



Wild rose

Rosa rugosa/Wild rose

Rugosa rose shrubs, also called Japanese roses, form dense hedges along the L'Isle-aux-Coudres coast, filling the air along the coastal road with their delicate scent. Leaving the road, a small path winds between the rocks and the sand. Suddenly, a perfume is all around, like a siren call from nature.

A little history...

In the fall, the fleshy red fruit (rose hips) are ready to be picked. The Ancients believed they had the power to cure scurvy. Prayer beads (rosaries) used to be made of the dried fruit.

The rose petals are gently plucked in the early morn, ethically and responsibly, leaving the stem.

Uses and benefits:

Wild rose delicately perfumes, soothes and calls to mind lovely summer jaunts along the banks of the St. Lawrence. In an infusion, cream, ointment, mist or sachet, it appeases and calms skin damaged by the sun or cold and has regenerative and reparative properties. Suitable for fragile, sensitive skin. When used in jam, herbal tea, juice or fruit roll-ups, it is an excellent source of vitamin C!

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BODY OR FACE CREAM: for a “rosy complexion”! The petals are soft, soothing, reparative and regenerative for the face and body.

FLORAL WATER: Spray on your pillow, face and body, your clothes, bed linens and into the air.

Soap bar: For gentle daily purification and cleansing of fine facial skin.

OINTMENT: Rose petals macerated in cranberry oil. Acts like cold cream. Helpful on wounds, cuts and rosacea.

ANTI-AGING SERUM: An elixir of rose petals picked on the island and precious oil from Quebec-grown cranberries. Has moisturizing, regenerative and anti-aging properties for healthy skin.

FLOWER SACHET: Breathe deeply of your sachet as needed, when your state of mind calls for it. In the evening, at bedtime or during the day, when you want to invite calm or practice self-care.

Place it in a drawer, on your pillow in the morning or on your night table.