

Blue Donna Delphinium



Stately and breathtaking. Magnificent dense racemes make delphinium excellent in the border and as a cutflower.

Delphinium x belladonna 'Bellamosum'

- **Use:** The tall hybrid Delphiniums are the outstanding element of every well-bred garden and get most of the press accorded to this genus. However, the sturdy and graceful species are equally charming, and a good deal more durable. Their colors are stunning and the period of bloom is long, in part because they produce secondary spikes in late summer and fall. Delphiniums require full sun and rich soil amended with lime
- **Exposure/Soil:** Plant in part sun in our area, full sun up North. Use slow release or water soluble fertilizer. Keep soil moist watering under leaves and flowers. If you are not good at watering we recommend using **Soil Moist**.
- **Growth:** Grows 4' tall and 1' wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 3-7b, May be treated as a reseeding annual in our area if super hot summer. So collect seeds or be sure not to mulch too heavy around the plant so seeds can sprout
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Finely cut leaves.
- **Flower:** They produce loosely branched spikes of elf cap shaped single flowers of dark violet blue. They make excellent lasting cut flowers and have good mildew resistance. Cut back the plants and they will re-bloom until frosts.