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## **Serenita® Rose Angelonia** *Angelonia angustifolia* 'PAS1141456'

Plant Height: 10 inches

Flower Height: 14 inches

Spread: 14 inches

Spacing: 8 inches

Sunlight: ☉

Hardiness Zone: 9a

Other Names: Summer Snapdragon

Group/Class: Serenita Series

### **Description:**

A stunning display of rose colored snap dragon-like flowers along sturdy stems and green fragrant foliage; mounded habit makes this variety great for borders, containers and landscapes; low maintenance; a beautiful addition to bouquets

### **Ornamental Features**

Serenita Rose Angelonia has masses of beautiful spikes of rose pea-like flowers rising above the foliage from late spring to late summer, which are most effective when planted in groupings. The flowers are excellent for cutting. Its small fragrant narrow leaves remain green in color throughout the season.

### **Landscape Attributes**

Serenita Rose Angelonia is an herbaceous perennial with an upright spreading habit of growth. Its relatively fine texture sets it apart from other garden plants with less refined foliage.

This plant will require occasional maintenance and upkeep, and should not require much pruning, except when necessary, such as to remove dieback. It is a good choice for attracting bees and butterflies to your yard, but is not particularly attractive to deer who tend to leave it alone in favor of tastier treats. It has no significant negative characteristics.



*Serenita Rose Angelonia flowers*  
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*Serenita Rose Angelonia in bloom*  
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Serenita Rose Angelonia is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Mass Planting
- Border Edging
- General Garden Use
- Container Planting
- Hanging Baskets

## **Planting & Growing**

Serenita Rose Angelonia will grow to be about 10 inches tall at maturity extending to 14 inches tall with the flowers, with a spread of 14 inches. When grown in masses or used as a bedding plant, individual plants should be spaced approximately 8 inches apart. It grows at a fast rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 3 years. As an herbaceous perennial, this plant will usually die back to the crown each winter, and will regrow from the base each spring. Be careful not to disturb the crown in late winter when it may not be readily seen!

This plant should only be grown in full sunlight. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. It is not particular as to soil type or pH. It is highly tolerant of urban pollution and will even thrive in inner city environments. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America. It can be propagated by cuttings; however, as a cultivated variety, be aware that it may be subject to certain restrictions or prohibitions on propagation.

Serenita Rose Angelonia is a fine choice for the garden, but it is also a good selection for planting in outdoor containers and hanging baskets. It is often used as a 'filler' in the 'spiller-thriller-filler' container combination, providing a mass of flowers against which the larger thriller plants stand out. Note that when growing plants in outdoor containers and baskets, they may require more frequent waterings than they would in the yard or garden.