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# Sunset Western Garden Collection

Common Name: 'Silver Shadow' compact astelia Scientific Name: Astelia chathamica x nervosa Hardiness Zones: 8b-11 Requirements: Well-drained garden soil Ornamental Features: Attractive, metallic silver-green foliage Habit & Growth Rate: 3 feet tall by 3 to 4 feet wide www.plantdevelopment.com



# Terra Nova Nurseries

Common Name: Coral bells Scientific Name: Heuchera'Sugar Berry' Hardiness Zones: 4-9 Requirements: Full sun, part shade, full shade; moderately welldrained, organic soil types are best Ornamental Features: Berry-violet colored foliage with dark veins and pale pink flower spikes; attracts butterflies and hummingbirds Habit & Growth Rate: Mounding habit; 6 inches tall by 10 inches wide with a 10-inch flower height www.terranovanurseries.com



## **Tesselaar Plants**

Common Name: Flower Carpet Pink Splash Scientific Name: Rosa 'Noasplash' Hardiness Zones: 5-10 Requirements: For best blooms, grow in full sun (grows well in partial shade with fewer blooms); in areas of intense heat, provide semi-shade/filtered light; best in well-drained/friable soils with added organic matter, but can thrive in a variety of soils. Tolerant of dry conditions when established Ornamental Features: Masses of bicolor hot pink and pale pink blooms; glossy green foliage Habit & Growth Rate: Lowgrowing compact bushes with dense flowers and foliage; mature height 23 to 31 inches; mature width 40 inches www.tesselaar.com



# Rancho Tissue **Technologies**

Common Name: Satina agave Scientific Name: Agave ellemeetiana'Satina' Hardiness Zones: 9-11 Requirements: Full sun to partial

shade, but not in climates where it may need sun protection Ornamental Features: Smooth,

satiny leaves, no spines Habit & Growth Rate: Fast growth; 4 feet by 4 feet www.ranchotissue.com



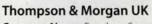
## **Walters Gardens**

Common Name: Bee balm Scientific Name: Monarda didyma'Pardon My Pink' & 'Pardon My Purple' Hardiness Zones: 4-9 Requirements: Thrives in average to rich, consistently moist soil; prefers full sun but will grow in light shade Ornamental Features: These dwarf cultivars are perfect for containers or the front of the border; vigorous growers with bushy, glossy, deep green foliage; 'Pardon My Pink' produces large, bright pink blossoms; 'Pardon My Purple' has large, fuchsia purple flowers Habit & Growth Rate: Short, bushy, compact clump; 10 to 12 inches tall by 8 to 12 inches wide www.waltersgardens.com



## Classic Caladiums LLC

Common Name: 'Blushing Bride' caladium Scientific Name: Caladium x hortulanum c.v. Hardiness Zones: 9-10; high-temperature tolerant Requirements: Broken shade best but will tolerate full sun; keep soil moist but not saturated Ornamental Features: Unique color pattern and exceptional habit; suitable for pots from 4 inches up, hanging baskets and summer landscapes Habit & Growth Rate: Compact mounding 12 to 18 inches tall by 12 to 18 inches wide www.dassiccaladiumsllc.com



Common Name: Foxglove Sugar Plum Scientific Name: Digitalis purpurea 'Sugar Plum' Hardiness Zones: 4-8 Requirements: Well-drained soil, sunny position **Ornamental Features:** Pink flowers with dark purple throats; flowers are closely packed on the stem to provide more interest; the tall plants will add color to the back of the border Habit & Growth Rate: Final garden height of 30 inches

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