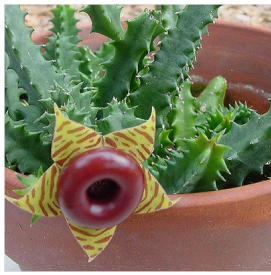


Huernia Zebrina - Plant



The amazing 5 pointed, yellow, star shaped flowers are banded in coppery brown with a dark red lifesaver rim making it appropriately named Life Saver Plant. This low growing succulent has 4 sided stems with soft teeth at the edges and the flowers emerge intermittently.

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Description

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Winter hardy to USDA Zones 8 to 12. In St. Louis, it is easily grown as a houseplant. It is noted for its ease of culture and tolerance for wide range of growing conditions. Use a peaty, soil-based potting mix. Best in filtered sun.

Common name	Flower colours	Bloom time	Height	Difficulty
Life saver plant	Pink	Seasonal bloomer	0.50 to 0.75 feet	Easy to grow

Planting and care

Lifesaver plants can be grown as intriguing indoor, greenhouse or summer patio container plants almost anywhere. Species such as *Huernia zebrina*, *H. pillansii*, *H. keniensis* and *H. primulina* can be grown in outdoor landscapes in warm-winter and Mediterranean climates. Protect outdoor plants from frost and rain during winter and full sun in summer. Plant enthusiasts worldwide grow *Huernias* because of their interesting stem shapes and colors and because of the often intricate and fascinating flower forms and colors.

Sunlight	Soil	Water	Temperature	Fertilizer
Full sun to part shade	Well-drained soil	Medium	10 degrees C	Apply any organic fertilizer

Caring for Huernia Zebrina

Huernias require a potting mix with excellent drainage. A succulent plant mix of 50 percent pumice or perlite, 25 percent peat or organic mulch, and 25 percent sand helps prevent rotting and overwatering. Roots experience dieback in cool season dormancy, so plants grow best in shallow containers that allow the soil to dry out quickly.

Lifesaver plants prefer bright light or partial shade. In nature, they grow underneath shrubs or other plants. Too much sun causes stems to develop protective reddish or purple pigmentation and can actually scald the stems. Too little light leads to weak, thin growth with decreased flower production.

Typical uses of Huernia Zebrina

Special features: Easy to grow. As a houseplant, grow in pots, hanging baskets or along shelves. Ground cover or bedding plant where it can be grown outdoors.

Ornamental use: The plant is used for ornamental purpose.

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