

Buddleja davidii

'Black Knight'

Butterfly Bush



PLANT DESCRIPTION

Plant Type:	Deciduous Shrub
Height / Width:	6-8 ft. H x 3-5 ft. W
Plant Form:	Arching, spreading habit
Flower / Fruit:	Spike-like 4-10-in. long terminal clusters of very dark purple fragrant flowers in June - Sept
Leaf	Willow gray-green foliage
Native To:	China, Japan

GROWING REQUIREMENTS

Sunset Zones:	2-24
Soil:	Average, well-drained
Water:	Moderate to regular
Sun:	Full sun or light shade
Care and Pruning:	Hard prune in winter or early spring before growth begins. Deadhead to prolong bloom.

GARDEN USE

Best grown in massed plantings in borders, cottage gardens, rose gardens or butterfly gardens
Blossoms attract butterflies

BOTANICAL GARDEN

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