

Amaranth

“Coral Fountain”

Amaranth "Coral Fountain" is a beautiful, trailing amaranth cultivar known for its striking cascading coral-pink tassels. It's a popular ornamental cut flower, adding vibrant color and texture to gardens and arrangements. The plant also produces edible, golden seeds, making it a versatile addition to any garden. Annual.

Key Features of Amaranth "Coral Fountain":

- **Appearance:** Features cascading, tassel-like blooms in shades of coral and peach.
- **Height:** Reaches heights of 3-5 feet.
- **Use:** Excellent for cut flower arrangements, fresh or dried.
- **Edibility:** The seeds and young leaves are edible, with the seeds being a protein-rich grain.
- **Growing:** Prefers full sun and well-drained soil.

Growing Amaranth "Coral Fountain":

- **Planting:** Space plants 12-15 inches apart.
- **Care:** Water regularly, especially during dry periods, and provide adequate sunlight.
- **Harvesting:** Harvest flowers when they are 2/3 to 3/4 open and hang them upside down to dry for fresh or dried arrangements.
- **Additional Notes:** May need staking or netting to keep the plants upright, especially in windy conditions.
- **Pest and Disease Resistance:** Generally pest and disease-resistant, making it an easy-to-grow option