

Midnight Ruffles Lenten Rose



Add some dramatic flair to your spring garden with 'Midnight Ruffles'!

Helleborus orientalis 'Midnight Ruffles'

- **Use:** Double black hellebores are one of the most sought-after colors and they are rare in the trade. We are very excited to be able to offer you this new vigorous strain of double black hellebores! Beloved by shade gardeners everywhere for thick evergreen leaves and winter blossoms in the shade. Excellent in drifts in woodland gardens.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Part sun-shade. Moist, well-drained soil, but not soggy. Good drainage is a must.
- **Growth:** Grows 12-24" tall and wide; multiplies well.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 6-9; Perennial
- **Foliage:** Evergreen, virtually problem free. Older leaves can be cut back in late August to showcase winter blossoms better.
- **Flower:** Large 3", velvety black flowers with contrasting light yellow stamens have three times the number of petals than a single hellebore. They retain their color for up to 12 weeks, long after the flowers are spent. You'll hardly even notice when the flowers are finished because they just keep looking fresh for so long. This feature greatly expands their shelf life and season of interest in the landscape.