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Snow Muffin Chinese Fringeflower

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Snow Muffin® Chinese Fringeflower

Loropetalum chinense 'Snowmound'

Height: 16 inches

Spread: 30 inches

Sunlight: ☉ ●

Hardiness Zone: 7b

Other Names: Chinese Fringe Flower, Chinese Witch Hazel

Description:

A delightful, spring-blooming shrub with snowy white strap-like flowers that cover the plant; has a compact, mounded habit and a moderate to slow growth rate; an easy to grow and well-behaved shrub for general garden use

Ornamental Features

Snow Muffin Chinese Fringeflower is clothed in stunning fragrant white strap-like flowers along the branches in early spring. Its oval leaves remain green in colour throughout the year.

Landscape Attributes

Snow Muffin Chinese Fringeflower is a multi-stemmed evergreen perennial with a mounded form. Its relatively fine texture sets it apart from other garden plants with less refined foliage.

This is a relatively low maintenance plant, and should only be pruned after flowering to avoid removing any of the current season's flowers. It has no significant negative characteristics.

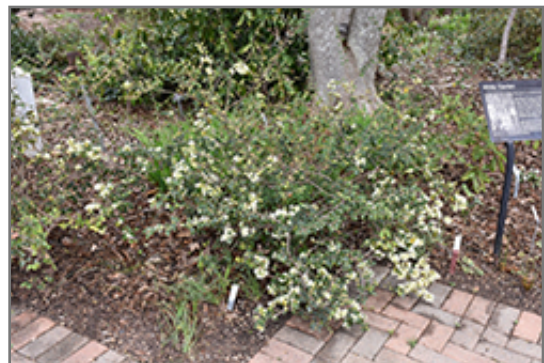
Snow Muffin Chinese Fringeflower is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Accent
- Mass Planting
- General Garden Use



Snow Muffin Chinese Fringeflower flowers

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Snow Muffin Chinese Fringeflower in bloom

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Planting & Growing

Snow Muffin Chinese Fringeflower will grow to be about 16 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 30 inches. Although it is technically a woody plant, this fast-growing plant can be expected to behave as a perennial in our climate if planted outdoors over the winter, usually regrowing from its base (crown) the following year. As such, gardeners should take into consideration that it will perform differently than it would in its native habitat.

This plant does best in full sun to partial shade. It prefers to grow in average to moist conditions, and shouldn't be allowed to dry out. It is particular about its soil conditions, with a strong preference for rich, acidic soils. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. Consider applying a thick mulch around the root zone in winter to protect it in exposed locations or colder microclimates. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America.

This plant is not reliably hardy in our region, and certain restrictions may apply; contact the store for more information.