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Jeanette Passion Flower

Passiflora 'Jeanette'

Height: 10 feet

Spread: 24 inches

Sunlight: ○ ●

Hardiness Zone: 6b



Jeanette Passion Flower flowers
Photo courtesy of NetPS Plant Finder

Description:

A beautiful climbing vine that will bloom all summer with glorious blooms that are deep mauve with some white striping down the middle with long blue filaments; protected locations are best for colder climates

Ornamental Features

Jeanette Passion Flower features showy lightly-scented purple star-shaped flowers with white overtones, deep purple eyes and blue anthers at the ends of the branches in mid summer. The flowers are excellent for cutting. It has green foliage throughout the season. The compound leaves do not develop any appreciable fall color. The fruit is not ornamentally significant.

Landscape Attributes

Jeanette Passion Flower is a multi-stemmed deciduous woody vine with a twining and trailing habit of growth. Its average texture blends into the landscape, but can be balanced by one or two finer or coarser trees or shrubs for an effective composition.

This is a relatively low maintenance woody vine, and is best cleaned up in early spring before it resumes active growth for the season. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Jeanette Passion Flower is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Accent
- Hedges/Screening
- General Garden Use

Planting & Growing

Jeanette Passion Flower will grow to be about 10 feet tall at maturity, with a spread of 24 inches. As a climbing vine, it tends to be leggy near the base and should be underplanted with low-growing facer plants. It should be planted near a fence, trellis or other landscape structure where it can be trained to grow upwards on it, or allowed to trail off a retaining wall or slope. It grows at a fast rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 10 years.

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This woody vine does best in full sun to partial shade. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. It is not particular as to soil type, but has a definite preference for alkaline soils. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. Consider applying a thick mulch around the root zone in winter to protect it in exposed locations or colder microclimates. This particular variety is an interspecific hybrid.