptable to many soil types and growing conditions and resistant to birch borers, they are landscape workhorses. In autumn, when their dark green leaves turn to bright golden yellow, river birch light up the forest and urban landscapes. Heritage<sup>®</sup>, Dura-Heat<sup>™</sup> and Summer Cascade<sup>®</sup> are popular cultivars.



River Birch #7 Multi-Stem

### Fall Color Gallery

Autumn leaves in our fields and around town are spectacular this year. We've done our best to capture their beauty and share with those who can't witness the show in person. A very dry summer and chilly fall nights have combined to give us eye-popping fall color in our fields, in the J. Frank Schmidt Jr. Arboretum, and around the Portland metro area.

Our 1,800+ Facebook fans have been following along with our fall color parade @jfstrees. If you are not already following us on Facebook, you can still view the photos here: <http://jfs.co/safb1110>



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