

# Astilbe (False Spirea)

**Location:** Zone 4, sun to part shade

**Shape:** Mounded

**Foliage:** Green to bronze-green

**Flowers:** Early to late summer

**Notes:** Flowers are feathery panicles of various sizes. Most are held well above dark green compound leaves. Astilbe looks best when planted in groups. Great in a flower bed, as border edging, or in containers.

**Color Flash® • *Astilbe x arendsii* 'Beauty of Ernst' PP 17,343**

10-12" x 18"      Part shade      Zone 4

Blush pink panicles appear in June and July. Mounded form with burgundy, purple and green foliage turning gold, orange and russet in fall. Does best in moist soil.



**Delft Lace • *Astilbe chinensis* 'Delft Lace' PP 19,839**

24-36" x 24"      Part sun/shade      Zone 4

Apricot pink flowers bloom in June and July. Lacy blue-green foliage with red highlights on a mounded form. Prefers moist soil.



**Deutschland • *Astilbe x japonica* 'Deutschland'**

20" x 24"      Sun/part shade      Zone 4

Tall, loose, white plumes stand out against the deep green foliage in July and August. Forms an upright mound.



**Fanal • *Astilbe x arendsii* 'Fanal'**

20-30" x 20-24"      Sun/part shade      Zone 4

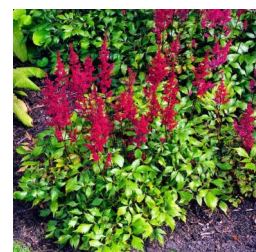
Narrow, dark red plumes bloom from June to August. Mounded growth habit and deeply cut leaflets of green foliage.



**Montgomery • *Astilbe japonica* 'Montgomery'**

18-24" x 24"      Part shade      Zone 4

Dark red plumes bloom from June through August with bright green to reddish bronze foliage that forms an upright clump. Prefers moist soil.



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## **Purple Candles** • *Astilbe chinensis* 'Purpurkerze'

42" x 36"      Part shade      Zone 3

Dense, poker-like plumes emerge a rich violet-red, then lighten to lavender as they mature. Blooms later, July-August. Coarse, dark green foliage forms an upright mound.



## **Rheinland** • *Astilbe x arendsii* 'Rheinland'

24-30" x 18-24"      Sun/part shade      Zone 4

Broadly pyramidal, deep rose-pink plumes bloom from June to July. Green foliage has a mounded growth habit.



## **Sprite** • *Astilbe simplicifolia* 'Sprite'

12-18" x 12-18"      Part shade      Zone 4

Arching, pale pink, airy plumes bloom in June. Fine textured greenish bronze foliage forms a dwarf mound. Does best in moist soil.



## **Visions** • *Astilbe chinensis* 'Visions'

14-16" x 18"      Sun/part shade      Zone 4

Large, open, raspberry colored plumes bloom in July and August top the mound of green foliage.



## **Visions in Red** • *Astilbe chinensis* 'Visions in Red' PP 11,965

14-16" x 18"      Sun/part shade      Zone 4

Pinkish red flowers in August and September. Foliage is a bronze green color and has a mounded form.



## **Visions in White** • *Astilbe chinensis* 'Visions in White' PP 18,965

24-30" x 18-24"      Sun/part shade      Zone 4

Bright white plumes appear above the lacy green foliage from July through September. Forms an upright clump.

