

Dolce Silver Gumdrops Coral Bells



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.

Heuchera 'Dolce Silver Gumdrops'

- **Use:** Use this silver beauty to brighten up your shade garden! Semi-glossy, iridescent silver leaves are topped with vibrant pink flowers. Leaves take on a rosy blush overtone later in the season. This plant is a *Heuchera villosa* hybrid. The *H. villosa* species is a large, late blooming type that exhibits an increased tolerance of high heat and humidity over other species. Most produce cream flowers in midsummer, though they are grown more for their fantastic foliage. *H. villosa* is native to the southeastern United States.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Sun– part shade. More sun tolerant than other coral bells. 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:** Fast growth to 6-8 “tall(20-24” in flower) 14-18” wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 4-9; Perennial
- **Foliage:** Semi-evergreen. Silver, iridescent leaves with a semi-glossy finish.
- **Flower:** Has vibrant pink flowers instead of the typical white or cream.

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