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## CELEBRATE THE FALL FOLIAGE WITH OLD COUNTRY ROSES Introducing Old Country Roses 'Fall Foliage' Collection

New York, NY – This fall, Old Country Roses collectors everywhere will have another reason to be thankful. Royal Albert's most recognizable pattern in the world, Old Country Roses, has introduced a new collection of giftware called "Fall Foliage". Utilizing the traditional Old Country Roses floral design, "Fall Foliage" includes new decorative seasonal shapes, perfect for celebrating the fall season, Thanksgiving Holiday and other festive events.



With the signature rich deep red, gentle yellow tea rose and blush pink colors, **Old Country Roses "Fall Foliage"** incorporates the range of colors from red to yellow that marks the onset of the fall season, evident by the fall foliage leaves. The **Old Country Roses "Fall Foliage"** giftware collection features hand painted 22-carat gold stippling on the edges of the sculpted pieces, instantly adding elegance to the charming shapes.

Turkey Salt & Pepper

The start of the fall season is often associated to certain types of foods and décor, and the Old Country Roses "Fall Foliage" collection celebrates these holiday icons. The Turkey Salt & Pepper, Pumpkin Soup Bowl, Pumpkin Tureen with Ladle and Turkey Platter will instantly accessorize your home and table. Coordinating perfectly with the rest of the Old Country Roses dinnerware and giftware collection, Old Country Roses "Fall Foliage" is easy to adapt to any décor.

Pumpkin Soup Bowl

Says Art Bylin, President and CEO of Royal Doulton North America, "The Thanksgiving Holiday is one of the most popular times for families and friends to get together over a large meal. **Old Country Roses 'Fall Foliage'** easily transforms your table and home, adding to the spirit of the season by using fall elements to create attractive giftware pieces. The new giftware collection is not just for the Old Country Roses collector, but for anyone planning on entertaining this fall."

First introduced in 1962, Royal Albert's Old Country Roses continues to be the world's best selling pattern. With an extensive line that includes dinnerware, giftware and stemware, Old Country Roses "Fall Foliage" is the latest addition to the popular collection. 'Fall Foliage' giftware items range from \$29 - \$200.

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