



# Redwood Barn Nursery

1607 Fifth Street Davis, California

## *Living Christmas Trees*

### ***Spruces***

#### ***Colorado Blue spruce--Picea pungens 'Glauca'***

#### ***Colorado Green spruce--Picea pungens***

Both blue and green spruce grow 1 foot a year.

They like plenty of water, and are good in or near lawns.

Spruces are good in a large planter such as an oak barrel for several years.

#### ***Dwarf Alberta spruce--Picea glauca conica***

Grows very slowly...about 3" a year. Prefers regular watering, soil enriched with organic material, and shade from the hottest afternoon sun. Can be grown for many years as a miniature Christmas tree.

### ***Pines***

[Note: we can no longer import pines from Oregon, where our primary stock has always come from, due to a quarantine for the Pine Shoot Tip Moth. We regret that we will not have any pines as living Christmas trees.]

#### ***Austrian pine--Pinus nigra***

Grows 3 feet a year.

Drought tolerant. Good in a large planter for a few years.

#### ***Scotch pine--Pinus sylvestris***

Grows 2 feet to 3 feet a year.

Drought tolerant. Good in a large planter for a few years.

### ***Other conifers***

#### ***Deodar cedar--Cedrus deodara***

Grows fast: about 5 feet a year. Very drought tolerant once established. Graceful, semi-weeping habit.

#### ***Coast redwood--Sequoia sempervirens***

Grows fast: about 5 feet a year.

Likes plenty of water.

Good in or near lawns.

#### ***Junipers--Juniperus scopulorum 'Gray Gleam', 'Skyrocket', 'Wichita Blue'***

Grow about 2'/year. Tight, columnar growth habit. Silvery blue foliage. Very drought tolerant once established.

How about something completely different?

### ***Rosemary!***

Upright growing forms, sheared into a compact little Christmas tree...great for cooking, fragrance, and blue winter flowers!

### ***Holly!***

Variegated English holly has great looking foliage and a nice Christmas tree shape...an excellent landscape plant for partial shade!