

September 2019 Program Recap



'A Florist's Point of View'

Presented by Jan Phillips of Funky Mountain Flowers

Jan spoke of CHANGES in the floral industry, including which plants are fashionable at any moment. Currently, peonies and hydrangeas are the favorites.



Bridal Cascades

For years, flowers on bridal bouquets were wired and taped to greenery cascades, which was labor intensive, and because of no source of water, were short-lived. Later, bouquet holders using Oasis to hold water became popular. Carnations were cited as the best performers out of water.



Stemmed Bouquets

The current trend is to hand-tied bouquets with stems of flowers left on and no cascades because stems do not bend. Arrangements are longer-lived, reusable and after the ceremony can be placed in vases of water for the reception. Floral table runners are also in vogue.