

# Buttermint Camellia



Pick the flowers and float them in a bowl of water to bring their beauty indoors.



## *Camellia x 'Buttermint'*

- **Use:** Beautiful, pale, buttery yellow, semi-double blooms adorn this mid-to late season bloomer. Its glossy, dark green leaves and lightly fragrant, ruffled flowers are plentiful enough to cut and bring indoors. This showy evergreen is perfect for brightening up a shady woodland garden. Camellias are the rose of winter in southern gardens, with their colorful blossoms held against deep rich green glossy foliage on a naturally upright to rounded evergreen shrub. This lovely *C. kissii* hybrid from Nuccio's Nurseries was introduced in 1996.
- **Exposure:** Prefers sheltered site, sunny or shade, and any well drained neutral/acid soil.
- **Growth:** Quickly reaches 6 ft. tall, 4 ft. wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 7b-9 Shrub
- **Foliage:** Vigorous, compact, upright, evergreen shrub, valued for small pale green foliage.
- **Flower:** Creamy white shading to pale yellow at center. Formal double to peony, miniature (under 2.5") Mid to late spring (Mar-Apr). Prune only right after blooms fade.