

Berry Smoothie Premium Coral Bells



Heuchera 'Berry Smoothie'

- **Use:** A clump-forming coral bells hybrid (H. villosa x H. americana). It is noted for its rose pink leaves that gradually darken with age to purple-pink. Foliage retains good color throughout the growing season.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Sun– part shade. More sun tolerant than other coral bells, but may get some leaf burn in August when temps go above 90. Best when planted under other trees, but not too deep a shade or poor flowering and leaf color. Moist, well-drained soil, but not soggy. Use slow release fertilizer two times a year. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry.
- **Growth:** Foliage typically forms a basal mound to 12-18" tall and to 12-18" wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-8; Perennial
- **Foliage:** Semi-evergreen. Large, gently-lobed, metallic rose-pink leaves in spring darken to bronze-red by summer. Tolerant of summer heat
- **Flower:** Small, soft pink flowers borne in open, airy panicles appear in late spring to early summer on slender, wiry stems rising above the foliage mound, typically to 24-28" tall.

Because of their low, mounding habit, they are often used as edging along paths or in containers. Try cutting a few of the tall flower scapes for fresh bouquets.

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