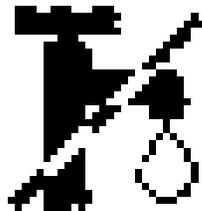


Starship Blue Cardinal Flower



Deer resistant,
bunny resistant,
drought
tolerant and
attracts
butterflies and
hummingbirds.



Lobelia speciose 'Starship Blue'

- **Use:** Knockout lobelia dazzles with towering spikes of blue blooms complemented by emerald green foliage. Robust, well-branching plants bring stunning color and contrapuntal verticality to the border, supply an oasis of color in the landscape, and mingle merrily with annuals and perennials in a sunbathing patio container near you. A favorite with the pollinator set. Hummingbird and butterfly magnet! Cut flower.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Prefers full sun or at least 5-6 hours of afternoon sun. Perfect for damp or wet locations. Requires good moisture in full sun. In dry soil, better to site in part shade.
- **Growth:** Grows 20 to 24 inches high in bloom, it's seldom more than 8-12 inches wide. Very effective in small gardens and tight spaces!
- **Hardiness:** Zone 6a-10b; Perennial
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Emerald green foliage.
- **Flower:** Deep, violet-blue flowers are produced on incredibly upright flower spikes. The effect is so eye-catching over a long, late season of bloom. Beginning its bloom in midsummer and continuing right into mid-fall in most climates, it brings you a longer season of winged visitors, which is a real boon in gardens where "summer" can go through October!

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