

**DOUBLE FEATURE®**  
**A New Semi - Dwarf Crapemyrtle With Ruby Red Blooms**  
*Lagerstroemia indica, 'Whit IX", PPAF.*

Another, **Play It Again®** sterile and continuous blooming summer show-off from - -  
**Lacebark Inc. Stillwater, OK**

**Double Feature®** is the latest sterile and continuous blooming crapemyrtle to be patented and released by Lacebark Inc. The original plant is a 2002 seedling that did not flower for the first five years, yet grew in a dense compact ball. At age six, it began to flower over the perimeter of the ball and has produced a profusion of **ruby red flowers** each year since.

**Double Feature®** begins spring growth with small wine-red leaves, then the flower show begins in late June in North Central Oklahoma and continues uninterrupted into October. Flower panicles are small, but they form in abundance over the perimeter of the plant, creating a great show of **ruby red flowers**. *But the greatest feature is the fact that each panicle of blooms opens, then petals drop cleanly as the flowers age, then a new set of flower buds form on the same panicle. And because flower panicles are differing ages, many are always in flower. There are no seed capsules produced.* **Double Feature®** is a classic in that if you liked the first flower show in late spring, just watch and **Double Feature®** will **Play It Again®** continuously all season long.

**Double Feature®** is a semi-dwarf that fits many landscape applications. The parent plant, at age eight years was 5 ½ feet tall and 5 ½ feet in diameter as a dense, near perfect ball, yet the plant had never been pruned. Mature height is anticipated to be about eight feet. **Double Feature®** fits into a landscape niche, larger than some of the dwarf crapemyrtle cultivars, yet smaller than tree forms and in many landscape situations, should require little if any pruning.

**Double Feature®** is highly resistant to powdery mildew and Cercospora leaf spot disease. Even old basal foliage late in the season remains disease free. There is no fall color since **Double Feature™** is still flowering when the first frost occurs.

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