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[Ficus carica](#) L. MORACEAE

Unverified name: King.

Donated from: California, United States (Comment: Donated to NCGR, Davis)

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Accession names and identifiers

King

Type: UNVERIFIED.

Desert King

Type: UNVERIFIED.

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Type: SITE.

Availability

Material is available for distribution.

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Narrative

The above UNVERIFIED accession names were cited as synonyms in Ortho Book 'Citrus and Subtropical Fruit' Memo to Dan Parfitt, 1985, p. 4, by Claude Sweet. Rating of this variety by fig grower, Mr. Ray Givan, in Pomona, Vol. XXIX, No. 1, Winter 1996: Awful; dry and tasteless. Info. from Commercial Dried Fig Production in California, University of California, Leaflet 21051, p. 6, November 1978: The King variety is raised commercially for shipment of the breba crop to fresh market outlets. It produces a prolific breba crop of large, green, thin-skinned fruits. The second crop requires caprification and often is not set or harvested under commercial conditions,

Source History

- Type: Donated. From: California, United States.
Cooperators:

1. [University of Calif.](#)

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Beltsville, Maryland. Available: <http://www.ars-grin.gov/cgi-bin/npgs/acc/display.pl?1002401>
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