

Chincherinchee, Ornithogalum (White) - Bulbs



Showy plant with beautiful large long lasting flowers, ideal for growing in pots.

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Price

50056

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Description

Description for Chincherinchee, Ornithogalum (White)

The common name of the genus, Star-of-Bethlehem, is based on its star-shaped flowers. The genus Ornithogalum contains about 180 species. The genus is characterized by long linear to oblong-lanceolate (lance-shaped) leaves.

The bulbs are ovoid with free or conrescent scales. These are white or off-white with green or brown shading in the centre, which fades over time. These flowers last a long time, once open, and bend towards the light. The leaves are fleshy and sword-shaped, and the only number about six per stalk. They feel soft and smooth to the touch.

Common name(s): Star-of-Bethlehem, Wonder Flower, Chincherinchee

Flower colours: White

Bloom time: Summer

Max reacahble height: Up to 24 inches

Difficulty to grow:: Easy to grow

Planting and care

Sowing season of Chincherinchee bulb is in the spring and summer season. Choose a location in full sun and be sure the soil is well drained. Use the potting mix for bulb plantation as

- Garden soil + Compost + Perlite + Sand (2:2:1:1)
- Soil + Cocopeat + vermicompost (2:1:2)

Sunlight: Full to partial sunlight

Soil: Well-drained soil

Water: Moderately

Temperature: 20 to 30 degrees C

Fertilizer: Apply any organic fertilizer.

Caring for Chincherinchee

- Water a plant when the soil feels dry to touch. Water thoroughly in the summer and reduce watering for the winter & rainy season.
- Try to water the plants in the morning around 8-10am.
- You should remove dead, infected or damaged plant parts and throw in the garbage collector.
- You should fertilize a plant at planting time and growing season.
- Mulch the plant with organic matter.

Typical uses of Chincherinchee

Special features: Long-lasting flowers

Ornamental use: The flowers bed are so much pretty to add your garden.

References

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Reviews

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