

Loyalist Hosta



**Shade loving and very
easy to grow!
Produces cut flower
that can attract
hummingbirds.**

Hosta 'Loyalist'

- **Use:** Gorgeous deep green-edged leaves with nearly pure white centers hold their color all season. Thick, resilient foliage forms a substantial clump, topped in mid-summer with tall spikes of creamy white flowers. Stunning in a shady garden bed or in containers. Resists slug damage.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Part sun–shade. Acid, moist, well-drained soil, but not soggy. Use slow release fertilizer two times a year. Can handle some sun without the center melting out.
- **Growth:** Slow grower like most white center hostas but will perform well in a fertile soil with good moisture retention.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5-8 Perennial
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Leaves emerge creamy yellow in spring with dark green margins. By mid-summer the leaf center is pure white with dark green margins. There is a lighter green streak where the leaf center and margin overlap. Thick leaves help with vigor and keeping slugs and snails at bay.
- **Flower:** Pale lavender flowers appear in mid summer.