

PRIMROSE JASMINE



JASMINUM MESNYI



TRULY A JASMINE, BUT NOT THE JASMINE PEOPLE TEND TO THINK OF, PRIMROSE JASMINE IS AN EVERGREEN SHRUB WITH CASCADING BRANCHES THAT BECOME COVERED WITH LEMON YELLOW BLOSSOMS IN LATE WINTER. WHAT THE BLOOMS LACK IN JASMINE FRAGRANCE THEY MAKE UP FOR IN SHEER NUMBERS AND VIBRANCE OF COLOR. THE PLANT IS TOLERANT OF MANY SORTS OF ADVERSE CONDITIONS, INCLUDING DROUGHT, HEAT, AND ALKALINE SOIL. GREAT FOR CUT BANKS, IT WILL TRAIL DOWN THEM MUCH FARTHER THAN THE FOLIAGE MOUND'S POTENTIAL 5' HEIGHT, EVENTUALLY REACHING A SPREAD OF 10' OR MORE. WILL CLIMB WITH SUPPORT, OR RATHER LEAN ON OTHERS TO REACH UPWARDS, BUT IS MAYBE BEST BE GROWN AS A SOFT, RAMBLING MOUND.

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