Black Velvet Arrowhead Vine





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

Syngonium wendlanii 'Black Velvet'

- <u>Use:</u> Dark slender leaves with a dramatic white stripe make the hard-to-find Black Velvet a treat for plant collectors and beginners alike. Syngoniums are very attractive indoor plants, and look especially good planted into hanging pots where their long trailing stems can cascade down as they grow. Black Velvet might be the most unique of the lot, with very dark, very slender, very pointed leaves dramatically patterned with white.
- Exposure/Soil: Grows well in bright indirect light. In lower light the leaves turn a darker green. Too much light or direct sun burns the leaves or causes the deep green color to fade. likes moist but not soggy soil. During the winter, water less often, keeping the soil barely moist. Do not let plant stand in water in saucer either. Feed monthly during the spring, summer, and fall with a water-soluble balanced fertilizer diluted to ½ the recommended strength. Too much plant food causes excess salt build up in the soil and can cause leaf burn. Filtered water is best as tap water can have chlorine and fluoride.
- <u>Growth</u>: A slow-moderate growing houseplant, it makes for an excellent addition to your favorite desk or tabletop when young. Grows to about 2-3' tall and 6-10" wide with age.
- <u>Hardiness</u>: Zone 11 Annual; Houseplant, must bring inside in the winter or when temps go below 50 degrees.
- Foliage: Deep, velvety greens leaves are sliced through with shocking white.
- Flower: None