

Hens Idea's South African List of trees with their poems

Tree code	Common name	Scientific name	Poem name	Grow a tree starter pack	Sponsor a tree	Grown tree up to 1 m	Bonsai adaptable	Matchstick	Province the tree grows in									Poem		
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HI/TC001	White Stinkwood	Celtis africana	The faith tree	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	In forest, bushveld and grassland Grows a white stinkwood from a hand It's the hand that can do it all You are the one who makes me tall Believe in things for it to grow, Mother Nature will give you a show.
HI/TC002	Brown Karee	Sercia (Rhus) lancea	The career tree	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	In a wide range of fields, You tend to reap many yields. The path in life has its turns, Bends, broken ends and burns. It takes a life time to reach To see what life has to teach
HI/TC003	Mountain Karee	Sercia (Rhus) leptodictya	Calm tree	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	On river banks and slow flows Where seed naturally fall to grow The sound of water close to home Relaxes you down to the bone. Remember to take time and sit Under a tree shade a bit.
HI/TC004	River Bush Willow	Combretum erythrophyllum	Reaping rewards tree	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	To sow from a seed and grow Till the tree leaves free flow Takes time effort and passion Like years coming and going in fashion The fruit it brings incredible joy Like child, anticipating a toy.
HI/TC005	Umbrella Thorn	Acacia tortilis	The T tree	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	The most recognizable of them all You see it from far because it's so tall It covers the grassland nicely Growing at a slow pace timely The thorns are sharp white sticks Beware of all these hidden pricks
HI/TC006	Wild Plum	Harpephyllum caffrum	Reaping rewards tree (Tree of the year for 2008)	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	To sow from a seed and grow Till the tree leaves free flow Takes time effort and passion Like years coming and going in fashion The fruit it brings incredible joy Like child, anticipating a toy

HI/TC007	Fever Tree	Acacia xanthophloea	Hot tree (Tree of the year for 2010)	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO	YES	Like the sun is hot everyday Water will cool you away In a land where the sun isn't shy This tree loves growing high Give this tree all you love And shade will come from up above
HI/TC008	Pompon Tree	Dais cotinfolia	Happiness tree	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	Place a smile on your dial The sun will rise after a while A total completed feeling One that is known to be healing Look at your tree with delight Decide to be happy and win the fight.
HI/TC009	Wild Pear	Dombeya rotundifolia	Love Tree	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	Many have tried to explain The meaning of love and its pain Germination is experimental Seasons flow, new leaves grow Love is much like a tree over time Cherish t and you'll one day say: 'got mine'
HI/TC010	Common Corral	Erythrina lysistemon	Wealth tree	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	This tree is about everything Not just money, honey. About health, family, love Legacies, philosophy and your biography. What have you done in your life To render it as wealth
HI/TC011	Wild Olive	Olea europaea (africana)	Spirit tree	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	Spin around, then look ahead Feel the rush to your head That's the energy in your body Do something as a hobby Life fills your every minute This energy fuels your spirit
HI/TC012	Monkey Thorn	Acacia galpinii	Star tree (Tree of the year for 2009)	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	Star light which is bright Drive me to my dream tonight A car will go from A to Zee It's me who sets you free It takes a seed to grow a tree Now take your idea, and make it be.
HI/TC013	Yellowwood	Podocarpus fulcatus	A tree	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	The top never stops Plant a seed, a tree will pop A shape distinct from far One day it will be bigger than the car A 1st in this language Slow grower, you'll manage.

HI/TC021	Ana Tree	Faidherbia albida(Acacia albida)	Loyalty tree	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	To be with one for all Bouncing higher than a ball Hard times make you strong Stick with them for long It's all in ones belief Loose this cause's grief
HI/TC022	African Wattle	Peltophorum africanum	Misunderstood tree	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	Mistaken for the evil, but not. Will protect when things get hot Can do so much good If it knew it could, it would. Healing when you accept it Feels great to get out of it.
HI/TC023	Jacket Plum	Pappea capenis	The honest tree (Tree of the year for 2011)	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	Always to side to a story Let the truth be your glory The opposite is to lie Eventually making you shy Be real no matter what and you won't look like a twat.
HI/TC024	Camels Foot	Piliostigm thonningii	Traveled tree	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	Can take that load off you Is named after a camels shoe To go from one place to the next You, the traveler, sees the best Always remember your roots And don't forget to put on your boots.
HI/TC025	Cheesewood	Pittosporum viridiflorum	Funny tree	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	Jokes are lame and cheesy Some are downright freaky Many come with a twist Also said with a lisp Whatever the joke may be Laughter will set us free
HI/TC026	Weeping Boer-Bean	Schotia brachypetala	Get well tree	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	When you are down, tired or blue Plant a seed or two Life has good and bad Let this problem not drive you mad Growing from this makes you stronger Start anew and get your hunger
HI/TC027	Buffalo Thorn	Ziziphus mucronata	Soccor tree	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	The stadiums are here forever South Africa is growing together This living seed is a memory The huge festival was temporary Yet it will last for centuries The story grows in our history

HI/TC028	Kei Apple	Dovyalis caffra	Smart tree	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	You are the apple of my eye, To pick it up and say hi The different App's that are here The way you whisper in my ear To explore, search and grow Allows me to be in the know
HI/TC029	Common Hook Thorn	Acacia Caffra	Any poem	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	
HI/TC030	White Pear	Apodytes dimidiata	Any poem	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES	
HI/TC031	Blossem Tree	Virgilia divaricata, V. Oroboides	Kuierboom (Tree of the year for 2013)	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO	NO	Mooi is die bloeisels wat jou takke inkleur Pragtig jou blaartjies wat die son vir ons keer Langs jou geniet ons ons lekkerste tyd Ons kuier om jou en strek ons uit Want jy bly die keur van boom-groenigheid
HI/TC032	Baobab	Adansonia digitata	Upside down tree	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES	A tree like this is one to know It's magnificent trunk just grows and grows It may look like its upside down, But do not fret, do not frown. For this tree stands the test of time Just plant the seeds and watch it climb