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Latin Name	Common Name	Appearance & Culture	Rarity & Range	Plant Description	Sale Location
<i>Vernonia lettermannii</i>	(Threadleaf Ironweed)	Height: 2 ft Bloom: Sept-Oct Color: Purple Light: Sun part sun Soil: Well-drained Zone: 4-9	Southeastern US	Very unlike any other ironweed we grow with fine whorled foliage and compact habit. Looks just like <i>Amsonia hubrichtii</i> when out of flower. Drought tolerant.	Garden in the Woods only
<i>Vernonia missurica</i>	(Missouri Ironweed)	Height: 2-4 ft Bloom: July-Aug Color: Purple Light: Sun Soil: Moist to dry Zone: 3-8	Central North America	With its large clusters of dark purple starburst flowers this lower growing drought tolerant species is great for the garden. It attracts butterflies and is the first ironweed to bloom at Garden in the Woods.	Garden in the Woods and Nasami Farm
<i>Vernonia noveboracensis</i>	(Ironweed)	Height: 6-9 ft Bloom: September Color: Purple Light: Sun Soil: Moist to wet Zone:	Eastern US	Stately giant of meadows and prairies. Tall strong stems bear flat-topped heads of rich purple flowers in late summer that are a favorite of butterflies. Seeds have a rusty orange color. Tough and easy.	Garden in the Woods and Nasami Farm
					
<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i> 'Fascination'	(Culver's Root)	Height: 3-4 ft Bloom: August Color: Blue-pink Light: Sun part sun Soil: Moist Zone: 4-8	Eastern North America Rare or endangered in part of New England.	A very attractive cultivar of this durable and beautiful wildflower with branched spires of rose pink flowers suffused with a hint of blue. Indispensable for the summer border or meadow.	Garden in the Woods and Nasami Farm
					
<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i> 'Pink Select'	(Culver's Root)	Height: 3-4 ft Bloom: August Color: Light pink Light: Sun part sun Soil: Moist Zone: 4-8	Eastern North America Rare or endangered in New England.	Once again we have selected our darkest pink-flowered plants and collected the seed. These range from light to dark pink not white as is typical for the species. Culver's root is a great plant beautiful and easy.	Garden in the Woods and Nasami Farm
					
<i>Viola brittoniana</i>	(Britton's Violet)	Height: 6 in Bloom: May-July Color: Violet Light: Sun part sun Soil: Moist to dry Zone: 4-8	Northeastern US Globally rare; rare or endangered in part of New England.	Rare species related to <i>Viola pedatifida</i> with deeply cut leaves like a robust bird's-foot violet.	Garden in the Woods only
					

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