# Wilson's Lifestyle Centre

## **Angel's Blush Rose Campion**

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### Angel's Blush Rose Campion Lychnis coronaria 'Angel's Blush'

Plant Height: 24 inches Flower Height: 3 feet Spread: 20 inches Spacing: 18 inches

Sunlight: O

Hardiness Zone: 3a

#### **Description:**

This subtle variety produces a low mound of silvery-gray leaves with upright stems bearing loads of round white flowers with shell pink centers; perfect for edging or massed in the garden



Angel's Blush Rose Campion flowers Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

#### **Ornamental Features**

Angel's Blush Rose Campion has masses of beautiful white round flowers with shell pink eyes at the ends of the stems from early to late summer, which are most effective when planted in groupings. The flowers are excellent for cutting. Its attractive tomentose pointy leaves remain gray in colour throughout the season. The silver stems can be quite attractive.

#### **Landscape Attributes**

Angel's Blush Rose Campion is an open herbaceous perennial with an upright spreading habit of growth. Its relatively fine texture sets it apart from other garden plants with less refined foliage.

This plant will require occasional maintenance and upkeep, and should be cut back in late fall in preparation for winter. It is a good choice for attracting butterflies to your yard, but is not particularly attractive to deer who tend to leave it alone in favor of tastier treats. Gardeners should be aware of the following characteristic(s) that may warrant special consideration;

- Self-Seeding

Angel's Blush Rose Campion is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Mass Planting
- General Garden Use
- Naturalizing And Woodland Gardens

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#### **Planting & Growing**

Angel's Blush Rose Campion will grow to be about 24 inches tall at maturity extending to 3 feet tall with the flowers, with a spread of 20 inches. When grown in masses or used as a bedding plant, individual plants should be spaced approximately 18 inches apart. It grows at a fast rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 3 years. As an herbaceous perennial, this plant will usually die back to the crown each winter, and will regrow from the base each spring. Be careful not to disturb the crown in late winter when it may not be readily seen!

This plant should only be grown in full sunlight. It prefers to grow in average to moist conditions, and shouldn't be allowed to dry out. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America.