

Amaranth

Also called love-lies-bleeding or tassel flower
(*Amaranthus*)

Long, red, tassel-like flowers on plants 3 to 6 feet tall. Colorful leaves on some varieties. Varieties: Illumination, Early Splendor, Molten Fire, Love-Lies-Bleeding.

Soil and Light

Full sun. Tolerant of all soil conditions.

Planting

Start seeds indoors 6 weeks early, or plant outside after all frost danger passes.

Comments

Easily transplanted. Likes long, hot growing season. Use as a background plant in a mass **planting** or against a wall. Drought resistant.