

Winter Sun Mahonia



Mahonia x media 'Winter Sun'

- **Use:** Beautiful foliage and upright growth habit make this mahonia a strong focal point in any garden. A statuesque, evergreen shrub that becomes a dramatic focal point for the winter garden. Use as a privacy hedge or buffer screen.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Partially shaded and protected location preferred. Additional water is essential during prolonged summer droughts. Mulch the root area to protect in winter and help retain moisture in summer. Moist, well-drained soil, but not soggy. Use slow release fertilizer two times a year. Water regularly, when top 3 in. of soil is dry.
- **Growth:** Even with its compact growth habit, it will still reach a height of 8 feet if left unpruned.
- **Hardiness:** **Zone 6ab-9;** Shrub Keep in a protected area near the home.
- **Foliage:** Evergreen Large, frond-like leaves develop in whorls along its coarsely branched stems.
- **Flower:** Large sprays of fragrant, yellow flowers formed in dense, up-standing inflorescences that appear in late fall or early winter. Flowers develop into grape-like clusters of wax-coated black berries by late summer and autumn.

Dramatic focal point in the winter garden. Makes a unique looking foundation plant.