

## HIPS Membership

### US and Canada:

- Single Annual \$13     Dual Annual \$15  
 Single Triennial \$33     Dual Triennial \$39  
 Single Life \$225     Dual Life \$250  
 E-membership \$10 (annual only)  
 Youth \$5 (18 and under, annual only)  
 Sustaining (Contributing) membership  
\$20 minimum; includes annual dues

### Overseas Dues: (outside US and Canada)

- Single Annual \$20     Dual Annual \$22  
 Single Triennial \$52     Dual Triennial \$58

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Dual Member's Name

- Check here if you are also a member of  
the American Iris Society

Please make checks payable to HIPS and mail to:

HIPS

7911 South Yoder Rd.

Haven, KS 67543

You may also join on our website:

[www.historiciris.org](http://www.historiciris.org)

Email: [membership@historiciris.org](mailto:membership@historiciris.org)

Visit Us Online!  
[www.historiciris.org](http://www.historiciris.org)

-  **Member Forum** – meet, learn and share with other iris lovers!
-  **Photo Gallery** – view hundreds of photos of historic irises, with information on each.
-  **HIPS Library** – you'll find a huge archive of articles, publications, and catalogs from yesteryear, ready to browse or download.
-  **Display Gardens** – find historic iris gardens to visit worldwide.
-  **HIPS Shop** – we have catalog reprints, ROOTS back issues, books, reference materials, and more.
-  **Commercial Sources** – support growers who offer historic irises! You'll find an extensive list here.
-  **News, Links, and Much More!**



Our website  
is growing all  
the time. Come  
be a part  
of the fun!

Beauty  
from the Past...



'Golden Light', 1932

...Saved  
for the Future

It's what we do. Join us!

Historic Iris  
Preservation  
Society

[www.historiciris.org](http://www.historiciris.org)



## What is HIPS?

The Historic Iris Preservation Society, or HIPS, is an international organization of gardeners who love historic irises and actively work to keep them from disappearing. These living links to the past are flowers our great-grandmothers may have grown, and some date back hundreds of years. When we save an iris, we save a piece of history. Help us preserve and share these "Queens of the Garden" so our great-grandchildren will know their beauty, too!

'True Charm' (1922)

## Join Us!

**Meet** fellow iris lovers from all over the world  
**Learn** about historic irises and the men and women who bred them  
**Share** your experiences and ideas with other gardeners  
**Save** these historic beauties before they are gone!

'Shannopin' (1939)



## Member Benefits

- ~ROOTS, our semi-annual publication full of great iris information
- ~Access to the Member Forum of our website
- ~Priority purchasing at our annual Rhizome Sale
- ~Access to the Commercial Source Databank
- ~Our e-mail newsletter

- ~Help with iris identification
- ~Special programs you can join (Guardian Gardens, iris rescues, iris events in your area)
- ... and MORE!

'Spring Romance' (1948)

## Our Guardian Gardens Program

Guardian Gardens, HIPS' newest program, offers a way for iris lovers to adopt rare irises, grow them, divide them, and share them among other iris gardeners and commercial vendors so these beauties don't disappear. Any HIPS member is welcome to join this network and be a Guardian Gardener! The more HIPS members who join in, the more irises we will save.

We are establishing ties with commercial vendors and public gardens around the world. Many historic irises are no longer available in the countries in which they were bred. Working together, we can bring them home again.

