



Black-eyed Susan

The Black-Eyed Susan is probably the most common of all American wildflowers. The characteristic brown, domed center is surrounded by bright yellow ray florets. Thrives in most soils in full sun. A true sunshine worshiper that forgives neglect.

Botanical Name: Rudbeckia hirta (Asteraceae)

Height: 2-3 feet

Leaves: Coarse, dark green lanceolate to ovate, 3"- 6" long, almost bract-like

Flower Form: 1"- 2" petals encircle a nearly black cone of disk flowers

Flower Color: Golden-yellow with nearly black centers

Blooming period: June-August

Soil: Sand to clay

Sun Exposure: Partial Shade/Full Sun

Suggested use:

- Roadsides
- Open fields
- Floral gardens mixtures

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