Sichuan Jade Evergreen Solomon's Seal

Disporopsis pernyi 'Sichuan Jade'

Height: 14 inches

Spread: 24 inches

Sunlight: ◐ ●

Hardiness Zone: 6

Description:

A clump forming, evergreen woodland perennial presenting narrow, dark green glossy leaves; white bell shaped flowers are borne along arching stems in spring; best grown in rich soil and partial shade

Ornamental Features

Sichuan Jade Evergreen Solomon's Seal features dainty lightly-scented nodding white bell-shaped flowers along the stems from mid to late spring. Its attractive glossy pointy leaves remain dark green in color with hints of lime green throughout the year.

Landscape Attributes

Sichuan Jade Evergreen Solomon's Seal is an herbaceous evergreen perennial with a shapely form and gracefully arching foliage. Its medium texture blends into the garden, but can always be balanced by a couple of finer or coarser plants for an effective composition.

This is a relatively low maintenance plant, and is best cut back to the ground in late winter before active growth resumes. It is a good choice for attracting bees and butterflies to your yard. It has no significant negative characteristics.

Sichuan Jade Evergreen Solomon's Seal is recommended for the following landscape applications;

- Mass Planting
- Rock/Alpine Gardens
- General Garden Use
- Groundcover
- Naturalizing And Woodland Gardens
- Container Planting



Sichuan Jade Evergreen Solomon's Seal
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Sichuan Jade Evergreen Solomon's Seal foliage
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Planting & Growing

Sichuan Jade Evergreen Solomon's Seal will grow to be about 14 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 24 inches. Its foliage tends to remain dense right to the ground, not requiring facer plants in front. It grows at a fast rate, and under ideal conditions can be expected to live for approximately 10 years. As an evegreen perennial, this plant will typically keep its form and foliage year-round.

This plant does best in partial shade to full shade. Keep it well away from hot, dry locations that receive direct afternoon sun or which get reflected sunlight, such as against the south side of a white wall. It does best in average to evenly moist conditions, but will not tolerate standing water. It may require supplemental watering during periods of drought or extended heat. This plant does not require much in the way of fertilizing once established. It is not particular as to soil pH, but grows best in rich soils. It is somewhat tolerant of urban pollution. This is a selected variety of a species not originally from North America. It can be propagated by division; however, as a cultivated variety, be aware that it may be subject to certain restrictions or prohibitions on propagation.

Sichuan Jade Evergreen Solomon's Seal is a fine choice for the garden, but it is also a good selection for planting in outdoor pots and containers. It is often used as a 'filler' in the 'spiller-thriller-filler' container combination, providing a mass of flowers and foliage against which the thriller plants stand out. Note that when growing plants in outdoor containers and baskets, they may require more frequent waterings than they would in the yard or garden.