

Cinnamon Snow Lenten Rose (*Helleborus x ballardiae* 'COSEH 700')

The Cinnamon Snow Lenten Rose is a variety of Lenten rose. As the name suggests, these plants bloom during Lent, from late February through March and often into April. They are not members of the rose family. These are very hardy perennials with glossy green foliage year-round. They are very shade tolerant but do not like a lot of sun.



Plant Care: They naturalize and spread very easily, and you may notice dozens of small seedlings surrounding the parent plant in later years. You can move these seedlings if you want, or remove the seed pods when they begin to harden in the spring, open the pods and toss the tiny seeds where you'd like more plants next year. "Dead-heading," or removing spent flowers, is not required. This is a fantastic easy-care plant.

Watering: Water this plant regularly until it is established in the landscape. (Water when the soil surrounding the plant feels dry, but before the soil hardens.) After the first summer, these great accent plants are very hardy. Watering may only be necessary during drought conditions.

References:

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