

Flowers



“ Art is the unceasing effort to compete with the beauty of flowers —and never succeeding.”

-Menotti, Italian composer

Outdoor décor.

Your yard is your canvas. Our flowers are your paints. And there's a lot to choose from; we have more than 500 different flowers, each perfectly suited to the Mid-Atlantic region.

You'll find plenty of colors to mix and match. Shapes and textures can be combined for symmetry and contrast. Flowers of different heights can be layered, and bloom times can be staggered to ensure four-season interest.

Prepare to get creative. Its time to stop and smell some flowers.

Take your pick.

With over 500 options, it helps to narrow your search for the right flowers for your yard. To begin, you have two basic choices: annuals or perennials. Annuals are flowers that last only a single growing season and then die. They may set seed to return again, but it is no guarantee. Perennials, on the other hand, are flowers that return year after year.

In this PlantBook, we have chosen to catalog only our perennials, as the decisions you make on them will have a lasting impact. As you search through our selection of over 350 perennials, pay attention to which plants are best for shade or full sun, the size they will grow to at maturity, cold hardiness, and the colors that will complement your home.



Perennials.

Most perennials will go dormant in the winter. Their top foliage will often die back as the winter frosts set in. Some will keep their foliage, but many will seem to disappear entirely, dying back to the ground. But all along, have faith that the plants have wisely been storing their nutrients into the roots, and are well-prepared to re-emerge in spring.

We grow our perennials in full one-gallon pots. This results in a much larger plant than most nurseries grow.

The top of the plant, and especially the blooms, may be the most visible feature, but it is not the most important. The key to a great perennial is undoubtedly the roots.

Our larger pot means a better root system, which means better performance in your landscape.



Glorious foliage.
Some perennials, like this 'Southern Comfort' Heuchera, are grown more for their foliage than for their flowers.

Got foliage?

Not all of the plants listed in the "Flower" category actually have flowers. Ornamental Grasses, for instance, are grown primarily for their foliage. But, if it's not a shrub or a tree, you'll find it in the "Flower" category.

More help is around the corner.

If after looking through the Flower section of the PlantBook, you're still a bit stumped, check out our "Top Lists" on pages 48 and 49 for the best perennials for a variety of practical garden situations: the best shade-lovers, the best natives, the best cut flowers and more!

Annuals.

Not ready to make a long-term commitment? Do you want to be able to have your yard change with your mood, your sense of fashion, your unique taste? Annuals are your answer. In the Spring, there are many choices, from Begonias to Zinnias, Impatiens, Petunias, Vincas and Marigolds. In Fall, there are Snapdragons, ornamental cabbage and a dazzling mix of Pansies and Violas.

Our selections change every year as we add new, exciting varieties. Check out our Seasonal ColorGuide, available for download at our website, for a full list of what we're growing now.

Size matters.

Larger plants mean healthier, more vigorous flowers, ready to have an instant impact.



Its in the mix.

Our substrate (the horticultural term for dirt) is more sustainable and better suited for landscape performance than the competition.



Instant gratification.

We grow and sell our annual flowers in trays of eight 5.5" square pots. Easy handling, easy planting.



Ready to grow.

We incorporate just the right amount of fertilizer to ensure your flowers perform without fuss.

Our flowers are better.

For more than forty years we've been growing plants for Mid-Atlantic gardens, and our philosophy has always been, "Quality is a Matter of Choice."

For us, as nursery growers, it all starts with the mix we use to grow our plants. Most of our competitors use large amounts of peat, because it is ideal for production in the greenhouse. But we're more concerned with how well our flowers will perform once they're actually in the ground, not how fast we can grow them at our nursery. We use a pine bark mix, which ensures a tougher, more robust root system that will be ready for your yard. Plus, pine bark is 100% renewable, whereas peat, which comes from peat bogs, is not environmentally sustainable.

We mix in just the right amount of controlled-release fertilizer, so that long after our flowers have left our nursery we can be sure they are growing well.

We give our flowers room to breathe. Our flowers spend a large part of their time at our nursery outside, not pampered in a greenhouse. We allow them space to breathe and grow, so that they don't get stretched out and floppy. Vigorous stems are a sign of proper spacing.

If you want instant impact and peace of mind, welcome home.

Perennial Help

Handy lists.

Feeling a bit overwhelmed by all the choices for flowers? We've provided these "top ten" lists to help guide you to the best flowers to fit your unique situation. From our most popular "best sellers" to the toughest flowers for dry, harsh summers, your solution is at hand.

	Top 10 Best Sellers	Attribute	Page
1	'Stella D'Oro' Daylily	Blooms like crazy all summer.	54
2	'Happy Returns' Daylily	Compact rebloomer paler yellow than 'Stella'.	54-55
3	Pennisetum 'Hameln'	True dwarf, can grow in smaller spaces.	63
4	Pennisetum 'Rubrum'	Glorious red foliage. Annual doesn't reseed.	63
5	Verbena 'Homestead'	Long-blooming groundcover that spreads.	76
6	Rudbeckia 'Goldsturm'	Tough, forgiving bloomer great for beginners.	72
7	'Regal Red' Painted Fern	Color! Dark red centers contrast with silver edges.	58
8	Hosta 'Patriot'	Beautiful margin to the leaves makes it special.	66-67
9	Echinacea 'PowWow Wild Berry' PPAF	Beautiful coneflowers on sturdy, very compact stems. Exciting new series.	57
10	Delosperma 'Cooperi'	Painless groundcover that grows fast.	56



	Top Cut Flowers	Bloom Time	Page
1	Lucreanthemum	June-September	69
2	Echinacea	June-September	57
3	Lavender	June-August	69
4	Peony	May-June	71
5	Rudbeckia	July-September	72
6	Scabiosa	May-September	73
7	Salvia	May-October	73
8	Gaillardia	June-September	59
9	Achillea	May-September	50
10	Monarda	June-August	70



	Attracts Wildlife	Page
1	Buddleja	52
2	Monarda	70
3	Nepeta	70
4	Echinacea	57
5	Coreopsis	53
6	Aquilegia	50
7	Solidago	74
8	Lonicera	70
9	Agastache	50
10	Digitalis	57

Be nice to nature.

Plant these perennials and your landscape will attract tons of beautiful butterflies, hummingbirds, bees and other critters that love the flowers' sweet nectar.



Relax...

These plants can survive tough coastal environments. Many otherwise tough plants aren't salt tolerant at all. Not these guys. So now you can relax and enjoy the beach.

	Best for the Beach	Page
1	Ornamental grasses	60-63
2	Armeria (common name "Sea Thrift")	51
3	Gaillardia	59
4	Lantana	69
5	Perovskia	71
6	Daylily	54-55
7	Achillea	50
8	Delosperma	56
9	Dianthus	56
10	Sedum	74

	Deer Resistant	Page
1	Achillea	50
2	Ajuga	50
3	Astilbe	51
4	Coreopsis	53
5	Echinacea	57
6	Nepeta	70
7	Perovskia	71
8	Platycodon	72
9	Stachys	75
10	Lavender	69

Unwelcome guests.

Unfortunately, deer cannot read, so they won't know we said they don't eat these plants. The truth is deer will eat anything if they are hungry enough. These perennials are less tasty than most because of their distasteful flavor, strong odor, small thorns and bristles, fuzzy leaves or sharp, stiff branches.



You're not lazy...

You want perennial flowers that grow well with a minimum of fuss. Once these guys are established, you can pretty much just sit back and watch them grow.

	Low Maintenance	Page
1	Verbena	76
2	Daylily	54-55
3	Rudbeckia	72
4	Echinacea	57
5	Hosta	66-67
6	Coreopsis	53
7	Delosperma	56
8	Dianthus	56
9	Ornamental grasses	60-63
10	Astilbe	51

Go native.

These great perennial flowers were here long before Capt. John Smith landed in Jamestown. You can feel good knowing you're planting just what nature loves.

	Best Natives	Page
1	Echinacea	57
2	Rudbeckia	72
3	Aquilegia	50
4	Chasmanthium	61
5	Physostigia	72
6	Coreopsis	53
7	Baptisia	52
8	Dicentra	57
9	Viola	77
10	Penstemon	70

Not all cultivar varieties are truly "native," even if the broader category is. Modern hybrid crosses weren't around for Pochahantas, obviously.



	Best Sun Lovers	Page
1	Achillea	50
2	Dianthus	56
3	Echinacea	57
4	Gaillardia	59
5	Sedum	74
6	Coreopsis	53
7	Salvia	73
8	Verbena	76
9	Delosperma	56
10	Veronica	77



	Best Shade Lovers	Page
1	Hosta	66-67
2	Astilbe	51
3	Fern	58
4	Helleborus	64
5	Huechera	65
6	Aegopodium	50
7	Polygonatum	72
8	Pulmonaria	72
9	Ligularia	70
10	Dicentra	57



	Drought Tolerant	Page
1	Sedum	74
2	Iris	68
3	Panicum Grass	63
4	Stokesia	75
5	Perovskia	71
6	Coreopsis	53
7	Miscanthus Grass	62
8	Rudbeckia	72
9	Guara	59
10	Nepeta	70

Hot Summers.

These plants are great at surviving in hot, dry conditions. They're no cactus, mind you, but they are pretty forgiving if you neglect to water them.



Achillea

Yarrow

'Apricot Delight'
PP18738



'Moonshine'



'Paprika'



'Strawberry Seduction'
PP18401



'Summer Pastels'

Legendary toughness and stunning beauty.

Achilles was a Greek warrior as famous for his invincibility as his handsome figure. According to ancient legend, his army of 5,000 men used the aromatic leaves of yarrow to soothe their wounds after battle with the Trojans. But that was over three thousand years ago. Today, Achillea is a perennial valued more for its show-stopping flowers than for its healing properties.

Achillea is easy to grow and is drought-tolerant once established. It blooms all summer long and needs full sun exposure. It's fern-like foliage is silvery or grey-green, and is fragrant, attracting butterflies while being resistant to deer and other garden munchers.

'Moonshine' is the most popular variety, with its distinctive lemon-yellow flat-top flowers. 'Strawberry Seduction' is the newest introduction, and it is more compact with stronger stems than the older varieties.

Deadhead to encourage reblooming. The flowers are sterile or not "true-to-seed."

Achillea millefolium | 24" tall x 18" wide | Zone 4 ☀️

Aegopodium

Bishop's Weed

'Variegatum'

Deep green leaves margined and splashed with white. Tiny white flowers. Good shady ground cover.

12" Tall X 36" Wide.
Zone 4. ☁️ ●



'Variegatum'

Agastache

Hyssop

'Blue Fortune'

Lavender-blue, bottle-brush-like flowers. Dark green aromatic foliage. Anise scented. Summer blooms.

36" Tall X 18-24" wide.
Zone 6. ☀️



'Blue Fortune'

Ajuga

Bugleweed

'Chocolate Chip'

Spreading evergreen ground cover. Narrow, bronzy-green foliage. Deep violet-blue flower spikes in spring.

4" Tall X 8-10" Wide.
Zone 3. ☀️ ☁️



'Chocolate Chip'

Amsonia

hubrichtii

'Threadleaf Blue Star'

2011 Perennial Plant of the Year™

Mid-green delicate foliage. Upright form. Clusters of steel-blue flowers in May - June. Golden yellow fall foliage.

3' Tall X 2-3' Wide.
Zone 5. ☀️ ☁️



'Blue Star'

Anemone

hupehensis

Blooms late summer-fall. Good massing, back of border perennial.

'September Charm'
1-2' Tall x 1-2' Wide.
'Whirlwind'
3' Tall x 2-3' Wide.

Zone 5. ☁️



'September Charm'



'Whirlwind'

Aquilegia

An American native, Aquilegia does really well in partial shade, blooming from May-June. 'Origami' stretches to 24" tall x 36" wide. The 'Winky' series and our newest variety, 'Little Lanterns,' are more compact: expect them to grow about 12-18" tall and 10-14" wide in your garden. The 'Winkies' look somewhat untraditional as their flowers face up (like they are winking at you).

Zone 5. ☁️



'Little Lanterns'



'Origami Red/White'



'Winky Blue & White'



'Winky Mix'

Armeria
maritima

'Common Thrift'
Blue-green narrow-leaved foliage under pink ball-shaped flowers in summer. Salt tolerant.

8" Tall X 12" Wide.
Zone 4-8. ☀



'Common Thrift'

Artemisia
Wormwood

Mounding form with aromatic fern-like foliage.

'Powis Castle'
1-2' Tall x 1-2' Wide.
'Silver Mound'
3' Tall x 2-3' Wide.

Zone 5. ☀



'Powis Castle'



'Silvermound'

Astilbe
False Spirea



'Visions'

Brighten the shade.

Astilbes are the best solution to add a splash of intense color in your garden's shady areas as they bloom profusely from late spring into summer. They like moisture and are often planted beside ponds and water features. Foliage is fern-like, giving a woodland feel. They add a nice contrast to large-leaved shade plants such as Huechera and Hosta. Some Astilbe are native to North America, but these varieties originated in Asia and most were hybridized, between the wars in Germany, by George Arends. Want something newer? The best new varieties are the 'Visions' series.
Zone 4. ☀ ●

Variety	Height	Width
'Delft Lace' PP19839	24"	18"
'Deutschland'	20"	12-15"
'Fanal'	24"	18"
'Pink Lightning' PP11963	14-16"	12-15"
'Sister Theresa'	24"	18"
'Snowdrift'	26"	20"
'Visions'	20"	15-18"
'Visions in Pink' PP11860	20"	15-18"
'Visions in White' PP18965	18"	18"



'Delft Lace' PP19839



'Deutschland'



'Fanal Red'



'Pink Lightning' PP11963



'Sister Theresa Pink'



'Snowdrift White'



'Visions in Pink' PP11860



'Visions in White' PP18965

Baptisia

False Indigo

Dense, shrub-like perennial. Spring bloom and attracts butterflies.

'Australis'
3-4' Tall x 2' Wide.
Zone 3. ☀️ 🌿

'Twilite Prairieblues'
3-5' Tall x 2-3' Wide.
Zone 4. ☀️ 🌿



'Australis'



'Twilite Prairieblues'

Bellis

perennis
English Daisy

'Galaxy Rose'
Bright pink flowers on this excellent border or rock garden plant. Blooms spring. 2-8" Tall X 6-8" Wide. Zone 3. ☀️



'Galaxy Rose'

Bergenia

cordifolia

'Winterglut'
Blooms April-May. Good ground cover, border, woodland garden plant.

12-18" Tall X 18-24" Wide.

Zone 3. 🌿 ●



'Winterglut'

Buddleja

Buzz varieties have full-sized, graceful, tapering flower spikes on a shorter, more compact plant. They flower from May/June to hard frosts. And of course, they attract butterflies like nobody's business!

4' Tall x 4' Wide
Zone 5. ☀️



'Ivory' PPAF



'Magenta' PPAF



'Purple' PPAF



'Sky Blue' PPAF

Canna



'Australia'

Exotic touch of class.

Cannas are tropical native plants with large richly-colored leaves and vibrant lily-like blooms on tall stalks. Plant them in full sun and moist soil. They look great beside water features like ponds, streams, or waterfalls, and their bold leaves contrast nicely with finer textured plants, such as ornamental grasses. Cannas are heavy feeders; if they start to look ragged, prune them back, give them fertilizer and they'll pop right back up. Hardy to Zone 7, Cannas are a great option when you want an exotic tropical look.



'Cleopatra'



'Corsica'



'Kreta'

	Bloom	Leaf	Mature Size	
			Height	Width
'Australia'	Red	Purple	4-5'	3-4'
'Cleopatra'	Red & Yellow	Green	3-4'	3-4'
'Corsica'	Pink w/ Yellow	Green	4-5'	3-4'
'Kreta'	Red	Green	4-5'	3-4'
'Pretoria'	Orange	Variegated	3-4'	3-4'
'Striped Beauty'	Yellow	Variegated	3-4'	3-4'

Canna hardy to Zone 7. ☀️ 🌿



'Pretoria'



'Striped Beauty'

Caryopteris

Bluebeard

'Dark Knight'
Dark purplish-blue flowers blooming August-September over silvery-green foliage.

5' Tall X 3' Wide.
Zone 5. ☀️



'Dark Knight'

Ceratostigma

plumbaginoides

'Plumbago'
Clear, deep-blue flowers July - Sept. Dark red fall color. Excellent ground cover.

12-18" Tall X 18" Wide.
Zone 5. ☀️



'Plumbago'

Clematis

Clematis is the most popular climbing vine-like perennial. These rapidly growing plants are excellent for arbors, walls, trellises and anything else you'd like them to climb up and over. Clematis bloom June-September, and when mature may be 10-12' tall. 'Paniculata' is the tallest grower, topping out at 20', and also has fragrant fall flowers.

Zone 3. ☀️



'Ernest Markham'



'Henry'



'Jackmanii'



'Paniculata'

Coreopsis



'Zagreb'

Confident color all summer long.

Coreopsis is a garden favorite because it blooms from June to September in full sun, thriving in hot, dry conditions. They are rugged, dependable and flower profusely. Coreopsis does not require a lot of maintenance. For optimum flowering, however, deadheading after the first blooms fade is recommended. After a few years, the clump may need to be divided in early Spring to keep it from overcrowding. ☀️

	Mature Size		
	Zone	Height	Width
'American Dream'	3	12"	24"
'Crème Brûlée' PP16096	5	20"	36"
'Jethro Tull' PP18789	5	18"	24"
'Limerock Ruby' PP15455	7	18"	36"
'Moonbeam'	3	18"	24"
'Route 66' PP20609	5	28"	24"
'Sienna Sunset' PP20470	5	24"	36"
'Sunfire'	4	24-36"	36"
'Tweety' PPAF	6	12-16"	14-16"
'Zagreb'	3	18"	12"



'American Dream'



'Crème Brûlée' PP16096



'Jethro Tull' PP18789



'Limerock Ruby' PP15455



'Moonbeam'



'Route 66' PP20609



'Sienna Sunset' PP20470



'Sunfire'



'Tweety' PPAF

Daylily

Hemerocallis

New every morning.

Did you know that daylily flowers only last 24 hours? They bloom so profusely that you may have never noticed that each day the flowers are brand new.

In His “Sermon on the Mount,” the Lord Jesus said, “Do not worry about tomorrow.” He pointed at some wildflowers, which were maybe something like daylilies. “Consider the lilies of the field. They neither toil nor spin, yet Solomon in all his splendor was not clothed as one of these.”

There are many reasons to plant daylilies in your garden. They are tough yet classy, subtle yet bold. There’s a color to suit any spot. They grow without a care in full sun. The newer cultivars rebloom throughout the summer.

But there’s no better reason than to have this daily reminder: do not worry; your kind Creator’s grace is new every morning.

When you plant daylilies, you get splendor without anxiety.

Apricot	Zone	Bloom Time	Repeat	Height	Width
‘Mini Pearl’	3	All Summer	Yes	15"	12"
‘Siloam Double Classic’	2	Early-Mid Summer	No	14-16"	18-23"

Lavender	Zone	Bloom Time	Repeat	Height	Width
‘Always Afternoon’	3	Early Summer	Yes	22"	18-24"
‘Plum Perfect’ ^{TM PPAF}	3	All Summer	Yes	18-24"	18-24"
‘Vista’	4	All Summer	Yes	21-24"	18-24"

Orange	Bloom Time	Height	Width
‘LeaBea Orange Crush’	June-July	18"	15-18"
‘Leprechauns Wealth’	June-July	15"	12-15"

Both orange Daylilies hardy to Zone 3 and Repeat-Bloomers.

Stella D’ Oro

Pink	Zone	Bloom Time	Repeat	Height	Width
‘Buffy’s Doll’	4	All Summer	Yes	12"	12-18"
‘Chorus Line’	3	All Summer	No	20"	12-18"
‘Miss Tinkerbelle’ TM	3	June-July	Yes	18"	12-15"
‘Rosy Returns’ ^{PP9779}	3	All Summer	Yes	14"	18"
‘Strawberry Candy’	3	All Summer	Yes	26"	18"

Red	Zone	Bloom Time	Repeat	Height	Width
‘Ebony Beauty’	3	All Summer	Yes	18-24"	18-24"
‘Frankly Scarlet’ ^{TM PPAF}	3	All Summer	Yes	24-36"	18"
‘Pardon Me’	4	All Summer	Yes	18"	18"

White	Zone	Bloom Time	Repeat	Height	Width
‘Feather Down’	4	Early-Mid Summer	No	28"	18"
‘Joan Senior’	3	Early-Mid Summer	No	25"	18"
‘Lullaby Baby’	4	Early-Mid Summer	Yes	18-24"	18-24"
‘Pandora’s Box’	3	Mid-Late Summer	No	20"	15"

Yellow	Zone	Bloom Time	Repeat	Height	Width
‘Black-Eyed Stella’ ^{PP 7909}	3	June-July	Yes	14-20"	12-15"
‘Happy Returns’	3	All Summer	Yes	15"	18"
‘Siloam June Bug’	3	June-July	Yes	23"	12-15"
‘Stella D’Oro’	3	All Summer	Yes	12"	18"



'Mini Pearl'



'Siloam Double Classic'



'Frankly Scarlet'TM PPAF



'Always Afternoon'



'Ruby Stella'



'Plum Perfect'TM PPAF



'Lavender Vista'



'LeaBea Orange Crush'



'Leprechauns Wealth'



'Buffy's Doll'



'Chorus Line'



'Miss Tinkerbell'TM



'Pardon Me'



'Rosey Returns'^{PP9779}



'Strawberry Candy'



'Ebony Beauty'



'Feather Down'



'Joan Senior'



'Happy Returns'



'Lullaby Baby'



'Pandora's Box'



'Black-Eyed Stella'^{PP7909}



'Siloam June Bug'

Delosperma

Succulent groundcover with neon bright blooms.

Commonly called “Ice Plant”, Delosperma is just plain cool. Only growing a few inches tall, it fills in the forgotten spaces in your garden. It’s an excellent choice for rock gardens, in the cracks of walkways, or anywhere you’d rather not see weeds. Step on it with bare feet and you’ll get a weird squishy feel between your toes.

Delosperma are South African natives, and were virtually unknown to American gardeners until the 1990’s when the Denver Botanic Garden put them in the spotlight.

They bloom in summer and are drought tolerant. ☀



‘Fire Spinner’



‘Mesa Verde’ PP13876

	Zone	Height	Width
cooperi	6	1"	15-18"
‘Fire Spinner’	5	3"	15-18"
‘Mesa Verde’ PP13876	4	2"	24-36"
nubigenum	6	2"	24"
‘Osberg’	5	2"	10"
‘Perfect Orange’	5	4-6"	30"



nubigenum



‘Osberg White’



‘Perfect Orange’

The original pink.

That’s right, the color pink was literally named for this flower, which was commonly called ‘Pink’ 200 years before the name was used to describe a pale-rose color. With that kind of heritage, you know you can’t go wrong with Dianthus.

Narrow blue-green foliage grows in clumps and pretty, fragrant flowers with serrated edges (like they were cut by “pinking shears”). They grow in full sun and are easy to grow. They do not like to stay wet, so make sure the soil drains and don’t mulch too close to the crown or it may rot. ☀

	Zone	Height	Width
‘Bouquet™ Rose’	4	18-24"	10-12"
‘Bouquet™ Rose Magic’	4	18-24"	10-12"
‘Eastern Star’ PP14437	5	6"	6-12"
‘Firewitch’	3	6"	12-15"
‘Frosty Fire’	4	6"	12"
‘Neon Star’ PP14549	5	7"	7"
‘Pixie’ PP13578	3	9"	12-15"
‘Silver Star’ PPAF	4	4-8"	8"
‘Tiny Rubies’	3	4"	12"



‘Bouquet™ Rose’



‘Bouquet™ Rose Magic’



‘Eastern Star’
PP14437



‘Firewitch’



‘Frosty Fire’



‘Neon Star’ PP14549



‘Pixie’ PP13578



‘Silver Star’ PPAF



‘Tiny Rubies’

Dicentra

Bleeding Heart

Dicentra are delightful perennials with a rather gruesome common name: Bleeding Heart. American natives, dicentra have lovely, heart-shaped flowers May-June. The old-fashioned original, 'specabilis', and the white-flowering 'Alba' can grow quite tall: 24-48" tall x 18" wide. Newer hybrids are more compact, growing 10-12" tall x 15-18" wide. 'Luxuriant' blooms two months longer and has fern-like foliage.

Zone 3. ☁



'Alba'



'King of Hearts'



'Luxuriant' PP3324



'spectabilis'

Digitalis

Foxglove

Digitalis has tall spikes with tubular, bell-shaped flowers starting in late spring and last a couple months. 'Goldcrest'™ blooms are an intriguing peachy-yellow tone, marked with maroon-red spots.

Strong stems make for excellent cut flowers. Great accent or border plants. Be careful: the flowers, stems and roots are all poisonous. Not recommended for salads!

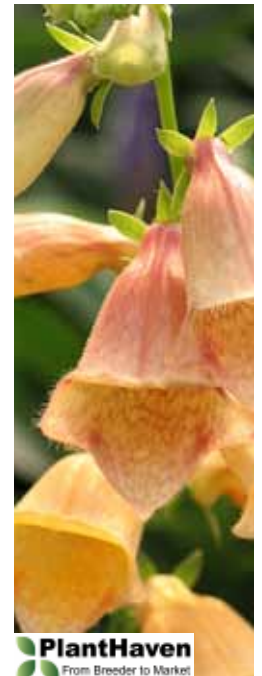
36" tall x 18-24" wide. Zone 4. ☀



'Foxy'



'mertonensis'



'Goldcrest'™

PlantHaven
From Breeder to Market

Echinacea



'Hot Coral' PPAF



'Sandy Yellow' PPAF



'Sombra Series'

The cure for the common garden.

Native Americans used Echinacea as a medicine. While we can't speak to how well these coneflowers will cure the common cold, we do know this: they will surely liven up your summertime garden. Echinacea blooms all summer long and are easy to grow in full sun. Zone 4.

Traditionalists will prefer purple coneflowers like 'Magnus,' but newer varieties from breeders have brought spectacular new colors and compact growth habits. We are especially excited about the new Sombbrero series, which have the same well-branched and compact habit as the 'PowWow' series.



'Kim's Knee High' PP12242



'Magnus'



'Now Cheesier'



'Pow Wow White' PPAF



'Pow Wow Wild Berry' PPAF



'Tomato Soup' PP19427



'White Swan'

	Height	Width
'Kim's Knee High' PP12242	18-24"	18-24"
'Magnus'	36"	24"
'Now Cheesier'	16-18"	20-26"
'Pow Wow White' PPAF	16-24"	12-16"
'Pow Wow Wild Berry' PPAF	16-24"	12-16"
'Sombbrero Hot Coral' PPAF	22-24"	24-26"
'Sombbrero Salsa Red' PPAF	22-24"	24-26"
'Sombbrero Sandy Yellow' PPAF	22-24"	24-26"
'Tomato Soup' PP19427	27"	32"
'White Swan'	36"	24"

Epimedium

x *Rubrum*
x *Versicolor* 'Sulphureum'

Clump-forming deciduous perennials. Great border plant, especially under trees and shrubs.

12" Tall x 12" Wide. Zone 5. ☀️



x *Rubrum*



'Sulphureum'

Erysimum

Wallflower

Small, annual, perennial sub-shrubs.

'Fragrant Star' PPAF
16-24" Tall X 12-16" Wide. Zone 7. ☀️ ☁️

'Jenny Brook' 20253
24" Tall X 24" Wide Zone 6. ☀️ ☁️



'Fragrant Star' PPAF



'Jenny Brook' 20253

Euphorbia

Spurge

'Ascot Rainbow' PP21401

Bushy, compact form with cream, lime, and green spring flowers. 20" Tall X 20" Wide. Zone 5. ☀️ ☁️

'Bonfire' 18585 Oblong green new growth matures to rich maroon red. 10" Tall X 18" Wide. Zone 5.

'Tasmanian Tiger' PP15715

Produces creamy white to yellow blooms with green margins. 15" Tall X 8" Wide. Zone 9. ☀️ ☁️



'Ascot Rainbow' PP21401



'Bonfire' PP18585



'Tasmanian Tiger' PP15715

Fern



Japanese Painted 'Regal Red'

Get lost in your own backyard.

Ferns have been around since the dawn of time, and they are botanically unique because they have no flowers or seeds. Instead, they have spores on the undersides of their beautiful green fronds. Perfect in shade, they'll transform your garden spot into a peaceful woodland forest. The most popular modern varieties of these prehistoric plants are 'Regal Red' and 'Autumn Brilliance' which offer unique color contrast to the traditional green fern.



'Autumn Brilliance'



'Ghost'



'Lady in Red'



'Holly'



'Holly Hardy'



'Dixie Wood'



'Golden Mist Wood'



'Matteuccia Ostrich'



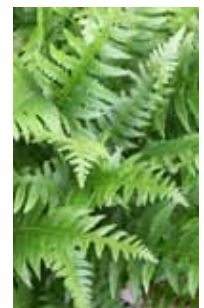
'Osmunda Cinnamon'



'Poly Christmas'



'Poly Tassel'



'Japan Beech'

Family	Variety	Zone	Height	Width
Athyrium	'Ghost'	5	18-24"	18"
Athyrium	'Regal Red'	4	12-18"	18-24"
Athyrium	'Lady in Red'	2	20"	24-36"
Cyrtomium	'Holly'	8	24"	42"
Cyrtomium	'Hardy Holly'	5	18-24"	18-30"
Dryopteris	'Autumn Brilliance'	4	24"	15"
Dryopteris	'Dixie Wood'	5	48-60"	36-48"
Dryopteris	'Golden Mist'	5	18"	24"
Matteuccia	'Ostrich Fern'	4	60"	36"
Osmunda	'Cinnamon'	4	36"	24"
Polystichum	'Christmas'	4	18"	36"
Polystichum	'Tassel Fern'	4	24-32"	36"
Thelypteris	'Japanese Beech'	4	12-24"	36"

Gaillardia



They'll make you smile every time.

Gaillardia, a North American native, is commonly known as the “blanket flower” because its bright, bold blooms of red and yellow are reminiscent of the American Indian’s designs for their blankets.

Gaillardia isn't just beautiful, it's tough as well, thriving in hot, dry conditions in full sun. Tolerant of soils and salts, it's perfect for tough ocean-side environments. Perhaps its only weakness is excess moisture. In well-drained soil you shouldn't have any problems. They'll bloom late spring to early fall.



'Arizona Red Shades'



'Mesa Bright Bicolor'



'Mesa Yellow'

Variety	Zone	Height	Width
'Arizona Red Shades'	4	10-12"	12"
'Arizona Sun'	3	8-10"	10-12"
'Mesa Bright Bicolor'	5	16-18"	20-22"
'Mesa Yellow'	5	16-18"	20-22"

Gaura

Siskiyou

Brilliant reddish-pink flowers, spoon-shaped bronzy-red foliage. Attractive border perennial.

5' Tall X 3' Wide.
Zone 6. ☀️



Siskiyou

Geum

Geums are spring and summer blooming perennials with tall, thin flower stems. Good border / cut flower. The 'Cooky' variety is a more compact plant at 12" tall X 9" wide, whereas the others are 16"-24" tall X 24" wide. Zone 5. ☀️



'Cooky'



'Lady Stratheden'



'Mrs. Bradshaw'

Geranium



'Rozanne'
PP12175

Meet the “real” Geranium.

Not to be confused with annual or “zonal” geraniums, which you are probably more familiar with, the perennial, or “hardy” geraniums add reliable color to your garden from spring through the fall, and come back each spring after going dormant in the winter.

'Rozanne' was the 2008 'Perennial of the Year,' and it is unique for its blue-lavendar blooms, while 'New Hampshire' has magenta-purple blooms.



'New Hampshire'

'Rozanne' PP12175
18" Tall x 24" Wide
Zone 4 ☀️ ☁️

'New Hampshire'
12" Tall x 12" Wide
Zone 4 ☀️

Grass



Call of the wild.

What do you imagine when you see the tall grass rustle? Maybe you picture a majestic lion stalking through the African savannah? Maybe you daydream of brave Powhatan warriors, spying on the Colonists at the marsh water's edge? Or maybe you just like to see the wind blow?

Whatever direction your imagination leads, there's an ornamental grass to take you there. Grasses come in a variety of sizes, textures and colors. All of them are elegant and interesting.

Nature is wild. Bring a little bit of the unexpected into your yard with ornamental grasses.

Acorus *gramineus*

'Ogon'
Glossy, gold and green variegated foliage.
Upright growing.

12" Tall X 6-12" Wide.

Zone 7. ☀️ ☁️



'Ogon'

Calamagrostis

x acutiflora

'Karl Foerster'

Pink-bronze plumes fade to pale brown. Blooms early summer.
6' Tall X 2' Wide.

Zone 5. ☀️ ☁️
2001 Perennial Plant of the Year.



'Karl Foerster'

Carex

Sedge

Carex makes an excellent border, groundcover, or massing plant.

'Blue Zinger': Striking blue-green foliage. 8-16" Tall X 12-24" Wide. Zone 6. ☀️

'Everest' PPAF: Clump-forming evergreen perennial. Dark green blades with almost white stripes. 12" Tall X 12" Wide. Zone 7. ☀️ ☁️

'Ice Dance': Clump-forming perennial. Grass-like dark green leaves with creamy white margins. 12-15" Tall X 12-15" Wide. Zone 4. ☁️

'Pennsylvanica': Delicate, arching dark green foliage. 8-10" Tall X 12-18" Wide. Zone 4. ☁️ ●

'Evergold Japanese': Clumping form. Dark green leaf blades with golden yellow stripes. 18-20" Tall X 18" Wide. Zone 7. ☀️ ☁️



'Blue Zinger'



'Everest'



'Evergold'



'Ice Dance'



'Pennsylvanica'

- Ornamental grasses are easy to grow in most any soil.
- Their texture adds compelling interest and contrast.
- With many colors and sizes to choose from, there's an ornamental grass perfect for any landscape or container.

Chasmanthium

latifolium

Upright, native ornamental grass good for planting under light shade of trees or for a woodland garden. Flat, wheat-like seed heads.

Zone 4. ☀️ ☁️

'River Mist': 30" Tall X 24" Wide.

'Sea Oats': 3-4' Tall X Indefinite.



'River Mist'



'Sea Oats'

Cortaderia

selloana

Vigorous grower. Drought and salt tolerant. Good seashore, accent plant. Zone 4. ☀️

'Dwarf Pampas': 30" Tall X 24" Wide.

'Pampas': 3-4' Tall X Indefinite.



'Dwarf Pampas'



'Pampas'

Elymus

arenarius

'Blue Dune' Arching, pale silvery-blue blades. Good massing plant. Extremely vigorous. 30" Tall X 1-2' Wide.

Zone 4. ☀️



'Blue Dune'

Fescue

glauca

Elijah Blue Bright-blue foliage, mounding form. Good border plant.

8" Tall X 10" Wide.

Zone 4. ☀️



'Elijah Blue'

Hakonechloa

macra

Mounding, clumping form. Excellent border, edging plant. Zone 5. ☀️

'All Gold': 12"-16" Tall X 12"-16" Wide.

'Aureola': 12"-16" Tall X 12"-16" Wide.

'Nicholas' PP19898: 12"-16" Tall X 12"-16" Wide.



'All Gold'



'Aureola'



'Nicholas' PP19898

Imperata *cylindrica*

'Red Baron'
Small clumping form
with blood-red blades.
Great massing plant.

16" Tall X 12" Wide.
Zone 4. ☀️ 🌧️



'Red Baron'

Juncus Rush

Great for moist areas,
water gardens, and
ponds. ☁️

'Blue Arrows': 18-24"
Tall X 12-18" Wide.
Zone 7.

'Unicorn': 18" Tall X 24"
Wide. Zone 4.



'Blue Arrows'



'Unicorn'

Miscanthus



'Adagio Dwarf'

Maiden Grass.

Because of their diverse shapes, heights, and sizes, Miscanthus can be used in just about any landscape. They provide elegant fall and winter interest in the perennial garden and make a great, long-lasting addition to cut flowers.

Maiden grass grows in clumps, typically with green foliage and a white stripe down the middle of the blades. They have feathery plumes, smaller and less full than Pennisetum. The plumes start out reddish pink and fade to silvery white. The foliage turns color in fall.

In northern climates the growing season is not typically long enough for the seeds of most Miscanthus to fully mature, so self-sowing is not a major problem. We have chosen varieties which require a long growing season to develop blooms and mature seeds, so invasiveness is not a big concern.

Since clumps tend to grow only at the outer edges, old plants may "die out" in the center. If this happens, you can dig up and divide.



'Cabaret'



'Gold Bar' PP15193



'Gracillimus'



'Huron Sunrise'



'Little Zebra' PP13008



'Morning Light'

	Height	Width	Zone
'Adagio Dwarf'	4'	4'	4
'Cabaret'	6-8'	4'	6
'Gold Bar' PP15193	4-5'	3-4'	6
'Gracillimus'	6'	4'	4
'Huron Sunrise'	5-6'	3-4'	4
'Little Zebra' PP13008	3-4'	3-4'	5
'Morning Light'	4'	4'	4

Mondo *Ophiopogon planiscapus 'Nigrescens'*

'Black Mondo Grass':
Dark purplish-green
turning almost midnight
black. Ideal for edging
or groundcover. Creates
interesting contrasts.
8" Tall X 12" Wide.
Zone 5. ☀️ 🌧️



'Black Mondo Grass'

Muhlenbergia *capillaris*

Clumping ornamental
grass with narrow, thin
blades and
delicate pink seed
heads.
4-5' Tall X 4' Wide.

Zone 7 ☀️ 🌧️



capillaris

Panicum

Switch Grass

'Cheyenne Sky' PPAF: Fast growing ornamental grass. Spring growth is a blue/green changing to a wine red in the Summer. 2-3' Tall X 1-2' Wide. Zone 5. ☀

'Dewey Blue': Drought and deer resistant. Upright, good for dune planting and sunny dry places. Bold blueish green foliage. 2-3' Tall X 1-2' Wide. Zone 2. ☀ ☁

'Dust Devil' PPAF: Purple to red blooms in late summer. Upright, good for landscape and mass planting. 4-5' Tall X 2-3' Wide. Zone 4. ☀

'Northwind': Pink-red delicate flowerheads in panicles maturing to gray. Upright and clump-forming, this yellow fall foliage grass is a good accent, mixed border, massing plant with wide, thick steel blue leaves. Blooms in September. 4-5' Tall X 2-3' Wide. Zone 5. ☀

'Shenandoah': Green leaf blades turn red in summer then burgundy in fall. Light red, delicate flower-heads. 4' Tall X 3' Wide. Zone 4. ☀



'Cheyenne Sky' PPAF



'Dewey Blue'



'Dust Devil' PPAF



'Northwind'



'Shenandoah'

Pennisetum



'Rubrum'

Fountain Grass.

With their large, showy plumes, Pennisetum seems to spill over like a graceful fountain. Fountain grass is easy to grow and maintain.

They come in a variety of colors: most are dark green but the 'Rubrum' varieties are reddish purple. 'Rubrums' are an annual in most of the Mid-Atlantic. 'Little Bunny' is delightfully dwarf, and 'Hameln' is drought and salt tolerant.

	Height	Width	Zone
'Cassian'	1-2'	2-3'	6
'Fountain'	3-4'	2-3'	4
'Hameln Dwarf'	2-3'	2-3'	4
'Little Bunny'	1'	1'	6
'Moudry'	3'	3'	4
'Rubrum'	6'	4'	Annual
'Rubrum Fireworks' PP18504	3'	2-4'	Annual
'Cherry Sparkler' PPAF	2-3'	2-3'	Annual



'Cassian'



'Fountain'



'Hameln Dwarf'



'Little Bunny'



'Moudry'



'Rubrum Fireworks' PP18504



'Cherry Spakler' PPAF

Schizachyrium

scoparium
Little Bluestem

'Prairie Blues': Upright form with bold gray/blue foliage. 4-5' Tall X 2-3' Wide. Zone 4. ☀

'The Blues': Narrow, clumping form. Hairy, light blue foliage. 2-3' Tall X 18-24" Wide. Zone 3. ☀



'Prairie Blues'



'The Blues'

Helleborus



Lenten Rose blooms in winter.

Hellebores are special. They are evergreen perennials that bloom in late winter or early spring, sometimes even popping up out of a blanket of snow. Because of their preference for cool weather, it is best to keep this plant well-shaded.

Their foliage is dark green and leathery. The subtle flowers are named “rose” for their slight resemblance to single rose blooms (think, “Knock Out” not hybrid teas), and shyly nod their lovely faces toward the ground.

Hellebores were used in ancient times as both a purgative medicine and a poison. All parts of the plant are toxic. Some historians speculate that Alexander the Great died from an overdose of Helleborous when he took it to cure a fever he contracted after a night of heavy drinking.

Lenten rose is great for mixed borders, shady patios and courtyard gardens. Consider it for small spaces where its gentle display can be noticed and appreciated. They combine well with ferns, hostas, astilbe and other shade lovers.

	Height	Width	Zone
'Cinnamon Snow' PPAF	15-18"	24"	5
'Ivory Prince' PP 16199	10"	18"	6
'Jacob' PP 17799	9-12"	13"	3
'Pine Knot Select'	18-24"	18-24"	5
'Pink Frost' PPAF	12-14"	24"	5
'Royal Heritage' TM	18-24"	24-30"	6



'Cinnamon Snow' PPAF



'Ivory Prince' PP16199



'Jacob' PP17799



'Pink Frost' PPAF



'Royal Heritage' TM

Hibiscus

moscheutos

Woody based perennial known for their large showy flowers. Good mixed, herbaceous, shrub border plant. The “Baltimores” are 4' Tall X 3-4' Wide while the Luna Mix is a more compact shrubby variety at 2-3' Tall X 2' Wide. Drought tolerant once established. Zone 5. ☀



'Lady Baltimore'



'Lord Baltimore'



'Luna Mix'

Heuchera



'Palace Purple'



'Big Top Gold' PP21775



'Crimson Curls' PP13729



'Electra' PP21856

Native American wildflower for modern gardens.

Centuries ago, the Native Americans used Heucheras to treat a variety of symptoms from sore throats to ulcers.

For gardeners, they were grown mainly for their flowers, spikes of red or white bells that led to their common name, 'coral bells.' Their tall spikes make excellent cut flowers.

But today, Heuchera is prized mainly for their foliage. Everything changed in the 1980s when 'Palace Purple,' the first purple-leaf heuchera, was found growing in the Royal Botanic Gardens at Kew Palace. Around the same time, a seedling with white-speckled leaves was discovered in a garden in Oregon. New varieties based on these breakthrough plants have exploded in recent years, and we have chosen some of the best to offer a dazzling palette of colors.

They tolerate shade and grow in low mounds about 12-18" tall X 18-24" wide, with their blooms up to 30" tall.

Zone 4. ☁️



'Georgia Peach' PP19375



'Kassandra' PP21466



'Midnight Bayou' PP21858



'Midnight Rose' PP18551



'Mint Julep' PP21860



'Obsidian' PP14836



'Raspberry Ice' PP13340



'Ruby Bells'



'Southern Comfort' PP20364

Heucherella

A "man-made" plant from crossing Heuchera with Tiarella, Heucherella offers stunning color combinations. 12-18" Tall X 18-24" Wide. Zone 4. ☁️



'Alabama Sunrise' PP19611



'Brass Lantern' PPAF



'Golden Zebra' PP22104



'Solar Eclipse' PPAF



'Sweet Tea' PP21296

Hosta

The king of shade was called 'Funkia.'

Two men did the early research on Hosta: Heinrich Funck and Nicholas Host. Funck came first, but botanists thought 'Funkia' sounded bad, so they ripped the honor away and gave it to Host instead. Groovy growers still call them by their original name now and then.

They are the ideal shade perennial. Hosta have tall flower spikes in white and lavender, but are grown mostly for their foliage, which comes in 4 basic colors: Green, Blue, Gold and White. These four come in an amazing mix of variegation and size. We have 33 varieties to choose from; the best we have found from over 5,000 different named cultivars!

Solid Blue	Zone	Height	Width
'Blue Angel'	3	26"	4'
'Blue Cadet'	3	16"	24"
'Blue Mouse Ears'	5	6"	12"
'Halcyon'	3	24"	30"
'Krossa Regal'	3	28"	30"
'Sieboldii'	3	36"	48"

Solid Green	Zone	Height	Width
'Empress Wu' ^{PP20774}	3	4'	6'
'Royal Standard'	3	2'	4'
'Sum and Substance'	3	30"	4'
'The Razor's Edge'	3	9"	15"

White Center	Zone	Height	Width
'Fire and Ice'	3	18"	28"
'Medio Variegated'	3	24"	24"

Gold Center	Zone	Height	Width
'Cherish'	4	6"	12"
'Gold Standard'	3	26"	36"
'Guacamole'	3	18"	28"
'June'	3	16"	28"
'Orange Marmalade' ^{PP16742}	3	14-18"	18-24"
'Paul's Glory'	3	20"	36"
'Remember Me'	3	15"	20"
'Stained Glass'	3	15"	32"

White Margin	Zone	Height	Width
'Albo Marginata'	3	22"	24"
'Allan P. McConnell'	3	10"	12"
'Blue Ivory' ^{PP19623}	3	16"	30"
'Francee'	3	22"	36"
'Patriot'	3	22"	36"

Gold Margin	Zone	Height	Width
'Atlantis' ^{PP17093}	3	2'	5'
'Aureo Marginata'	3	2'	3'
'Fragrant Bouquet'	3	22"	2-4'
'Frances Williams'	3	2'	3'
'Golden Tiara'	3	1'	2'
'Liberty' ^{PP12531}	3	10-15"	10-15"
'Montana Aureomarginata'	4	28"	3'
'Wolverine'	4	18"	3'

'Francee'



'Blue Angel'



'Blue Cadet'



'Blue Mouse Ears'



'Halcyon'



'Krossa Regal'



'Sieboldii'



'Empress Wu' PP20774



'Royal Standard'



'Sum and Substance'



'The Razor's Edge'



'Fire and Ice'



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'Gold Standard'



'Guacamole'



'June'



'Orange Marmalade' PP16742



'Paul's Glory'



'Remember Me'



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'Allan McConnell'



'Blue Ivory' PP19623



'Patriot'



'Atlantis' PP17093



'Aureo Marginata'



'Fragrant Bouquet'



'Frances Williams'



'Golden Tiara'



'Liberty' PP12531



'Montana Aureomarginata'



'Wolverine'

Houttuynia

cordata

'Chameleon'

Quick growing groundcover with multicolored foliage. Grows well in moist to wet soil.

6-12" Tall X 36" Wide.

Zone 4-9. ☀️ ☁️



'Chameleon'

Hypericum

Better known as St. John's wort, these low, creeping, rounded, woody shrubs quickly grow to about 2' tall by 3-4' wide. They make a great bedding, front of border, edging, or groundcover ornamental plant. Showy, yellow flowers bloom in the Summer. Zone 5. ☀️ ☁️



'Blue Velvet'[™] PPAF



'Brigadoon'



'Gemo'

Iberis

Candytuft

Compact and fast growing, Iberis makes for an excellent groundcover with beautiful April blossoms. Salt tolerant. 12-24" Tall X 6-12" Wide. Alexander's White is Zone 3. Absolutely Amethyst is Zone 4. ☀️



'Alexander's White'

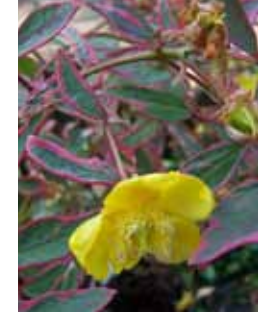


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'Absolutely Amethyst'



'Hidcote'



'Tricolor'

Iris



'Caesar's Brother'

Your Honor, Iris my case.

Iris was the Greek goddess of the rainbow and the messenger of the Olympian gods. Its flower is so iconic, European royalty have used a stylized version—the fleur de lis— since at least 493 AD.

All of our German iris varieties are rebloomers. Not only will you see this elegant flower in the spring, but also again in the fall. Siberian irises have a flatter profile flower and bloom from spring into summer. Foliage is a bit similar to grass with tall sword-like blades. Because of its height, Iris is a great option for the back of the perennial bed. Irises are best when given years to get established, so don't plan to uproot and transplant repeatedly. ☀️



'Beverly Sills'



'Champagne Elegance'



'Clarence'



'Feedback'



'Harvest of Memories'



'Immortality'



'Rare Treat'



'Titan's Glory'



'War Chief'



'Lion King'



'Variegated Ensata'



'Variegated Purple'

German Iris

Zone 3 | 3' Tall x 2' Wide

'Beverly Sills'

'Champagne Elegance'

'Clarence'

'Feedback'

'Harvest of Memories'

'Immortality'

'Rare Treat'

'Titan's Glory'

'War Chief'

Japanese Iris

Zone 4 | 2-3' Tall x 1-2' Wide

'Lion King'

'Variegated Ensata'

Siberian Iris

Zone 3 | 3' Tall x 2.5' Wide

'Caesar's Brother'

Pallida Iris

Zone 3 | 3' Tall x 2.5' Wide

'Variegated Purple'

Lamium

maculatum

'Beacon Silver'

Silvery-white leaves with green margins. Lavender-pink flowers. Blooms April - June. Good ground cover, border perennial.

8" Tall X 3' Wide.
Zone 3. ☀️ ●



'Beacon Silver'

Lantana

Saturated colorful florets make up these Lantanas' aromatic clusters called umbels. Fast growing, hardy, and drought resistant, 'Miss Huff' grows to approximately 4' tall by 8' wide, while 'Chapel Hill Gold' PP21539 is half that size. Zone 7. ☀️



'Chapel Hill Gold' PP21539



'Miss Huff'

Lavender



'Munstead'

A holy aroma.

Lavender is mentioned in the Bible and was used as an incense in Solomon's temple. Its name comes from the Latin word meaning "to wash" as it was used in Roman baths. The meaning "pale purple color" comes from this plant.

With lovely, fragrant blooms on slender blue-green stalks, Lavender is a welcome addition to any well-planned perennial garden. They require less water than most perennials.

'Munstead' is the most commonly used, growing to 18" tall x 24" wide.. 'Provence' and 'Grosso' have the same color but a larger growth habit; 3' x 3'. 'Silver Edge' PP13091 offers variegated foliage. Zone 5. ☀️



'Provence'



'Grosso'



'Lavance'



'Silver Edge' PP13091

Leptinella

squalida

'Platt's Black'

Small fern-like purple-gray foliage with small yellow button-like flowers blooming from spring - summer.

2" Tall X Indefinite.
Zone 5. ☀️ ☁️



'Platt's Black'

Leucanthemum

Shasta Daisy

Excellent for cut flowers.

'Banana Cream' PPAF:
15-18" Tall X 18-24"
Wide. Zone 4. ☀️

'Becky': 36" Tall X 24"
Wide. Zone 6. ☀️

'Snow Cap': 10-12" Tall
X 12" Wide. Zone 3. ☀️



'Banana Cream' PPAF



'Becky'



'Snow Cap'

Lewisia

cotyledon

'Rainbow Mix'

Intense colored blooms of orange, pink, white, yellow, salmon and apricot. Dark green evergreen foliage.

8" Tall X 8-10" Wide.
Zone 3. ☀️



'Rainbow Mix'

Liatris

spicata

'Alba': Dark green foliage. White flower spikes in July - August. Good border perennial. 3' Tall X 2' Wide. Zone 3. ☀️

'Kobold': Compact habit. Rose-lavender flower spikes in July - August. 20" Tall X 15" Wide. Zone 3. ☀️



'Alba'



'Kobold'

Ligularia

'Aureomaculata':
Glossy leaves have random gold spots. Large daisy-like yellow flowers. 24" Tall X 18-21" Wide. Zone 8. ☀️
'Britt Marie Crawford'
PP16113: Golden orange flowers towering over broad glossy chocolate leaves. 24-36" Tall X 18-21" Wide. Zone 4. ☀️



'Aureomaculata'



'Britt Marie Crawford' PP16113

Lithodora

diffusa

'Grace Ward'
Low, mounding form. Tubular, bright blue flowers in summer. Good ground cover, massing plant.
6" Tall X 2-4' Wide. Zone 6. ☀️ ☁️



Liriope

Lilyturf

Easy to grow, clumping, low, grass-like groundcover with tiny violet flower spikes blooming in the Summer.

Grows to approximately 12" Tall X 18" Wide.

Zone 6. ☀️ ☁️



'Big Blue'



'Green'



'Variegated'

Lobelia

ardinalis

'Queen Victoria'
Clump-forming, semi-aquatic perennial. Large, brilliant, vivid-red flowers in late summer and early fall. Great back of border or pondside plant. 2-3' Tall X 18-24" Wide. Zone 4. ☀️ ☁️



Lonicera

Trumpet Honeysuckle

Beautiful brightly colored trumpet-like flowers. Vigorous climbing vine that is excellent on fences, arbors, and trellises. Blooms in spring/summer attract hummingbirds. Grows to 12-15'+. Zone 4. ☀️ ☁️



'John Clayton'



'Major Wheeler'



'Sempervirens'

Lysimachia

congestiflora

'Persian Chocolate'
Great groundcover with bright yellow flowers in late spring.

2-4" Tall X 36" Wide
Zone 6. ☀️ ☁️



Monarda

Bee Balm

'Fireball' PP14235
Bright-red shaggy, pom-pom-like flowers, dark green aromatic leaves. 20" Tall X 18-24" Wide

'Grand Parade™' PP19580
Fragrant tubular purple flowers that can reach 3" in diameter. 13-16" Tall X 16-20" Wide.

'Petite Delight' PP10784
Spider-like rosy-pink flowers summer. Mildew resistant. 12-15" Tall X 18" Wide.

'Raspberry Wine'
Clear, wine-red flowers mid-summer to early fall. 36" Tall X 18" Wide.

Zone 4. ☀️ ☁️



'Fireball' PP14235



'Grand Parade™' PP19580



'Petite Delight' PP10784



'Raspberry Wine'

Nepeta

Catmint

'Walker's Low'
Compact, mounding perennial. Vivid, purple-blue flowers May to late Fall.

'Dropmore Hybrid'
Soft, grey-green aromatic foliage, blue flowers June-August.

18" Tall X 24" Wide
Zone 4. ☀️



'Walker's Low'



'Dropmore Hybrid'

Oenothera

Evening Primrose

'Fireworks'
Compact rounded form with waves of summer blooming yellow flowers.
'Siskiyou'
Bright pink flowers, compact habit. Good border, edging perennial. 10" Tall X 12" Wide. Zone 4. ☀️



'Fireworks'



'Siskiyou'

Penstemon

Beardtongue

Dense spikes of tubular flowers blooming in the spring. Clump forming, looks best planted in groups. Drought resistant.

36" Tall X 30" Wide
Zone 5. ☀️



'Dark Towers' PP20013



'Electric Blue'



'Wine Red'

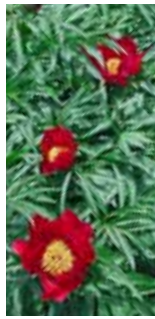
Peony



'Shirley Temple'



'Duchess de Nemours'



'Early Scout'



'Karl Rosenfeld'



'Primevere'



'Raspberry Sundae'



'Sarah Bernhardt'



'Tom Eckhardt'

Fragrant attraction.

Peonies are perennial shrubs, growing to mature size of 2-3' tall x 3' wide. Their large, showy flowers are prized for their fragrance and stunning beauty. They are excellent garden specimens, border or bedding perennials.

Zone 3. ☀️ 🌧️

Perovskia

atriplicifolia
Russian Sage

'Lacey Blue' PP20845: Big, lavender-blue flowers on stiff, upright stems. Compact variety. Many blue-purple flowers. 18" Tall X 36" Wide

'Little Spire' PP11643: Stiff, upright dwarf form. Tubular violet-blue flowers. 18" Tall X 12" Wide.

'Russian Sage': Grey-green aromatic foliage, blue flowers July-August. Good border perennial, cut flower. 4' Tall X 3' Wide.

Zone 5. ☀️



'Lacey Blue' PP20845



'Little Spire' PP11643



'Russian Sage'

Phlox



'Creeping Scarlet Flame'

Flame on.

Phlox in bloom is a stunning sight to behold. Its name means "flame" in Greek, and it earns it with intense blankets of color.

The creeping phlox bloom late spring through summer, and only grow 2-6" tall. They can spread to two feet wide. They are hardy to Zone 3. Plant in full sun.

Our upright phlox, the Flame™ series, bloom in July and August. While upright, they are still compact, growing 2' tall and 1' wide. The Flames are disease resistant, which is particularly important for hotter, humid climates. They are slightly less hardy than the creeping ones, to Zone 4.

☀️ 🌧️



'Coral Flame' PPAF



'Creeping Blue Emerald'



'Creeping Fort Hill Pink'



'Creeping White Delight'



'Purple Flame' PP12605



'White Flame' PP16259

Physostegia

virginiana

Beautiful snapdragon-like flowers blooming in mid-late Summer.

'Miss Manners' PP12637
18-24" Tall X 12" Wide.
'Pink Manners' PPAF
36" Tall X 20" Wide.

Zone 3. ☀️ 🌧️



'Miss Manners' PP12637



'Pink Manners' PPAF

Platycodon

grandiflorus

'Sentimental Blue'
Balloon shaped buds open to purple-blue, bell-shaped flowers. Attractive bedding, border, accent plant.

6-8' Tall X 8-10' Wide.
Zone 3. ☀️



Polemonium

Jacob's Ladder

Clump-forming with bell-shaped, fragrant, early-summer blooms.

'Bressingham Purple' PP15367
12-36" Tall X 12-24" Wide.
'Stairway to Heaven' PP15187
16" Tall X 18" Wide.
Zone 4. 🌧️



'Bressingham Purple' PP15367



'Stairway to Heaven' PP15187

Polygonatum

multiflorum

'Variegatum'
Arching form. Mid-green leaves with creamy edges and pale green streaks. Tubular white flowers in spring.

24" Tall X 18-21" Wide.
Zone 3. 🌧️ ●



Pulmonaria

Lungwort

Clump-forming, heat and humidity tolerant. Deer resistant. Heavily spotted leaves with early spring blooms.

'Trevi Fountain' PP13047
11" Tall X 24" Wide.
'Raspberry Splash' PP12138
15" Tall X 25" Wide.
Zone 4. 🌧️ ●



'Trevi Fountain' PP13047



'Raspberry Splash' PP12138

Rosemary

officinalis

Woody, perennial herb with fragrant, evergreen, needle-like leaves and small pale-blue summer flowers.

'Arp Upright' 24" Tall X 24" Wide.
'Prostratus' 3-4' Tall X 4-8' Wide.
Zone 7. ☀️



'Arp Upright'



'Prostratus'

Rudbeckia



'Goldsturm'

Hello, sunshine.

Nothing says "It's Summertime" quite like a Rudbeckia. Lovely, daisy-like flowers with black center eyes are great in the landscape or in flower arrangements.

They bloom July through October. They are drought resistant once established, and like full sun.

Deadheading is a good idea but not absolutely necessary. Will self seed if the final flowers of the Fall are not removed.

	Height	Width	Zone
'Goldsturm'	24"	18-24"	3
'Indian Summer'	36"	18-24"	6
'Little Goldstar' PPAF	14-16"	14-16"	4
'Viette's Little Suzy' PP8867	12"	15"	3



'Indian Summer'



'Little Goldstar' PPAF



'Viette's Little Suzy' PP8867

Ruellia

brittoniana

'Purple Showers'
Petunia-like lavender-lilac-blue flowers. Oblong mid-green hairy leaves.

1-3' Tall X 1-3' Wide.
Zone 7. ☀️ 🌧️



Salvia



'May Night'

Sage thrives in summer.

The name Salvia comes from the Latin word 'salvere,' which means "to save". This refers to the long-held belief in the herb's healing properties. It is a popular annual and perennial. These varieties are perennial in their respective zones.

'May Night' is the most popular variety. 'Black and Blue' has a very different looking bloom and grows quite large. New, compact varieties have been recently introduced, including 'Marcus' and the two 'New Dimensions.'

	Height	Width	Zone
'Black and Blue'	4-8'	2-3'	5
'Caradonna'	2-3'	2'	4
greggi 'Furman's Red'	2-4'	2-3'	8
'Marcus'™ PP13322	1'	1-2'	6
'May Night'	2'	1-2'	5
'Mystic Spires Blue' PP18054	2'	2-3'	7
'New Dimension Blue'	1'	1-2'	5
'New Dimension Rose'	1'	1-2'	5



'Black and Blue'



'Caradonna'



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'Marcus'™ PP13322



'Mystic Spires Blue' PP18054



'New Dimension Blue'



'New Dimension Rose'

Scabiosa

columbaria
Pincushion Flower

'Butterfly Blue'

Dwarf habit, long blooming period with lavender-blue flowers from May to September. Excellent edging, border plant. 16" Tall X 16" Wide.

'Pink Mist'

Soft pink colored flower companion to 'Butterfly Blue'. 12-36" Tall X 12-36" Wide.

Zone 3. ☼



'Butterfly Blue'



'Pink Mist' PP8957

Sedum



'Angelina'
PPAF

Low maintenance.

Sedums are extremely easy to grow, so easy, in fact, that they are the de facto plant used in green-roofs as they require such little care.

The low-growing sedums are great as groundcovers, filling in cracks and nooks, particularly in rock gardens. Perhaps that's why they are commonly called 'Stonecrop.'

The taller sedums bloom once late in the growing season, but look fabulous all year. Plant in full sun.

	Height	Width	Zone
'Angelina' PPAF	4"	24"	3
'Autumn Fire'	18-24"	18-24"	3
'Blue Spruce'	8-12"	12-18"	3
'Bon Bon' PP18168	16"	16-22"	5
'Dragon's Blood'	6"	18"	3
'John Creech'	2"	15-18"	3
'Kamtschaticum'	4"	10-12"	3
'Kamtschaticum Variegatum'	4"	10-12"	3
'Lidakense'	6"	8-12"	5
'Neon'	18-24"	18-24"	3
'Sieboldii'	6"	8-10"	3
'Thundercloud' PP 21833	12"	12"	4
'Tricolor'	4"	24"	3
'Vera Jameson'	8-12"	18"	3



'Autumn Fire'



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'Lidakense'



'Neon'



'Sieboldii'



'Thundercloud' PP21833



'Tricolor'



'Vera Jameson'

Sisyrinchium

angustifolium

'Lucerne'
Dark green, thin, grass-like foliage. Bright blue, star-shaped flowers with yellow center. Clumping form. Good massing, edging, container plant. 10-12" Tall X 12" Wide. Zone 5. ☀️ 🌧️



Solidago

Goldenrod

Fast growing, upright, clump forming with summer to mid-fall clustered showy blooms.
'Gold Rush' PPAF
12" Tall X 12-36" Wide.
'Little Lemon' PP17297
12" Tall X 12-24" Wide. Zone 4. ☀️



'Gold Rush' PPAF



'Little Lemon' PP17297

Stachys
byzantina

'Helen Von Stein
Lamb's Ear'

Mat-forming. Large, silvery leaves. Heat tolerant. Good ground cover, edging plant.

18" Tall X 24" Wide.

Zone 3. ☀



Stokesia
laevis

'Honeysong' PPAF

Large, dark purple flowers. Excellent bedding, perennial border plant. Great color for late summer gardens.

14" Tall X 14-18" Wide.

Zone 5. ☀



Tanacetum
coccineum

'Robinson's Mix'

Large vivid daisies in shades of pink and red on long stiff stems. Good wildflower, cutting garden plant. Spring blooms. 24-30" Tall X 15-18" Wide. Zone 3. ☀



'Robinson's Mix'

Thymus
coccineus

'Creeping Red Thyme'

Mat-forming ground cover. Small dark green glossy, aromatic foliage. Tiny crimson-red flowers.

1-4" Tall X 2' Wide. Zone 4. ☀



'Creeping Red Thyme'

Tradescantia

Spiderwort

Long lived, low care perennial known for showy foliage as well as flowers.

'Concord Grape'
16-24" Tall X 24" Wide.
'Sweet Kate'
12-15" Tall X 15" Wide.

Zone 5. ☀ ☁



'Concord Grape'



'Sweet Kate'

Tricyrtis
hirta

'Miyazaki'

Clump-forming, rhizomatous perennial with funnel-shaped white fall flowers spotted with purple. Good shady border, woodland garden plant. 36" Tall X 18" Wide. Zone 4. ☁



Tropicals... bringing the vacation to your garden.

With proper care and attention, you might just be able to keep Bananas, Agaves, Colocasias and Cordylines alive in your garden. But it won't be easy!

It's difficult to reliably grow truly tropical plants in the Mid-Atlantic states. We offer a variety of tropicals, but they are tender perennials at best. Wise gardeners in our region consider them annuals and treat them accordingly. Like a vacation, you enjoy them while they last. To see the specific varieties we are growing, check out our Seasonal Color Guide, available on our website.



'Agave'



'Banana'



'Colocasia'



'Cordyline'

Verbena



canadensis
'Homestead Purple'
Low spreader. Deep purple flowers.
Blooms all summer. Excellent ground
cover, accent, border or massing plant.
8-16" Tall X 18-36" Wide.
Zone 6. ☀

Vernonia



lettermannii
'Iron Butterfly'
Small dark purple flowers blooming in
late summer attracts butterflies. Long,
slender, narrow, mid-green foliage.
2-3' Tall X 2-3' Wide.
Zone 6. ☀

Veronica



'Royal Candles' PP18932

No prima donna.

For a no-fuss plant, you can't find much better than Veronicas, which start blooming in the spring and keep going through frost.

They make excellent bedding, border or massing plants.

The low growing dense foliage gives rise to narrow flowers spikes in blues, reds, pinks, and purples. Deadheading will keep them going all summer long.

Drought tolerant, Veronica likes a well-drained soil. Plant in full sun.

	Height	Width	Zone
'Giles Van Hees'	6-10"	10-12"	3
'Goldwell' PP 17423	4-6"	18"	5
'Goodness Grows'	12-16"	18"	5
'Red Fox'	12"	12-18"	3
'Royal Candles' PP 18932	12-15"	15-18"	6



'Goodness Grows'



'Giles Van Hees'



'Goldwell' PP17423



'Red Fox'

Viola

These perennial cousins to the more popular winter annual Pansy are primarily prized for their foliage, not their blooms.

'Heartthrob' has heart shaped green serrated leaves with a wide burgundy splash in the center. Lavender blooms from early summer to early fall. 6-8" Tall X 12" Wide. Zone 5. ☀️ ●

'Labradorica' is also known as the 'Alpine Violet' and is native from Greenland down through the Mid-Atlantic states. They have heart-shaped, finely toothed, dark-purple foliage and small, pale-blue, short-spurred flowers. 6" Tall X 15-18" Wide. Zone 3. ☀️ ●



'Heartthrob'



'Labradorica'