



Promoting Native Plants since 2003 Certified Women Owned Business Enterprise

Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Plants of Pennsylvania

- Aconitum uncinatum* (blue monkshood) – Threatened
Acornus americanus (sweet flag) – Endangered
Antennaria virginica (shale-barren pussytoes) - Rare
Arctostaphylos uva-ursi (bearberry) – Extirpated
Baccharis halimifolia (Eastern baccharis) – Rare
Berberis canadensis (American barberry) – Extirpated
Boltonia asteroides (false aster) – Endangered
Bouteloua curtipendula (tall gramma) – Threatened
Camassia scilloides (wild hyacinth) – Endangered
Chamaecyparis thyoides (Atlantic white cedar) – Extirpated
Chrysogonum virginianum (green and gold) – Endangered
Clematis viorna (leather-flower) – Endangered
Coreopsis rosea (pink tickseed) – Extirpated
Delphinium exaltatum (tall larkspur) – Endangered
Dicentra exima (wild bleeding heart) – Endangered
Dodecatheon meadia (shooting star) – Endangered
Elephantopus carolinianus (elephant's foot) – Endangered
Eurybia spectabilis; syn: *Aster spectabilis* (Eastern showy aster) – Endangered
Helianthus angustifolius (swamp sunflower) – Extirpated
Hydrastis canadensis (goldenseal) – Threatened
Hylotelephium telephoides; syn: *Sedum telephoides* (Allegheny live-forever) – Rare
Ilex glabra (ink-berry holly) – Extirpated
Ilex opaca (American holly) – Threatened
Iris cristata (dwarf crested iris) – Endangered
Itea virginica (Virginia sweetspire) – Extirpated
Lupinus perennis (wild blue lupine) – Rare
Magnolia tripetala (umbrella magnolia) – Rare
Magnolia virginiana (sweet bay magnolia) – Threatened
Marshallia grandiflora (Barbara's buttons) – Endangered
Meehania cordata (Meehan's mint) – Endangered
Monarda punctata (Spotted bee-balm) – Endangered
Oligoneuron rigidum; syn: *Solidago rigida* (stiff goldenrod) – Endangered

Opuntia cespitosa (Eastern prickly pear cactus) – Rare
Parthenium integrifolium (Wild quinine) – Extirpated
Paxistima canbyi (rat-stripper) – Endangered
Phemeranthus teretifolius; syn: *Talinum teretifolius* (quill fameflower) – Threatened
Phlox subulata (moss phlox) – Endangered
Polemonium vanbruntiae (Jacob's ladder) – Endangered
Ptelea trifoliata (common hop tree) – Threatened
Quercus phellos (willow oak) – Endangered
Ratibida pinnata (grey-headed coneflower) – Extirpated
Rhododendron atlanticum (dwarf azalea) – Endangered
Rhododendron calendulaceum (flame azalea) – Extirpated
Ruellia humilis (wild petunia) – Endangered
Sisyrinchium atlanticum (Eastern blue-eyed grass) – Endangered
Spiraea betulifolia (birch-leaf spirea) – Threatened
Spiraea virginiana (Virginia meadowsweet) – Extirpated
Sporobolus heterolepis (prairie dropseed) – Endangered
Tradescantia obiensis (Ohio spiderwort) – Endangered
Viburnum cassinoides (Witherod; Nannyberry) - Endangered
Viburnum nudum (smooth viburnum) – Endangered
Viburnum trilobum (highbush cranberry) – Rare

There are over 630 species of plants listed as rare, threatened, endangered, or extirpated in the state of Pennsylvania according to the US Department of Agriculture. Some of these species are not only state listed but also federally listed. We are happy to be able to grow some of these *state-listed* species originating from sustainable sources that do not include seed or plants taken from the wild. We discourage removing native plants from their habitats for use in gardens, especially rare, threatened, and endangered species. Removing many of these species from their natural habitats is a form of poaching and is punishable by law. Please always purchase these species from reputable nurseries that source their stock responsibly. Under federal law, we are not allowed to propagate or sell *federally-listed* threatened and endangered species.

Definitions of terms (as per PA DCNR):

Rare – any plant species which are uncommon within this commonwealth because they may be found in restricted geographic areas or in low numbers throughout this commonwealth.

Threatened – any species likely to become an endangered species within the foreseeable future throughout all or a significant portion of its range.

Endangered – any plant species which are in danger of extinction throughout most or all their natural range within this commonwealth, if critical habitat is not maintained or exploited by man.

Extirpated – any plant species believed by the department to be extinct within this commonwealth. The plants may or may not exist outside this commonwealth.

Thank you for choosing Edge of the Woods Native Plant Nursery for your selection of rare and unusual plants. By planting these rare species in your landscape, you may help them establish back into your local ecosystem as well as their insect and faunal associates that depend on them.