

# Gold Rush Hot Poker



Commonly called Red Hot Poker or Torch Lily for their tall flower spikes. These South Africa natives offer tremendous garden value by combining grass-like foliage with tall flower scapes. An excellent perennial for the middle of the border.

## *Kniphofia 'Gold Rush'*

- **Use:** Member of the Winner's Club® Collection You know you've struck gold when this perennial starts blooming in early to midsummer. Brilliant yellow flowers are produced above notably blue-green, wide-leaved foliage on a very large, robust clump. This variety is one of the tallest of the collection, so it's perfect for giving height to the garden. Makes a great cut flower, patio container or landscape plant. Long tap root gives good drought tolerance.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Plant in full sun to partial sun(6+hours of afternoon sun). Use slow release or water soluble fertilizer. Allow soil to dry slightly between waterings. Drought tolerant once established
- **Growth:** Fast growing 4-4.5' tall and 2.5-3' wide.
- **Hardiness:** **Zone 6-9;** Perennial. Very heat and drought tolerant!
- **Foliage:** Semi-evergreen. Bluish-green grass-like foliage provides textural contrast to bold-leaved perennials
- **Flower:** Brilliant yellow, tubular flowers cluster atop tall stems Re-blooming for months.

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