Can You Identify These Winter Indoor Plants

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We all know a Poinsettia when we see it. Can you identify some of these other winter houseplants?

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Photos 1-3, i-800-flowers

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5. Norfolk pine

4. Cyclamen

3. Zygo (Christmas) cactus

2. Star-gazer lily

1. Amaryllis

Poinsettia



Did you know that the red 'flowers' you see are called bracts, which are modified leaves. The flowers are the small yellow or green centers of the bracts. For long-lasting poinsettias, choose plants with few of these flowers. Once

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