Okra



What is summer without okra? The main problem with okra is that it tends to get woody so the varieties that we look for are those that have the least inclination to get woody early.

Emerald Okra. This is a good older variety that several of our members prefer (pictured above).

Oscar Okra. Most of us think Oscar okra is the best variety we have found. This is one of those exciting varieties that have been recently discovered in the backyards of Texas gardeners, passed down from one generation to the next. This one is the family cultivar of a gentleman named Oscar whose German ancestors have been growing it since the early days. This seed may be hard to find, but it is worth the hunt since this variety tends not to get woody.