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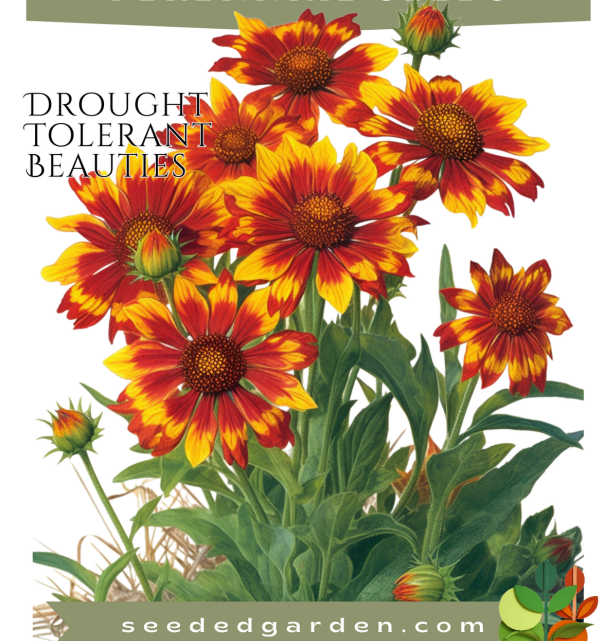
- Non-GMO seeds
- Nurtured in the Pacific Northwest, USA
- Open-pollinated, untreated
- All my seeds are Proven Growers: I grow them myself first to ensure viability
- Growing instructions included
- Kraft paper packets - no plastic baggies!
- Small, home-based grower and passionate gardener, like you!



How to Grow Gaillardias from Seed

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Immerse your garden in the vibrant radiance of Gaillardia, also known as Blanket Flower. These hardy perennials boast stunning, daisy-like blooms in fiery hues, attracting butterflies and beneficial pollinators. They are notoriously drought-tolerant, and aren't picky about soil quality. Come back season after season.

WHY YOU SHOULD GROW THEM

Butterfly and Pollinator Magnet

Gaillardia flowers are a magnet for butterflies and bees, inviting these graceful creatures to dance through your garden.

Low Maintenance

These flowers thrive with minimal care, and are drought-tolerant. They're an excellent choice for busy gardeners and those looking for easy-to-grow blooms.

Long Blooming Season

Enjoy a long-lasting display of these daisy-like flowers from late spring through early fall, providing non-stop beauty in your garden.

SOWING INSTRUCTIONS

Starting Indoors

Begin indoors for early blooms with these easy steps:

Timing: Kick-start your journey 6-8 weeks before the last frost date.

Prepare Seeds: Start indoors before spring by stratifying the seeds: Chill them in the fridge for 4-6 weeks.

Seed Sowing: Plant 2 or 3 seeds together, 1/8 inch deep in well-draining seed-starting mix.

Light & Warmth: Place the tray in a warm spot or under grow lights, keeping the temperature at 70-75°F.

Moisture: Seedlings need consistent soil moisture, but don't let it get soggy.

Transplanting: Once the threat of frost risk wanes, transplant those robust seedlings outdoors for their stunning display.

SOWING INSTRUCTIONS

Starting Outdoors

Opting for direct sowing? Here's how to sow Gaillardia seeds in your garden:

Timing: Wait until after the frost danger passes and the soil is workable.

Site Selection: Choose a sunny spot with well-draining soil: Gaillardia thrives in the sun!

Sowing Depth: Plant three seeds 1/4 inch deep in the prepared soil, covering them gently.

Spacing: Provide ample space of 12-18 inches between each trio to allow them to flourish.

Watering: Keep the soil moist until your vibrant Gaillardia seedlings emerge and establish themselves.

Thinning: Should the seedlings appear crowded, thin them out to give the strong ones room to thrive.

Mulching: A light layer of mulch helps retain moisture and curbs those persistent weeds.



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