Hemerocallis, Princess Tutu Daylily

Hemerocallis 'Princess Tutu'



Hemerocallis, Princess Tutu Daylily flowers
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Plant Height: 12 inches

Flower Height: 19 inches

Spread: 24 inches

Spacing: 18 inches

Sunlight: ○ ◐

Hardiness Zone: 3a

Description:

Charming ballet pink blooms with deep pink eyes and golden yellow, ruffled edges rise above low growing mounds of arching green foliage; great grassy texture and form; tetraploid; a spectacular color addition to the garden or border

Ornamental Features

Hemerocallis, Princess Tutu Daylily features bold pink trumpet-shaped flowers with rose throats and yellow edges at the ends of the stems from mid summer to early fall. The flowers are excellent for cutting. Its grassy leaves remain green in color throughout the season.

Landscape Attributes

Hemerocallis, Princess Tutu Daylily is an herbaceous perennial with a shapely form and gracefully arching foliage. Its medium texture blends into the garden, but can always be balanced by a couple of finer or coarser plants for an effective composition.

This is a relatively low maintenance plant, and is best cleaned up in early spring before it resumes active growth for the season. It is a good choice for attracting butterflies to your yard. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Hemerocallis, Princess Tutu Daylily is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Mass Planting
- General Garden Use
- Groundcover

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Planting & Growing

Hemerocallis, Princess Tutu Daylily will grow to be about 12 inches tall at maturity extending to 19 inches tall with the flowers, with a spread of 24 inches. When grown in masses or used as a bedding plant, individual plants should be spaced approximately 18 inches apart. It grows at a medium rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 10 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 does best in full sun to partial shade. It is very adaptable to both dry and moist locations, and should do just fine under typical garden conditions. To help this plant achive its best flowering performance, periodically apply a flower-boosting fertilizer from early spring through into the active growing season. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is highly tolerant of urban pollution and will even thrive in inner city environments. This particular variety is an interspecific hybrid. It can be propagated by division; however, as a cultivated variety, be aware that it may be subject to certain restrictions or prohibitions on propagation.