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Plants that Attract Butterflies (2012)

These plants can help invite more butterflies into the garden, especially when mixed into an array that provides flowers from Spring through Fall. Some provide nectar and others are host plants for caterpillars of particular species of butterflies. The list is not exhaustive, but we carry all of the following here at Mary's Greenhouse.

H = Host plant N = Nectar plant

Achillea (Yarrow) N	Lavender N
Actaea pachypoda 'Misty Blue'	Leonotis (Lion's Ear) N
Agapanthus (Lily of the Nile) N	Leucanthemum (Shasta Daisy) N
Agastache N	Liatis N
Ajuga N	Lily (Asiatic & Oriental) N
Alcea (Hollyhock) H/N	Lobelia N
Alchemilla (Lady's Mantle) N	Lonicera (Honeysuckle) H/N
Alyssum (annual) N	Malva N
Aquilegia (Columbine) N	Marigold N
Armeria (Thrift) N	Monarda (Bee Balm) N
Asclepias (Butterfly Weed) H/N	Nepeta (Catmint) N
Aster H/N	Oregano N
Baptisia australis N	Orthosiphon (Cat's Whiskers) N
Buddleia (Butterfly Bush) N	Pansy N
Caryopteris (Bluebeard) N	Parsley H
Centranthus (Red Valerian) N	Passiflora H/N
Ceratostigma (Dwarf Plumbago) N	Penstemon (Beardtongue) H/N
Chelone (Turtlehead) N	Pentas H N
Cleome H/N	Perovskia (Russian Sage) N
Coreopsis N	Phlox (several varieties) N
Cosmos N	Plumbago (annual) H/N
Crocasmia N	Rose H
Cuphea N	Rosemary N
Dianthus N	Rudbeckia N
Digitalis (Foxglove) H	Rue H
Dill H	Salvia (all kinds) N
Echinacea (Coneflower) N	Scabiosa (Pincushion Flower) N
Eryngium (Sea Holly) N	Sedum 'Autumn Joy' N
Erysimum (Wallflower) N	Sidalcea N
Eupatorium (Joe Pye Weed) H N	Snapdragon N
Fennel H	Solidago (Goldenrod) N
Gaillardia (Blanket Flower) N	Spigelia (Indian Pinkroot) N
Gaura N	Stokesia N
Gomphrena N	Sweet Pea (Lathyrus)
Gypsophila (Baby's Breath) N	Tradescantia N
Heliopsis N	Valerian N
Hemerocallis (Daylily) N	Verbena bonariensis N
Heuchera N	Verbena N
Hibiscus H	Vernonia lettermannii 'Iron Butterfly' N
Hydrangea N	Veronica (Speedwell) H
Iberis (Candytuft) N	Vinca (annual) N
Impatiens N	Wisteria H
Knautia macedonica N	Zinnia N
Lantana N	