

Halesia monticola

(Mountain Silverbell)

A deciduous shrub that does best in moist acididc soil that lies in part shade. It has green leaves that are kind o foval shaped that turn yellow in the fall. It has bell shaped white flowers that bloom in the spring (april/may) as clusters. It has 4 winged fruits that mature in the fall. Its branches droop and is usually single trunked.



Plant Image

Landscape Information

Pronunciation: hal-EE-zhee-uh mawn-tih-KOLE-uh

Plant Type:

Heat Zones:

Hardiness Zones: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

Uses: Specimen, Container, Street

Size/Shape

Growth Rate: Fast

Tree Shape: Pyramidal, oval, Vase

Canopy Symmetry: Irregular

Canopy Density: Medium

Canopy Texture: Medium

Height at Maturity: 5 to 8 m, 8 to 15 m

Spread at Maturity: 5 to 8 meters, 8 to 10 meters

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Alternate

Leaf Venation: Pinnate

Leaf Persistence: Deciduous

Leaf Type: Simple

Leaf Blade: 5 - 10 cm

Leaf Shape: Ovate

Leaf Margins: Serrate

Leaf Scent:

Color(growing season): Green

Color(changing season): Yellow

Flower

Flower Showiness: True

Flower Scent: No Fragrance

Flower Color: White

Seasons: Spring

Trunk

Trunk Susceptibility to Breakage: Generally resists breakage

Number of Trunks: Single Trunk

Trunk Esthetic Values: Not Showy

Fruit

Fruit Showiness: True

Fruit Size Range: 3 - 7

Fruit Colors: Yellow

Seasons: Fall

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Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Drought Tolerant: Yes

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Loam, Sand

Soil Ph Requirements: Acidic, Neutral, Alkaline

Water Requirements: Moderate

Light Requirements: Full, Part

Management

Pruning Requirement: Needed, to develop a strong structure

Edible Parts:

Plant Propagations:

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Bark Image