

Perennials for Special Situations

DRY SOIL, HOT DRY CONDITIONS

- *Achillea*, *Yarrow*
- *Anthemis*, *Golden Marguerite*
- *Arabis*, *Rock Cress*
- *Artemisia*, *Wormwood*
- *Catananche caerulea*, *Cupid's Dart*
- *Cerastium tomentosum*, *Snow in Summer*
- *Coreopsis verticillata* 'Moonbeam'
- *Coreopsis verticillata* 'Zagreb'
- *Dianthus caryophyllus*, *Hardy Carnation*
- *Dianthus deltoides*, *Maiden Pinks*
- *Dianthus gratianopolitanus*, *Cheddar Pinks*
- *Echinacea purpurea*, *Purple Coneflower*
- *Euphorbia polychroma*, *Cushion Spurge*
- *Festuca ovina* 'Elijah Blue', *Blue Fescue*
- *Gaillardia grandiflora*, *Blanketflower*
- *Geranium endressii*, *Endres Cranesbill*
- *Geranium sanguineum*, *Blood-red Cranesbill*
- *Gypsophila paniculata*, *Baby's Breath*
- *Helianthemum nummularium*, *Sun Rose*
- *Helictotrichon sempervirens*, *Blue Oat Grass*
- *Hemerocallis*, *Daylily*
- *Kniphofia uvaria*, *Red Hot Poker*
- *Liatris*, *Gayfeather*
- *Leucanthemum x superbum*, *Shasta Daisy*
- *Miscanthus*, *Silvergrass*
- *Panicum virgatum*, *Switch Grass*
- *Pennisetum*, *Fountain Grass*
- *Penstemon*, *Beardtongue*
- *Phlox subulata*, *Creeping Phlox*
- *Platycodon grandiflora*, *Balloonflower*
- *Potentilla*, *Cinquefoil*
- *Rudbeckia*, *Coneflower*
- *Salvia*, *Sage*
- *Saponaria ocymoides*, *Soapwort*
- *Sedum*, *Stonecrop*

- *Sempervivum, Hens & Chicks*
- *Tradescantia, Spiderwort*
- *Verbena canadensis, Rose Verbena*



Perennials for Special Situations

SHADE, DRY CONDITIONS

- *Convallaria majalis*, *Lily-of-the-Valley*
- *Geranium sanguineum*, *Blood-red Cranesbill*
- *Hosta*, *Plantain Lily*
- *Lamium maculatum*, *Spotted Dead Nettle*
- *Pachysandra terminalis*, *Japanese Spurge*
- *Stachys byzantina*, *Lamb's Ear*
- *Vinca*, *Myrtle or Periwinkle*



Perennials for Special Situations

MOISTURE TOLERANT

- *Aegopodium, Bishops Weed*
- *Aquilegia, Columbine*
- *Astilbe, False Spirea*
- *Baptisia australis, False Blue Indigo*
- *Bergenia, Heartleaf Bergenia*
- *Calamagrostis, Feather Reed Grass*
- *Campanula, Harebells*
- *Carex, Sedge (most varieties)*
- *Chelone lyonii, Turtlehead*
- *Coreopsis rosea, Rose*
- *Coreopsis Digitalis, Foxglove*
- *Erianthus ravennae, Ravenna Grass*
- *Geranium sanguineum, Bloodred Cranesbill*
- *Hosta, Plantain Lily*
- *Houttuynia cordata, Chameleon Plant*
- *Iberis, Candytuft*
- *Imperata, Japanese Bloodgrass*
- *Liatris, Gayfeather*
- *Liriope, Lilyturf*
- *Lobelia cardinalis, Cardinal Flower*
- *Lysimachia, Moneywort*
- *Mentha, Mint*
- *Monarda, Bee Balm*
- *Nepeta, Catmint*
- *Physostegia virginiana, Obedient Plant*
- *Polemonium, Jacob's Ladder*
- *Polygonum, Knotweed*
- *Primula japonica, Japanese Primrose*
- *Tradescantia, Spiderwort*
- *Trollius, Globeflower*

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SHADE TOLERANT

- *Aegopodium, Bishop's Weed*
- *Ajuga, Bugleweed*
- *Alchemilla, Lady's Mantle*
- *Aquilegia, Columbine*
- *Astilbe, False Spirea*
- *Athyrium filix-femina, Lady Fern*
- *Campanula, Bellflower*
- *Chelone lyonii, Turtlehead*
- *Convallaria majalis, Lily-of-the-Valley*
- *Dicentra, Bleeding Heart*
- *Digitalis, Foxglove*
- *Gaura lindheimeri, Whirling Butterflies*
- *Hedera helix, Baltic Ivy*
- *Heuchera, Coralbells*
- *Hosta, Plantain Lily*
- *Imperata cyl 'Red Baron', Japanese Bloodgrass*
- *Lamiastrum galeobdolon, Golden Dead Nettle*
- *Liriope, Lilyturf*
- *Monarda, Bee Balm*
- *Myosotis, Forget-me-not*
- *Pachysandra terminalis, Japanese Spurge*
- *Polemonium, Jacob's Ladder*
- *Primula, Primrose*
- *Trollius, Globeflower*
- *Tricyrtis, Toad Lily*
- *Vinca, Myrtle or Periwinkle*

Perennials for Special Situations

DEEP SHADE

- *Aegopodium, Bishop's Weed*
- *Athyrium filix-femina, Lady Fern*
- *Convallaria majalis, Lilly-of-the-Valley*
- *Hedera helix, Baltic Ivy*
- *Hosta, Plantain Lily*
- *Lamium galeobdolon, Golden Dead Nettle*
- *Liriope, Lilyturf*
- *Pachysandra terminalis, Japanese Spurge*
- *Trollius, Globeflower*
- *Vinca, Myrtle or Periwinkle*



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FRAGRANT FLOWER

- *Buddleia, Butterfly Bush*
- *Centranthus ruber, Red Valerian*
- *Clematis paniculata, Sweet Autumn Clematis*
- *Dianthus*
- *Galium odoratum, Sweet Woodruff*
- *Hemerocallis 'Hyperion'*
- *Hosta 'Fragrant Bouquet'*
- *Hosta 'Halcyon'*
- *Lathyrus, Hardy Sweetpea*
- *Lavandula, Lavender*
- *Lilium, Lily*
- *Mentha, Mint*
- *Nepeta, Catmint*
- *Oenothera, Evening Primrose*
- *Paeonia, Peony*
- *Papaver, Poppy*
- *Phlox*
- *Primula, Primrose*

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PLANTS FOR SPECIAL SITUATIONS

TREES & SHRUBS FOR SHADY LOCATIONS

- *Aronia*, Chokeberry
- *Buxus x koreana*, Boxwood cultivars
- *Cercis canadensis*, Redbud
- *Clethra alnifolia*, Summersweet
- *Chaenomeles*, Quince
- *Cornus*, Dogwood
- *Euonymus fortunei*
- *Hamamelis*, Witchhazel
- *Hydrangea a 'Petiolaris'*, Climbing Hydrangea
- *Hydrangea arb 'Annabelle'*, Annabelle Hydrangea
- *Hydrangea quercifolia*, Oakleaf Hydrangea
- *Itea virginica*, Sweetspire
- *Leucothoe Lonicera*, Honeysuckle
- *Magnolia virginiana*, Sweetbay Magnolia
- *Mahonia aquifolium*, Oregon Grapeholly
- *Pieris*, Japanese Andromeda
- *Rhamnus*, Buckthorn
- *Rhododendron maximum*
- *Taxus*
- *Tsuga*, Hemlock
- *Viburnum* (most varieties)

PLANTS FOR SPECIAL SITUATIONS

DRY, POOR SOIL TOLERANT TREES & SHRUBS:

- *Acer ginnala*, Amur Maple
- *Aronia*, Chokeberry
- *Betula*, Birch
- *Carpinus*, Hornbeam
- *Caryopteris*
- *Chaenomeles*, Quince
- *Cotinus coggygria*, Smokebush
- *Crataegus*, Hawthorn
- *Erica x darleyensis*, Heather
- *Gleditsia triacanthos inermis*, Honeylocust
- *Hamamelis*, Witchhazel
- *Itea*, Sweetspire
- *Juniperus*, Juniper
- *Ligustrum*, Vicary
- *Myrica pensylvanica*, Bayberry
- *Pinus*, Pine
- *Potentilla*, Cinquefoil
- *Rhamnus*, Buckthorn
- *Rhus*, Sumac
- *Syringa reticulata*, Japanese Tree Lilac
- *Viburnum prunifolium*, Blackhaw Viburnum
- *Yucca filamentosa*, Adam's Needle Yucca

PLANTS FOR SPECIAL SITUATIONS

MOISTURE TOLERANT TREES & SHRUBS:

- *Acer rubrum*, Red Maple
- *Amelanchier*, Serviceberry
- *Andromeda polifolia*, Bog Rosemary
- *Aronia arbutifolia*, Red Chokeberry
- *Aronia melanocarpa*, Black Chokeberry
- *Betula nigra*, River Birch
- *Carpinus betulus*, European Hornbeam
- *Chaenomeles*, Quince
- *Clethra alnifolia*, Summersweet
- *Cornus alba*, Variegated Dogwood
- *Cornus sericea*, Red Dogwood
- *Deutzia gracilis*, Slender Deutzia
- *Gleditsia triacanthos inermis*, Honeylocust
- *Hamamelis*, Witchhazel
- *Ilex glabra*, Inkberry
- *Ilex verticillata*, Winterberry
- *Itea*, Sweetspire
- *Leucothoe*
- *Ligustrum*, Vicary
- *Liquidambar*, Sweetgum
- *Magnolia virginiana*, Sweetbay Magnolia
- *Metasequoia*, Dawn Redwood
- *Myrica pensylvanica*, Bayberry
- *Platanus acerifolia*, London Planetree
- *Quercus bicolor*, Swamp White Oak
- *Quercus palustris*, Pin Oak
- *Salix*, Willow
- *Thuja occidentalis*, Arborvitae
- *Viburnum dentatum*, Arrowwood Viburnum
- *Viburnum opulus*, European Cranberry bush
- *Viburnum trilobum*, American Cranberry bush

PLANTS FOR SPECIAL SITUATIONS

SHRUBS THAT ATTRACT HUMMINGBIRDS OR BUTTERFLIES

- *Abelia grandiflora*
- *Azalea Buddleia*, *Butterfly Bush*
- *Campsis radicans*, *Trumpet Vine*
- *Caryopteris Chaenomeles*, *Quince*
- *Clethra alnifolia*, *Summersweet*
- *Cotoneaster*
- *Crataegus*, *Hawthorn*
- *Hibiscus syriacus*, *Althea* or *Rose-of-Sharon*
- *Ligustrum*, *Vicary*
- *Lonicera*, *Honeysuckle*
- *Malus*, *Crabapple*
- *Philadelphus virginialis*, *Mockorange*
- *Potentilla*, *Cinquefoil*
- *Rhododendron*
- *Spiraea*
- *Syringa* spp, *Lilac*
- *Viburnum* spp
- *Weigela* spp
- *Yucca*

PLANTS FOR SPECIAL SITUATIONS

PERENNIALS THAT ATTRACT HUMMINGBIRDS OR BUTTERFLIES

- *Achillea*, Yarrow
- *Alcea rosea*, Hollyhocks
- *Aquilegia*, Columbine
- *Asclepias*, Butterfly Weed
- *Aster* spp
- *Astilbe* spp
- *Campanula*, Bellflower
- *Campsis radicans*, Trumpet Vine
- *Centranthus ruber*, Red Valerian
- *Chelone*, Pink Turtlehead
- *Clematis*
- *Coreopsis*, Tickseed
- *Dianthus*, Pinks
- *Dicentra*, Bleeding Hearts
- *Digitalis*, Foxglove
- *Echinacea purpurea*, Purple Coneflower
- *Eupatorium Gaillardia x grandiflora*, Blanketflower
- *Geranium* spp
- *Hemerocallis*, Daylily
- *Heuchera* spp, Coralbells
- *Iberis*, Candytuft
- *Iris*
- *Kniphofia uvaria*, Red Hot Poker
- *Lavendula*, Lavender
- *Leucanthemum*, Chrysanthemum
- *Lilium*, Hardy Lily
- *Lobelia cardinalis*, Cardinal Flower
- *Monarda*, Bee Balm
- *Nepeta*, Catmint
- *Papaver*, Poppy
- *Phlox paniculata*, Tall Garden Phlox
- *Physostegia*, Obedient Flower
- *Rudbeckia*, Black-eyed Susan
- *Salvia* spp
- *Sedum*, most varieties
- *Scabiosa*, Pincushion Flower
- *Solidago*, Goldenrod

- *Verbena bonariensis*
- *Verbena canadensis*
- *Veronica, Speedwell*



PLANTS FOR SPECIAL SITUATIONS

SHRUBS AND TREES THAT DON'T "SEEM" TO BE A DEER'S FAVORITE FOOD:

- *Buddleia*, *Butterfly Bush*
- *Buxus*, *Boxwood*
- *Callicarpa japonica*, *Beautyberry*
- *Caryopteris*
- *Chaenomeles* spp, *Quince*
- *Cotinus*, *Smokebush*
- *Forsythia*
- *Hypericum*
- *Ilex glabra*, *Inkberry*
- *Juniperus*, *low growing varieties*
- *Magnolia grandiflora*
- *Mahonia aquifolium*, *Oregon Grapeholly*
- *Myrica*, *Bayberry*
- *Picea abies*, *Norway Spruce*
- *Picea pungens*, *Blue Spruce*
- *Pinus mugo*, *Mugho Pine*
- *Potentilla* spp, *Cinquefoil*
- *Rhus aromatica* Gro-Low, *Sumac*
- *Spiraea*
- *Wisteria*
- *Yucca*

PLANTS FOR SPECIAL SITUATIONS

PERENNIALS THAT DON'T "SEEM" TO BE A DEER'S FAVORITE FOOD:

- *Achillea* spp, *Yarrow*
- *Aegopodium podagraria*, *Bishop's Weed*
- *Agastache* spp, *Anise Hyssop*
- *Ajuga reptans*, *Bugleweed*
- *Alchemilla mollis*, *Lady's Mantle*
- *Allium* sp, *Ornamental Onion*
- *Arabis caucasica*, *Rock Cress*
- *Artemisia*, spp, *Silver Mound*
- *Asclepias tuberosa*, *Butterfly Weed*
- *Athyrium nipponicum*, *Japanese Painted Fern*
- *Baptisia australis*, *False Indigo*
- *Brunnera macrophylla*, *Siberian Bugloss*
- *Calamintha grandiflora*, *Calamint*
- *Convallaria majalis*, *Lilly of the Valley*
- *Coreopsis verticillata*, *Threadleaf Tickseed*
- *Dianthus*, *Pinks*
- *Dicentra*, *Bleeding Hearts*
- *Digitalis purpurea*, *Foxglove*
- *Epimedium* spp, *Barrenwort*
- *Euphorbia* spp
- *Galium odoratum*, *Sweet Woodruff*
- *Helleborus*, *Lenten Rose*
- *Iris*
- *Lamium* spp, *Spotted Deadnettle*
- *Lavendula*, *Lavender*
- *Liatris* spp, *Gayfeather*
- *Lychnis coronaria*, *Rose Campion*
- *Lysimachia nummularia*, *Moneywort*
- *Mentha* spp, *Mint*
- *Myosotis* spp, *Forget-Me-Not*
- *Nepeta*, *Catmint*
- *Osmunda cinnamomea*, *Cinnamon Fern*
- *Pachysandra terminalis*, *Japanese Spurge*
- *Paeonia* spp, *Peony (may eat buds)*
- *Perovskia atriplicifolia*, *Russian Sage*
- *Polystichum acrostichoides*, *Christmas Fern*
- *Pulmonaria* spp, *Lungwort*

- *Salvia* spp
- *Saponaria ocymoides*, *Soapwort*
- *Stachys byzantina*, *Lamb's Ear*
- *Teucrium chamaedrys*, *Meadow Rue*
- *Thymus* spp, *Thyme*
- *Vinca minor*, *Myrtle*



SALT-TOLERANT PERENNIALS (BUT IS ANYTHING TOTALLY TOLERANT? NO.):

- Aquilegia, Columbine
- Artemisia, Wormwood
- Aster, New England Aster
- Baptisia, False Indigo
- Dianthus, Pink/Garden Pinks
- Gaillardia, Blanket Flower
- Grasses
- Helleborus, Lenten Rose
- Hemerocallis, Daylily
- Heuchera, Coral Bells
- Hosta
- Iberis, Candytuft
- Liriope, Lilyturf
- Penstemon, Beardtongue
- Perovskia, Russian Sage
- Phlox
- Sedum, Stonecrop
- Stachys, Lamb's Ear
- Thymus
- Veronica, Speedwell
- Yucca



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