

# RED AUTUMN SAGE

## SALVIA GREGGII 'RED'



THOUGH THEY REALLY BLOOM ALL SEASON, THE AUTUMN SAGES DO INDEED BLOOM MOST PROLIFICALLY IN AUTUMN. BEGINNING ALREADY IN SPRING, THE BLOOMS STEADILY BUILD UP SPEED THROUGH THE SUMMER, FINISHING WITH THE BIGGEST, BRIGHTEST, AND BEST OF THEM AS THE DAYS GROW SHORTER. DROUGHT-TOLERANT AND DEER RESISTANT, THEY ARE BEAUTIFUL IN MASS PLANTINGS WHERE THE MANY SMALL BLOOMS COMBINE THEIR FORCES TO PACK A PUNCH. THIS ONE REACHES 2-3' TALL AND WIDE AND IS A NICE VIGOROUS GROWER. THE SATURATED RED BLOOMS WITH DARK CALYXES ARE PARTICULARLY ATTRACTIVE TO HUMMINGBIRDS. DEADHEAD TO ENCOURAGE MORE BLOOMS AND CUT BACK BY HALF IN SPRING TO KEEP THE PLANT YOUNG AND VIBRANT.

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