

Purple Majesty Millet



A striking backdrop plant and excellent choice for mass plantings, large mixed containers and borders.



Pennisetum glaucum 'Purple Majesty'

- **Use:** This cultivar of pearl millet has wide, deep purple foliage and stems. It forms a 5-foot-high specimen with tight cylindrical flowers of purple-brown seeds—a favorite of many birds. This plant makes a stunning container specimen. In the mixed border, its foliage contrasts nicely with other plants.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Loves full sun or at least 4-5 hours of afternoon sun. They love the heat! . Requires well-draining soil and appreciates slow release fertilizer.
- **Growth:** Moderate grower 4-5' high and 24-36" wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 8-11; Tender Perennial; North of Atlanta and depending on the winter, they should be treated like annuals that die due to the cold.
- **Foliage:** Deciduous; Rich, dark purple foliage adds an elegant flourish and ups the interest anywhere.
- **Flowers:** Good cut or dried flower. Millet attracts birds.