Lil Bang Red Elf Coreopsis





Enjoy these brilliant red blooms all season long with this cold-hardy, disease-resistant, longblooming dwarf Coreopsis!

Coreopsis 'Lil Bang Red Elf'

- <u>Use:</u> Coreopsis are famously adaptable and easy to care for, with their only limitations being their leggy habit and the small size of their blooms. Well, this one solves both of these problems fantastically with its compact habit and exceptionally large magenta flowers!
- <u>Exposure/Soil</u>: Prefers full-part sun It's fairly drought tolerant and needs little water. Looks lovely outside on the patio in planter. Prefers well drained sites where it spreads by rhizome and self seeding.
- <u>Growth</u>: Height of 9-12"tall and a spread of 14-20". It should be cut backing early and late summer to extend the bloom period.
- *Hardiness: Zone* 5-9 perennial. Very heat and drought tolerant!
- *Foliage:* Deciduous. The dark green thread-like foliage makes a great contrast with the flowers.
- **Flower:** Gorgeous, large, wine red flowers with wonderfully contrasting golden centers spring forth from tightly mounded foliage beginning in summer and if cut back promptly following the initial show, wave after wave of 1½-inch blooms will continue to grace your garden right up until frost.