

Moonshine Rubber Tree



Ficus elastica 'Shivereana'

- **Use:** Unlike its nocturnal namesake, however, this rare cultivar thrives in the light of day, and will reveal its ghostly allure and the spectral beauty of its variegation most prominently when given bright light. Houseplant indoors for high light situations. Outdoors they can help create a lush, low maintenance look on a shady porch.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Thrives in bright, indirect light; early morning sun is acceptable. Lower light levels can make leaves turn darker green. They prefer to be kept on the moist side, but not so wet that it damages the plant. (No standing water in the pot or saucer and increase humidity in the winter around the plant when the heater is running. Wipe leaves monthly with a damp cloth or neem oil to keep them clean and pest-free.
- **Growth:** Moderate-growing to 3-6' tall or more. Could grow up to 10', but most people keep it shorter with an occasional trim.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 9-11; Houseplant Thrives in 60-75°F (15-24°C). Avoid cold drafts, which can cause leaf drop.
- **Foliage:** Glossy, ovate-shaped leaves, splattered in varying shades of green and ghostly, creamy white.
- **Flowers:** Flowers have little ornamental value.



This plant filters pollutants from the air while releasing oxygen. With this plant in your home, you breathe cleaner air.