



Right Plant, Right Place

New Jersey Tea (*Ceanothus americanus*)

Prefers average to dry soil, full sun
shrub 3' x 3' with glossy green leaves,
reddish in fall
white flowers early summer
NOT deer proof!

Wild Ginger (*Asarum canadense*)

Prefers moist woodland soil in shade
Flowers insignificant
Slowly spreads to form colonies
Low groundcover <12" tall

Aster 'October Skies'

(*Symphyotrichum oblongifolium* 'October Skies')
Full sun, average soil 2-3' tall and wide
self seeds, purple fall blooms.

Purple Love Grass (*Eragrostis spectabilis*)

Dry sandy soil, full sun
clump forming 2' tall
Pink airy seed heads late summer.

Pussy Toes (*Antennaria plantaginifolia*)

Prefers dry soils in full sun
1" high groundcover, silvery leaves
12" white flowers early spring
spreads 1-2'

White Heath Aster

(*Symphyotrichum ericoides* 'Snow Flurry')
Prefers full sun average soil
Low growing groundcover, 2' spread
White flowers late summer.

Purple Coneflower (*Echinacea purpurea*)

Full sun, part shade. tolerates dry soils.
Self seeds.
2-3 feet tall.
Blooms June through August
Leave seedheads to feed the goldfinches

Lanceleaf Coreopsis (*Coreopsis lanceolata*)

Tolerates poor soil if well drained
Self seeds vigorously.
Full sun
2 feet tall.

Lead Plant (*Amorpha Canescens*)

Full-partial sun
medium-medium dry sand/loam soil
Purple Blooms from June-August
2-3 ft tall

Virgin's Bower (*Clematis Virginiana*)

Full sun - part shade
Moist rich soil - but adaptable
Clusters of small white flowers July-September

Fringed Bluestar (*Amsonia Ciliata*)

Average well-drained soil
Full sun (tolerates light afternoon shade)
Clusters of pale blue flowers April-June
Deer resistant
2-3 ft tall, 1.5-3 ft wide

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Tallamy, Doug

- o Bringing Nature Home
- o Nature's Best Hope

Vogt, Benjamin – Prairie Up

Rainer, T and West, C – Planting in a Post Wild World

Hunter, Majorie – Gardening with the Native Plants of Tennessee

NWF.org/Native Plant Finder

www.tnipc.org – Invasive Plant Primer for the Home Landscape

- o Invasive plant list of Tennessee
- o Emerging invasives of Tennessee

Plants.ces.ncsu.edu

Tennessee Smart Yards (tnyards.utk.edu)

Pollinator.org

NWF.org/native plants and NWF.org/Native Plant Finder

Awaytogarden.com – podcasts and newsletter

Facebook groups

- Invasive Plant ID and Removal in the US and Canada
- Nurturing Nature

Nurseries

- Tennessee Naturescapes Oliver Springs, TN
(info@tennesseenurescapes.com)
- Overhill Gardens, Vonore, TN (overhillgardens.com)
- Native Plant Rescue Squad (nativeplantrescuesquad.org)
- Prairie Moon (prariemoon.com)
- Roundstone Native Seed (roundstoneseed.com)

Plants for our geographic area

- NWF.org/nativeplants
- Pollinator.org