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Plant name	Picture	Price	In Stock
<p>Acaena inermis 'Purpurea'</p> <p>A low-growing, compact, spreading, evergreen perennial. It is a fantastic ground cover plant, having purple-red, rounded leaves with scalloped edges. In summer, it bears rounded, creamy-white flowers on short stems, followed by reddish burrs in autumn. Full sun.</p>		3.50	12 x 9cm
<p>Actinidia kolomikta (Ornamental Kiwi Vine) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>Prized for its flamboyant foliage, a large, vigorous deciduous climber producing a striking foliage with a mass of heart shaped leaves, some solid green, some splashed white, some splashed pink, some all three colours. Sweet scented white flowers in early summer. NB. Only male plants produce the tri-coloured leaves. These are male plants.</p>		7.00	To be potted up 3 x 1 litre
<p>Agapanthus - various</p> <p>'Alba', 'Black Pantha', 'Flore Pleno', 'Lilliput', 'Navy Blue', 'Torbay', 'Windsor Grey'</p>		5.00 +	To be potted up 1, 2 and 3 litre
<p>Allium angulosum (Mouse Garlic)</p> <p>Umbels of pale lilac blooms which darken to purple as they mature. This a lovely prolific flowering onion that retains its fresh green leaves throughout the long flowering period, unlike many of the larger ornamental onions. The small, slender bulbs are also edible and can be used either raw or cooked. Attractive to pollinators.</p> <p>Height: 30-40cm (12-16 inches).</p>		4.00	8 x 2 litre





<p>Allium cyaneum RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>A particularly lovely hardy species of ornamental onion, growing to just 25cm and bearing open nodding clusters of intense brilliant blue, bell-shaped blooms, above bright green, grass-like foliage. Clump-forming, it's perfect for growing as part of a rockery, gravel garden or container display. Attractive to pollinators.</p> <p>Height: up to 25cm (9-10 inches max).</p>		4.00	8 x 9cm
<p>Allium mairei var. amabile</p> <p>A lovely hardy dwarf species of ornamental allium with a delicate appearance. Clump forming, suitable for the rock garden or alpine troughs. Soft pink flowers on grass-like wiry stems in late summer. Attractive to pollinators.</p> <p>Height 17-30cm (7-12 inches max).</p>		3.50	8 x 9cm
<p>Allium 'Miami'</p> <p>Bears dark purple, half round, shaggy flower heads on tall stems, in summer. It's a fantastic choice for sunny borders, and works well when planted in drifts with ornamental grasses and other alliums. It makes a wonderful cut flower. Grow in well-drained soil in full sun. Attractive to pollinators.</p> <p>Height: up to 90cm (36 inches).</p>		3.00	10 x 1 litre





<p>Allium tuberosum (Garlic chives, Chinese chives) A clump-forming bulb which is grown for both culinary and ornamental purposes. Chive-like, grey-green leaves up to 12" long (flowers up to 18") used in cooking in the same manner as chives. All parts of the plant have an oniony smell when cut or crushed, however the flower scent is more suggestive of violets.</p> <p>Great for late summer & autumn interest, prairie planting and in pots mixed with other plants. Keeps its neat green leaves when flowering, unlike most ornamental onions. Attractive to pollinators.</p> <p>Used frequently in Piet Oudolf's garden designs.</p>		3.00	20 x 9cm
<p>Anemanthele lessoniana (Pheasant's Tail Grass, New Zealand Wind Grass) RHS Award of Garden Merit A wonderful grass that provides year-round colour, movement and structure. Loose, fountain-like clump of slender evergreen foliage, emerges green, but develops yellow, orange and red tints. Colouring intensifies during colder months of the year. Bonus of sprays of airy, hazy pink flowerheads late summer. Highly recommended plant for dry conditions in sun or shade. Height 60cm-90cm. Evergreen</p>		4.00	40 x 9cm
<p>Anemone nemerosa 'Alba Plena' (Double flowered wood anemone) Low growing, double pure white anemone which flowers in early spring. Height: 15cm 9cm pots, lots of bulbs per pot.</p>		4.00	10 x 9cm





<p>Anthericum ramosum (St Bernard's Lily)</p> <p>Pure white star-shaped flowers on long stems up to 90cms in early to mid-summer. A very graceful plant.</p> <p>Plant in full sun.</p>		5.00	10 x 2 litre
<p>Arisarum proboscideum (Mouse Tail Plant)</p> <p>Great for shade. A hardy, clump forming herbaceous woodland perennial that flowers in April, amuses adults as well as children with whimsical flowers. Maroon and white flowers with tail-like tips hide under the leaves, resembling the back ends of mice. The flowers are long-lasting for indoor arrangements. Mouse plant's glossy spade-shaped leaves make a low groundcover until going dormant.</p>		3.50	18 x 9cm
<p>Arisaema speciosum (Double Whip Cobra Lily)</p> <p>An impressive species of tuberous perennial from the Himalayas with large tri-lobed leaves and deep red-maroon flowers and white stripes. The flowers are called spathes and are followed by dense clusters of red berries.</p> <p>Type: Hardy herbaceous woodlander Flowering Season: Summer Size: 62.5 cms to 75 cms high</p>		9.00	6 x 2 litre
<p>Athyrium filix-femina 'Frizelliae' Irish Tatting Fern, Lady Fern RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>Full shade, semi-shade. A very attractive hardy deciduous fern with delicate looking lacy-cut fronds. Emerges with bright green fronds that have a distinctive beaded look. Each frond is 12 to 18 inches long and lined with small leaflets (called pinnules) shaped like a tiny, rounded fan.</p>		5.00	To be potted up 1 litre +





<p>Blechnum penna-marina</p> <p>This little evergreen fern is a top rate garden plant. New fronds emerge in the spring copper red and gradually fade to rich green. Slowly creeps to fill cracks and crevices between paving stones. Fantastic for following and softening hard edges. Can also be used as a small-scale groundcover. Plant it under shrubs or trees with high branches, so that it gets some light for the best spring color.</p> <p>Height: 6 inches, spread 5 feet. Spread: 1.52 metres (5 feet)</p>		<p>3.50</p>	<p>To be potted up</p> <p>9cm</p>
<p>Callicarpa bodinieri 'Profusion' (Beauty Berry, French Mulberry) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>A medium sized deciduous shrub grown for its outstanding metallic purple berries in autumn and winter. Young bronze purple leaves turn deep green in summer and plum purple in autumn. The young foliage is bronze-purple, and makes good material for vases, as do bare branches laden with berries.</p> <p>Height: 2 – 2.5 metres</p>		<p>8.00</p>	<p>4 x 2 litre</p>
<p>Chamaenerion angustifolium 'Album' (Blooming Sally, Ranting Widow)</p> <p>This unusual White Willowherb cultivar which, like its pink cousin, is loved by bees and other pollinators for its masses of flowers in summer and autumn. The foliage is vital food for the Elephant Hawk Moth. Unlike its wild cousin, it won't take over your garden, although it grows strongly and forms a good sized plant. Perfect for growing in a mixed border where it can naturalise among other plants, or try it in prairie-style planting.</p> <p>Height and spread: 1.5m x 75cm (5' x 30")</p>		<p>5.00</p>	<p>5 x 2ltr</p>
<p>Cirsium heterophyllum (the Melancholy Thistle)</p> <p>This is the 'thistle' you see representing Scotland. An erect herb in the sunflower family. Thought to help depression. No prickles! A favourite of Susie White, ex Hexham Herbs. Long stems, a good flower for cutting. Excellent for pollinators, bees go mad for it! Good for prairie or meadow planting. Vigorous habit, needs space.</p> <p>Limited availability in pots (2ltr), but can also be supplied bare root.</p>		<p>5.00</p>	<p>4 x 2 litre</p> <p>Bare root</p> <p>generous amount of roots</p>





<p>Clematis akebioides</p> <p>A vigorous species clematis bearing masses of small, nodding bell flowers and finely divided foliage. The flowers are a mixture of both lemon yellow and maroon, sometimes marked red or purple underneath. Prominent central boss of purple stamens. Flowers are followed by attractive spikey seed heads. Natural habitat is scrubland, grassy slopes and along streams. Tough and tolerant of most soil types, very easy to grow. Very long flowering period from June to September.</p> <p>Height: up to 5.0 metres Any aspect – sun to full shade.</p>		<p>5.00</p> <p>8.00</p>	<p>4 x 1 litre</p> <p>1 x 2 litre</p>
<p>Clematis cirrhosa var. balearica</p> <p>Flowering in winter into very early spring, this evergreen, 'fern leaved' clematis bears fragrant, cream flowers freckled with reddish-brown spots, which hang among ferny leaves. Flowers are followed by whiskery seed heads. It's an excellent source of nectar for winter-active bumblebees, and makes a good cut flower. Height: 4 – 5 metres.</p>		<p>8.00</p>	<p>3 x 1 litre</p>
<p>Clematis x jouiniana 'Praecox' RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>Large and vigorous but non-climbing in habit, if supported it makes a good climber, but if allowed also makes good ground cover. It will happily scramble through borders or alternatively it can be tied to a support to climb up it. Very hardy, it will grow anywhere in sun or partial shade. Kept in bounds by hard pruning. From mid-summer to mid-autumn (July to October), it is covered with lightly scented mauvish white or pale lilac/blue flowers in bunches. Raised at the nursery of Simon-Louis Frères, Metz around 1900 and named after Emile Jouin, the nursery manager. Height: 2 - 2.5 metres</p>		<p>5.00</p> <p>£10</p>	<p>9 x 9cm</p> <p>1 x 2ltr</p>
<p>Clematis montana 'Broughton Star' RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>The very best double pink montana.</p> <p>Height: 5-7 metres, plant in any aspect, but flowers best with some sun.</p> <p>Height: 5-7 metres</p>		<p>5.00</p>	<p>4 x 1 litre</p>





<p>Clematis montana ‘Marjorie’</p> <p>Semi-double peachy-cream flowers. Prolific flowering. Plant in any aspect; north, south, east, west, but flowers best with some sun.</p> <p>Height: 5-7 metres.</p>		5.00	6 x 1 litre
<p>Clematis montana ‘Warwickshire Rose’</p> <p>Deep rose-pink flowers and yellow stamens contrast well with the dark purple foliage.</p> <p>Plant in any aspect; north, south, east, west.</p> <p>Height: 5-7 metres</p>		5.00	3 x 1 litre
<p>Clematis potaninii (formerly fargesii var. souliei)</p> <p>Prolific dense clusters of small milky white scented flowers with prominent yellow stamens. Attractive fluffy seed heads in autumn. A vigorous species scrambler, this beautiful, but now rarely seen, species was introduced from China in 1911. An excellent plant for covering any unsightly features in the garden, or growing through trees or large shrubs. Can be planted in any aspect, sun to full shade. The flowers are also highly attractive to pollinators.</p> <p>Flowers July, August, September. Height: 4-5 metres, hard prune.</p>		10.00 5.00	1 x 3 litre 1 litre (to be potted up)
<p>Crepsis rubra (Pink Hawk’s-beard)</p> <p>Short-lived perennial, very pretty. Also known as a ‘pink dandelion’, but definitely not so invasive or prolific! Produces dense sprays of pink flowers. In full flower in sunshine this is a spectacular and showy plant which can be nearly half a metre tall at maximum height</p>		4.00	10 x 2 litre





<p>Dactylorhiza – mixed hardy orchids Purpurella (Northern Marsh Orchid). and fuchsii (spotted orchid).</p> <p>Fully hardy with beautiful flowers. Purpurella (deep magenta flowers) is large, stunning and flowers very quickly while plants are still young. Forms good sized clumps. Fuchsii is a smaller, native wild orchid with spotted pale pink flowers. Both are difficult to grow from seed and expensive to buy as plants – that’s if you can find a supplier who has stock available. All plants supplied are flowering size. Purpurella height: to 60cm (25”) Fuchsii height: 10-50cm (5 to 20”)</p>		<p>8.00 9cm pot</p> <p>12.00 2 litre pot</p>	<p>24 x 9cm</p> <p>3 x 2 litre purpurella</p>
<p>Dianella caeruleum (Blue Flax Lily, Paroo Lily, Blueberry Lily)</p> <p>An evergreen, clump forming perennial with leathery, sword-shaped leaves and long sprays of short-branched panicles of small, starry, deep blue flowers with conspicuous yellow anthers, followed by long-lasting royal blue or purple shining berries. An unusual and striking plant when in bloom or fruiting and will always attract comment. Grow in a sheltered position, full sun or partial shade. Makes an excellent and unusual specimen for a pot.</p> <p>Height: 50-60cm, flower spikes are longer and rise above the leaves.</p>		<p>6.00</p>	<p>To be potted up</p> <p>1 litre+</p>
<p>Dianthus carthusianorum (Carthusian Pink, German Pink)</p> <p>Tall, erect species pink. Sturdy, requires no staking. Good mixed in with ornamental grasses or in the border, also good for prairie and meadow planting. A favourite of international garden designer Piet Oudolf. Height: 50cm + (20 inches+)</p>		<p>3.50</p>	<p>12 x 9cm</p>
<p>Dierama pulcherrimum ‘Blackbird’ (Angel’s Fishing Rod, Wandflower)</p> <p>Very elegant evergreen clump-forming perennial with tall, strap-shaped leaves and large, deep red-purple, bell-shaped flowers carried in sprays on fine, arching stems.</p> <p>Height: 1-1.5 metres (3-5 feet) Spread: 0.1-0.5 metres</p>		<p>8.00</p>	<p>3 x 2 litre</p>





<p>Dierama Pink Seedlings (Angel's Fishing Rod, Wandflower)</p> <p>Very elegant evergreen clump-forming perennial with tall, strap-shaped leaves and large, pink, bell-shaped flowers carried in sprays on fine, arching stems. Grown from seed.</p> <p>Height: 1-1.5 metres Spread: 0.1-0.5 metres</p>		7.00	6 x 2 litre
<p>Eucomis bicolor (Pineapple Lily) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>A spectacular plant, with spikes of purple-edged, pale green star-shaped flowers on purple-spotted stems in July and August, topped with a pineapple-like tuft above a rosette of wide, fleshy leaves. This distinctive, summer-flowering bulb looks stunning planted in clumps in a large, well-drained container or in a sunny, exotic-style garden. Since it's not fully hardy in frost-prone areas, it's best over-wintered indoors in a cool greenhouse.</p>		4.00	10 x 1.5 litre
<p>Filipendula rubra 'Venusta' RHS Award of Garden Merit (Pink meadowsweet, Queen of the Prairie)</p> <p>Tall and spectacular, this pink meadowsweet variety is a splendid herbaceous perennial with large, elegant sprays of small deep pink flowers borne on leafy stems well above the foliage from early to mid summer. Tolerates drier conditions, also good for prairie and meadow planting.</p> <p>Height: 4' – 8' (120cm – 240cm) Limited availability in pots (2ltr), but can also be supplied bare root.</p>		5.00	6 x 2 litre Bare root Generous amount of roots
<p>Fritillaria camschatcensis (Chocolate Lily, Kamchatka fritillary, Black Sarana)</p> <p>A showy, bulbous perennial species. Sturdy stems with lance shaped leaves in whorls down the stem. Deep purple-black flowers in spring. Good in groupings for rock gardens, borders, or in pots. Prefers partial shade.</p> <p>Height: 15 - 60cm (6" – 24").</p>		3.50	36 x 9cm





<p>Geranium himalayense ‘Derrick Cook’</p> <p>A compact form of <i>Geranium himalayense</i>. It has large white/pale flowers with pink/purple veining. Its finely-cut, fresh green foliage is also attractive and colours beautifully in autumn.</p> <p>Another favourite of Susie White (ex Hexham Herbs).</p> <p>Height: 15-30cm (6" - 12")</p>		5.00	8 x 2ltr
<p>Geranium 'Dusky Crûg'</p> <p>Lovely clumps of deep brown foliage studded with largish pale pink flowers with deeper veins in summer into autumn (June to August). A seedling found at Crûg Farm in the late 1990s. Full sun or partial shade.</p> <p>Height: 15 - 45cm (6" - 18")</p>		4.00	6 x 1-2 litre
<p>Gillenia trifoliata (Bowman’s Root, Indian Physic) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>A charming perennial that bears masses of delicate, star-shaped white flowers with contrasting red calyces in midsummer. In autumn, the pretty, three-leafed foliage turns fiery red and the winter seedheads are a bonus too. A very graceful plant for semi-shade or full sun.</p> <p>Height: 45 – 90cm (18" – 36") Spread: 10 – 50 cm (4" – 20")</p>		5.00	To be potted up 1-2 litres
<p>Gladiolus communis subsp. Byzantinus (Byzantine Sword Lily) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>This hardy species gladiolus is perfect for bridging the gap between the last of the spring bulbs and the first of the summer perennials. A gorgeous, late-spring flowering corm bearing spikes of up to 20 funnel-shaped flowers in the most intense magenta pink.</p> <p>Good for borders, naturalising in ornamental meadows or prairie planting Height: to 90cm (3')</p>		3.00	15 x 9cm




<p>Gladiolus murielae (<i>Acidanthera murielae</i>) (Abyssinian Sword Lily) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>Species gladiolus with spikes of fragrant white flowers with a central maroon blotch. Providing movement and light to a border. Good planted in groups where it can drift through the border, or in containers where their fragrant flowers can be best appreciated. Flowers August to October. Height: 60-90cm (2-3ft) Several corms to a pot.</p>		3.50	To be potted up 1 litre pots
<p>Gladiolus papilio 'Ruby' Sword Lily 'Ruby'</p> <p>A particularly beautiful, understated species gladiolus, bearing elegant, ruby red flowers on tall, arching stems. Plants naturalise readily and gradually develop clumps. For best results grow in well-drained soil in full sun. Hardier than other varieties, there should be no need to lift corms in autumn, however a thick mulch of straw or organic material will protect the corms from the harshest frosts. They have survived minus 12 here! (winter 2020/21) Good for borders and excellent for prairie or meadow-style planting. Flowers from June to August. Height: 60-80cm (24-30")</p>		10.00	5 x 2 litre
<p>Hesperantha coccinea (<i>Schizostylis coccinea</i>, Flag Lily, Kaffir lily)</p> <p>Semi-evergreen, rhizomatous perennials with stiff, upright stems of large, deep scarlet red, gladiolus-like flowers in August and September above narrow, sword-shaped, mid-green leaves. These eye-catching lilies provide vertical interest and a late splash of colour when many summer flowers are coming to a close. Good for a sunny border, or in a moist area next to a pond - it can even be grown as a marginal plant. Lovely mixed with ornamental grasses, they also make excellent cut flowers.</p>		5.00	Bare root Generous amount of roots / corms
<p>Hesperantha coccinea (pink) (Flag Lily, Kaffir lily)</p> <p>Semi-evergreen, rhizomatous perennials with stiff, upright stems of large, pink, gladiolus-like flowers in August and September above narrow, sword-shaped, mid-green leaves. These eye-catching lilies provide vertical interest and a late splash of colour when many summer flowers are coming to a close. Good for a sunny border, or in a moist area next to a pond - it can even be grown as a marginal plant. Lovely mixed with ornamental grasses, they also make excellent cut flowers.</p>		5.00	Bare root Generous amount of roots / corms




<p>Hordeum jubatum (Foxtail Barley, Squirrel Tail Barley, Mouse Barley) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>Grown for its delicate, pretty looking salmon-pink barley like flowers during summer. Short lived perennial (3 – 5 years), which can re seed itself when happy. Best in sunny, open well drained spot. Deciduous. A favourite in Piet Oudolf plantings. Height 50 - 70cm (20" - 28").</p>		3.00	50 x 9cm
<p>Hosta Venusta Miniature species hosta from Japan This is the smallest species of hosta found on just one island in Japan. Vigorous growth rate. It will grow in dense shade in very dry conditions, but it prefers garden sites, where it will make a perfectly formed miniature mound up to 10-20" wide of tiny, teardrop-shaped green leaves. The plants are topped with 7-10" trumpet-shaped bright lavender-purple flowers in late summer. Excellent hosta for a trough, container or rock garden. Height: 7-10" Spread: 10-20"</p>		£4.00	12 x 9cm
<p>Jasminum officinale (Common Jasmine)</p> <p>The most sweetly scented of the jasmine family, bearing dark green pinnate leaves – the perfect foil for its clusters of fragrant white flowers from June to August.</p> <p>It's a versatile, deciduous climber, which tolerates shade but does best in full sun.</p> <p>Height: 4-8 metres.</p>		6.00	6 x 1 litre
<p>Knifophia 'Lemon Popsicle' (Dwarf Red Hot Poker) A compact variety with a citrusy twist. Tubular lemon drop flowers bloom from the base upwards forming luminous flower spikes. Attractive, grassy foliage arranged in neat strands. This perennial flowers all summer long from June to October. Full sun or partial shade and likes any kind of soil. Good as a cut flower. Height 35cm – 13 inches Spread 45cm – 18 inches</p>		3.50	4 x 2 litre





<p>Knifophia 'Orange Vanilla Popsicle' (Dwarf Red Hot Poker) A compact variety with flowers that go from orange-red at the top to creamy white at the base. Attractive, grassy foliage arranged in neat strands. This perennial flowers all summer long from June to October. Full sun or partial shade and likes any kind of soil. Good as a cut flower.</p> <p>Height 35cm – 13 inches Spread 45cm – 18 inches</p>		3.50	6 x 2 litre
<p>Leucojum autumnale (Acis autumnalis) (Autumn Snowflake) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>A charming and delicate plant with very slender leaves, and bearing in autumn pretty white flowers, tinged pink at the base with dark stems. Flowers carried in twos and threes on a stem. Hardy bulb. Height 6ins (15cm) Several bulbs to a pot.</p>		4.00	12 x 9cm
<p>Lilium lancifolium flore pleno (Double-flowered Devil Lily, Tiger Lily)</p> <p>This double-flowered Tiger Lily has stems up to well over a metre tall, clothed in narrow, deep-green leaves. Produces up to 20-30 large, deep-orange, starfish-flowers with dark purple spots in late summer/autumn. The petals are long, reflexing, pointed and 2-6 whorls sweep outwards and sideways round a tighter, central cluster. Flowering is July-Sep depending on your garden. This lily makes no seed putting all its vigour into lots of flowers and the production of large, purple bulbils in the upper leaf axils. Spectacular and readily grown in most soils. It likes cool, humus-rich soils and a little shade. Height: 1.2 metres (4 feet)</p>		6.00	5 x 2 litre pots Min of 10 + bulbils per pot, 2 years old.
<p>Luzula nivea (Snowy Woodrush)</p> <p>Good for shade and both dry & damp conditions. An evergreen grass forming slowly increasing clumps bearing attractive, delicate, airy white flower heads that last for ages. Good in a pot or in prairie/meadow planting. Prefers Partial shade and damp soil, but will tolerate full sun if soil not too dry.</p> <p>Height: 50-60 cms (20-24 inches).</p>		3.50	20 x 9cm or 1 litre


<p>Matteuccia struthiopteris (Shuttlecock Fern, Ostrich Fern) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>This wonderful deciduous shuttlecock fern is at its most beautiful in spring when the large, pale green, lacy fronds start to unfurl and filter the sunlight. It is one of the best foliage plants for areas of moist, dappled shade and works particularly well planted in groups next to water or in a woodland garden in between deciduous trees. Height: up to 1.7 metres (5 feet) Spread: 45cm (20 inches)</p>		8.00	6 x 2-3 litre
<p>Miscanthus x giganteus (Giant miscanthus, Giant silver grass) A vigorous, clump-forming, deciduous, perennial grass with upright stems bearing stiff, erect, linear, mid-green leaves and, in autumn, conical panicles of silky-hairy, pink flower spikelets turning silver with age. Will normally reach a height of 3.5m and a spread of 1.5m after 2-5 years. The rhizomes supplied are from mature plants and will achieve a good height much faster. Limited availability in pots, but can also be supplied <u>bare root</u>.</p>		5.00	6 x 2-3 litre Bare root Generous amount of roots
<p>Ophiopogon planiscapus Nigrescens RHS Award of Garden Merit (Black Grass, Turf Lily, Black Dragon, Ebony Night)</p> <p>The blackest of all leaves! Not a grass but a member of the lily family. Hardy and great for ground cover, edging, or in pots. Bears dark inky-purple strappy leaves and small lilac flowers, followed by spherical dark blue fruit. Height: 15cm (6") Spread: 20cm (8")</p>		4.00	18 x 9cm
<p>Osmunda regalis (Royal Fern, King Fern) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>A stunning, hardy giant fern that really lives up to its regal name. In spring, huge, bright green fronds unfurl and filter the sunlight. In autumn, they turn bronze before dying back. A deciduous fern, it forms a natural, rounded shape and looks fantastic planted near a pond or stream, where its feathery fronds will be reflected in the water. Grow in damp soil with other moisture-loving, large foliage plants such as rodgersia and gunnera. Height: 1.5-2.5 metres (5-8 feet) Spread: up to 1 metre (3 feet)</p>		8.00	5 x 3 litre pots




<p>Paeonia tenuifolia (Fernleaf Peony)</p> <p>One of the earliest peonies to flower in the spring, the fernleaf paeony is a shrubby, herbaceous perennial adorned with finely-divided, feathery foliage and eye-catching single scarlet flowers, 4 in. across (10 cm). Slow growing. Height & spread: 30-70cm</p>		10.00	9 x 1.5 litre
<p>Pennisetum thunbergii 'Red Buttons' (Fountain Grass)</p> <p>Produces a mass of feathery red-purple flowers that are suspended on delicate stems. Perfect for growing in a large, mixed border and can also be grown in pots and containers. Useful for pairie planting and Piet Oudolf designs. Perennial, deciduous.</p> <p>Height: 60-90cm (2'-3')</p>		3.50	20 x 9cm
<p>Penstemon 'Ruby'</p> <p>This is one of the toughest penstemons in my garden. It goes right through the winter and flowers for months on end during the summer and into autumn. A lovely shade of crimson red.</p> <p>Height: 60-90cm (2'-3')</p>		3.50	8 x 1 litre
<p>Polemonium caeruleum album (White Jacob's Ladder)</p> <p>An upright perennial with clusters of bell shaped pure white flowers, yellow anthers. Bloom in early summer above light green pinnate foliage. Will repeat flower well into the autumn if given the 'Chelsea Chop' after first flowering. A good plant for woodland gardens, borders or in containers, and a good cut flower in fresh arrangements.</p> <p>Height: 24-36" Spread: 12-24" Good in sun or partial shade.</p>		5.00	6 x 1 litre

<p>Primula 'Guinevere' RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>My favourite primula of all time!</p> <p>Beautiful soft pink flowers with a pale lemon eye are even more striking against the dark purple-green leaves. It flowers for several weeks in late spring. Hardy and prolific. Height: 5-15cm (2"-6")</p>		<p>3.50</p>	<p>30 x 1.5 - 2 litre</p>
<p>Primula 'Inverewe'</p> <p>A lovely hybrid Japanese candelabra primula which has attractive powdery-white flower stems as well as flowers which are deep brick-orange-red.</p> <p>A cross between <i>P. pulverulenta</i> and <i>P. cockburniana</i>. As it does not set seed, it can only be propagated by division of plants, and so remains uncommon.</p>		<p>6.00</p>	<p>8 x 2 litre</p>
<p>Primula japonica (Japanese Primula)</p> <p>Miller's Crimson (RHS Award of Garden Merit) & Apple Blossom</p> <p>Fabulous for damp areas or by a pond, but also suitable for beds and borders. Beautiful crimson flowers in whorls like a candelabra from late spring to early summer. It's also a good choice for a woodland garden, preferring moist, acidic to neutral soil in partial shade spot.</p> <p>For best results dig in plenty of organic matter, such as garden compost, before planting.</p> <p>Height: 30-45cm (12-18")</p>		<p>4.00</p>	<p>24 x 1-2 litre</p>

<p>Primula pulverulenta (Mealy Primrose, Mealy Cowslip)</p> <p>RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>A tall candelabra primula with strong stems of beautiful deep pink flowers and dusty (mealy) white stems. The flowers are grouped at intervals (tiers). Fabulous for damp areas or by a pond, but also suitable for beds and borders or a woodland garden. Flowers from May to July. For best results dig in plenty of organic matter, such as garden compost, before planting. Full shade, partial shade or in sun.</p> <p>Height: 60-90cm (2-3- feet)</p>		6.00	5 x 2 litre
<p>Primula sieboldii 'Alba'</p> <p>Primula sieboldii are amongst the best Japanese water meadow plants. Its creeping rootstock builds up the plant into large clumps. The leaves are pale green, wrinkled and covered in short hairs. In Japan it has been bred and cultivated as a garden flower from at least the sixteenth century. Cut them by the armful - they have stems like sweet peas, last fully a fortnight in water and are sheer magic by lamplight. Flowers May to June, but if you remove the old leaves and flower stems after flowering and keep damp they will re-leaf and produce a second flush of flowers just as good as the first. Shelter from mid-day sun, likes moist, but not waterlogged, soil.</p> <p>Height: 20-40cm Spread: 40cm (16")</p>		6.00	6 x 2 litre
<p>Primula sieboldii –pink reverse</p> <p>As primula sieboldii 'Alba' above, but with very pretty pink colouring to the underside of the flowers. In Japan <i>Primula sieboldii</i> has been bred and cultivated as a garden flower from at least the sixteenth century. The Japanese call it Sakurasoh - the cherry blossom herb - because the flowers resemble cherry blossom and appear just as the blossom is falling.</p> <p>Flowers May to June, but if you remove the old leaves and flower stems after flowering and keep damp they will re-leaf and produce a second flush of flowers just as good as the first. Shelter from mid-day sun, likes moist, but not waterlogged, soil.</p> <p>Height: 20-40cm Spread: 40cm (16")</p>		6.00	6 x 2 litre

<p>Pulsatilla (Pasque Flower)</p> <p>Silk-wrapped buds emerge from ferny green leaves in March/April/May, opening to huge deep pink flowers, each filled with golden stamens. No less beautiful are the silky-brown heads of feathered seed.</p> <p>Clump forming. Height: 20cm (8")</p>		4.00	6 x 1.5 - 2 litre
<p>Sanguisorba hakusanensis 'Lilac Squirrel' (Korean Burnet)</p> <p>Carol Klein's favourite sanguisorba! A tough, clump forming plant, it will tolerate almost any soil conditions. Long, pink, fluffy bottlebrush type flower heads like squirrel tails.</p> <p>Height: 60-90cm (2'-3'), prefers sun Limited availability in pots, but can also be supplied bare root.</p>		7.00	6 x 2-3 litre Bare root Generous amount of roots
<p>Sanguisorba 'Ivory Towers' (Korean Burnet)</p> <p>A taller, more upright perennial than Lilac Squirrel. The foliage has long, narrow leaflets with a saw-tooth edge, and the fluffy, white, squirrel-tail flowers are produced for most of the summer. A tough, clump forming plant, it will tolerate almost any soil conditions. Great for borders or in prairie style planting.</p> <p>Height: 1.2 metres (4'), prefers sun Limited availability in pots, but can also be supplied bare root.</p>		7.00	2 litre Bare root Generous amount of roots
<p>Senecio polyodon</p> <p>This "pink ragwort" is a charming clump-forming perennial hailing from South Africa. Valued for profuse purple-magenta flowers, arising from a basal rosette and borne for months on end. It thrives in the sun, so makes a fantastic addition to a gravel garden or edging a sunny path. Try planting it in flowing drifts with other sun lovers, or in bulk in a shallow pot for dramatic effect.</p> <p>Height 40cm (16")</p>		4.00	6 x 2 litre

<p>Stipa gigantea (Golden Oats, Giant Feather Grass) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>A striking semi-evergreen grass, forming a clump of arching deep green foliage with a huge sheaf of long-stemmed, oat-like flower-heads erupting in mid-summer. When mature, these splay apart to make a wide fountain shape that almost hides the plant. The seed heads dry out naturally on the plant and persist into early winter. Makes a good architectural feature, especially when outlined in frost. Good for the back of border, as a feature plant, or in prairie planting. Height: 2.5 mtr (8'), spread: 1.2 mtr (4')</p>		<p>4.00</p> <p>6.00</p>	<p>1 x 1 litre</p> <p>2 x 2 litre</p>
<p>Nassella tenuissima <i>formerly Stipa tenuissima</i> (Mexican feather grass) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>Another fantastic perennial grass for prairie-style planting, or to complement other grasses and perennials.</p> <p>Wonderful, wispy, pale green leaves topped with fluffy plumes. The feathery heads can be cut and dried when first opened for use in winter arrangements indoors.</p> <p>Height: 60cm (24")</p>		<p>3.50</p>	<p>15 x 9cm</p>
<p>Tiarella 'Mystic Mist' (Foam Flower)</p> <p>Full shade or partial shade. Bright green leaves with white speckled variegation and prominent red veins. Leaves take on pink tones in the autumn. Whorls of pale pink-white flowers are borne on upright stems in late spring and early summer.</p> <p>Height: 25cm (10")</p>		<p>4.00</p>	<p>4 x 2 litre</p>
<p>Tricyrtis hirta (Japanese Toad Lily)</p> <p>Great plants for damp shade. Late flowering from August to October. Star-like blossoms are white with rich purple spots and purple stigmas, produced along arching stems to 2-3 feet tall. Subtle, but exotic specimens for woodland borders and shady house plantings. They spread slowly, but are not invasive. Good with ferns. Height: 75cm (30")</p>		<p>4.00</p> <p>6.00</p>	<p>20 x 9cm</p> <p>7 x 2 litre</p>

<p>Tropaeolum speciosum (Scottish Flame Flower, Flame Nasturtium) RHS Award of Garden Merit</p> <p>Fiery red flowers set walls and fences ablaze with blooms throughout summer. Set against a backdrop of attractive foliage, the spurred flowers are followed by spherical blue fruits. This frost hardy perennial climber is ideal for romping through evergreen shrubs or scrambling over walls. Height: 3 metres (10')</p>		8.00	10 x 1.5 - 2 litre
<p>Tulbhagia 'Purple Eye' (Society Garlic)</p> <p>Delicate, sweet scented starry mauve flowers with a darker purple centre. Hardy and long flowering, from mid-summer into late autumn. Dead head regularly (flower stalks pull out easily by hand) to prolong flowering even further. A lovely plant, one of my favourites.</p> <p>Flowers and leaves are also edible.</p> <p>Height: to 40cm (16")</p>		7.00	10 x 2 litre
<p>Veronicastrum virginicum 'Fascination' (Culver's Root)</p> <p>Long spikes of tiny, rich lilac flowers top tall stems, with lots of side shoots to come and a structure of whorled, mid-green leaves all the way up the stem. Forms a tall and elegant see-through clump, valuable for adding colour and interest towards the back of the border. The silhouette will remain interesting well into winter. Long flowering, from late summer through into autumn. Also useful for prairie planting. Very attractive to pollinators.</p> <p>Height: up 1.8 metres (6 feet) Spread: 50cm (20 inches)</p> <p>Limited availability in pots, but can also be supplied bare root.</p>		7.00	6 x 2 litre Bare Root Generous amount of roots