

Pinky Winky Hydrangea



The flowers continue well into fall in most areas, and are, as you can imagine, spectacular in fresh and dried arrangements.

Hydrangea paniculata 'Pinky Winky'

- **Use:** Huge two-toned blooms! Pinky Winky has an unusual name, and an even more unusual flower. The large white panicles open in mid to late summer, and as summer turns to fall the florets at the base of the panicles turn pink. The flower panicles continue to grow, producing new white florets at the tip. The result is spectacular two-toned flower panicles that can reach up to 16 inches in length! This is a real show-stopper that's also very easy to grow. Adaptable to most soils and both sun and shade, Pinky Winky will thrive in most gardens.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Will tolerate full sun, but a little shade preferred. Butterflies will visit it, and it is very low maintenance, asking only for adequate water. Can tolerate more sun than the macrophylla types.
- **Growth:** Reaches 6 to 8 ft. tall and wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 3-8; Shrub
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Handsome bright, green foliage on boldly branched, mounded form.
- **Flower:** Unusual flower. The large panicles open white in mid-to-late summer, turning to pink as the season progresses, for a two-toned effect. This hardy selection blooms every year. An outstanding specimen plant, massed in the landscape or as a cut flower.

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