

# Purple Star Hyacinth



- **Planting density:** 4-6 inch apart, 5 per sq. ft.
- **Planting depth:** 6-8 inches to base of the bulb.
- **Best planted in a mass of 20 or more for dramatic effect.**



## *Hyacinth 'Purple Star'*

- **Use:** Nothing is more fragrant in the spring border. These large bulbs are the finest. Excellent naturalized hedge. Deer resistant. Grow them in or outdoors for their graceful shape, long-lasting blooms and sweet scent. Hyacinths are great for indoor forcing, containers, and borders.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full– part sun. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry. Drought tolerant once established. Prefers a light sandy well drained soil. Place a layer of mulch over the bulbs in summer to keep them cool and remove again in the fall.
- **Growth:** Grows 8-12” tall.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 4 –8; Bulb
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Long, green, straplike leaves.
- **Flower:** Lovely lilac purple with a deeper line through the centre. Hyacinths are one of the most fragrant of all the spring bulbs. Combined with their dynamo colours, they really are quite something special.