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THE COVER FLOWER

'Cheryll Lynn' is a product of California's San Joaquin Valley. In 1965 Howard C. Collier of Chowchilla, California took a light pink formal japonica to the Descanso Gardens camellia show and entered it in the Seedlings Division. It won Runner-up to Best Japonica Seedling. Mr. Collier thought so much of his seedling that he named it after his granddaughter Cheryll Lynn and turned it over to Nuccio's Nurseries to propagate. He entered five of the blooms in the Class for 5 Japonicas in the 1966 Descanso Gardens show and won the award for Best. It runs from 4" to 41/2" in size, just about right for a light pink formal flower. Nuccio put 'Cheryll Lynn' on the market last October.

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