



Forest Pansy Redbud

Cercis canadensis 'Forest Pansy'

Height: 25 feet

Spread: 30 feet

Sunlight:  

Hardiness Zone: 6a

Other Names: Eastern Redbud, Judas Tree, Love Tree

Description:

A spectacular spring bloomer, with very showy pink to purple flowers held tightly on bare branches in early spring; coarse heart-shaped leaves emerge deep purple and stay that way; an incredible color accent tree for specimen use in the home landscape

Ornamental Features

Forest Pansy Redbud has fuchsia pea-like flowers along the branches from early to mid spring, which emerge from distinctive violet flower buds before the leaves. It has attractive burgundy deciduous foliage. The heart-shaped leaves are highly ornamental but do not develop any appreciable fall colour.

Landscape Attributes

Forest Pansy Redbud is a deciduous tree with a more or less rounded form. Its relatively coarse texture can be used to stand it apart from other landscape plants with finer foliage.

This is a relatively low maintenance tree, and should only be pruned after flowering to avoid removing any of the current season's flowers. Deer don't particularly care for this plant and will usually leave it alone in favor of tastier treats. Gardeners should be aware of the following characteristic(s) that may warrant special consideration;

- Disease



Forest Pansy Redbud flowers
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