



Bouvardia

Botanical name: Bouvardia leiantha, B. humboldtii (perfumed white).

Family: Rubiaceae

Common name: Bouvardia

Country of Origin: Mexico

Available: January to July

Stem Length: 20 to 30 cm.



General Description

Noted for its beautiful scent, Bouvardia are made up of loose clusters of tubular star-like flowers fringed with leaves and carried on tall stalks.

They can be single or double flowers, and are found in red, pink, white and, rarely, yellow. All are wonderfully scented, but the perfume of the white B. humboldtii is particularly strong.

The leaves are dark green and form whorls just under the flowers. Stems are short, 20 to 30cm commonly.

Most commonly grown in glasshouses in the hills east of Melbourne and west of Sydney.

Types: N/A

When Buying Look for:

- Flowers should be open and brightly coloured.
- Although these flowers are tropical, and do not need refrigeration, they should be kept inside and not placed outside the shop.

Flower Care

1. Recut at least 2cm off each stem and place in water immediately.
2. A preservative is recommended, but not essential.
3. Replace vase water every day as they are thirsty flowers.
4. Flowers are very sensitive to ethylene which cause flower drop. Keep them away from fruit, car exhausts and cigarette smoke.

THIS WEEK'S PRICES

NAME	STEMS PER BUNCH	PRICE RANGE	PREMIUM PRICE
ACHILLEA	10	\$2.50 TO \$3.50	
AGERATUM	10	\$3.00 TO \$3.50	
ALLIUM - GIANT	PER STEM	\$4.50 TO \$6.00	
ALLIUM - MINI	5	\$3.50	
ALLIUM - DRUMSTICK	PER STEM	\$5.00	
ALSTROEMERIA	SML - 7, LGE - 10	\$3.00 TO \$6.00	
AMARANTHUS	10	\$6.00 TO \$8.50	
ANTHURIUM	PER STEM	\$1.50 TO \$3.50	
ARABS EYES	5	\$2.00 TO \$3.50	
ARUM LILIES	5	\$5.00 TO \$6.50	
BANKSIA - BAXTERI	PER STEM	\$1.20 TO \$2.50	
BANKSIA - COCCINEA	5	\$5.00	
BANKSIA - HOOKERIANA	PER STEM	\$1.60	
BANKSIA - MENZIESII	PER STEM	\$1.40 TO \$1.80	
BANKSIA - SPECIOSA	PER STEM	\$1.20 TO \$2.00	
BLUSHING BRIDE	5	\$3.00 TO \$6.00	
BOUVARDIA	7-12	\$4.00 TO \$7.50	
CALENDULA	10	\$2.00	
CALLA LILY	10	\$6.00 TO \$7.00	
CAMPANULA (CANTERBURY BELLS)	10	\$3.00 TO \$6.00	
CARNATION HEADS	BOX	\$10.00 TO \$15.00	
CARNATION - MICRO	10	\$2.00 TO \$3.50	
CARNATION - FIELD		\$1.50 TO \$3.00	
CARNATION - SPRAY		\$3.50 TO \$4.00	
CARNATION - CHINESINI	10-15	\$2.50 TO \$3.50	
CARNATION - FIELD		\$1.50 TO \$2.50	
CARNATION - SIM		\$3.00 TO \$4.00	
CELOSIA - COCKSCOMB	5	\$4.00 TO \$7.00	
CELOSIA - PLUME	5	\$5.00	
CHINCERINCHEE	5	\$2.50 TO \$3.50	
CHRYSANTHEMUM - DISBUD	5	\$6.50 TO \$8.50	
CHRYSANTHEMUM - FIELD		\$2.50 TO \$4.50	
CHRYSANTHEMUM - GLASSHOUSE	5-7	\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
COSMOS	10	\$2.00	
DAHLIA	5	\$2.50 TO \$3.00	
DAISY - SHASTA		\$2.00 TO \$3.00	
DELPHINIUM - GIANT	5	\$6.00 TO \$9.00	
DELPHINIUM - BUTTERFLY	5	\$4.00 TO \$5.50	
EASTER DAISY		\$2.50 TO \$3.50	
EREMURUS	10	\$7.00 TO \$11.00	
ERICA - YELLOW & PINK	10	\$4.50 TO \$6.00	
ERICA - GREEN	5	\$5.00 TO \$5.50	
ERIOSTEMON - WHITE	5-7	\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
ERIOSTEMON - PINK	5-7	\$5.50	
ERYNGIUM (SEA HOLLY)		\$7.50 TO \$8.50	
EVERLASTING DAISY	10	\$2.00 TO \$2.50	
FLANNEL FLOWER	5	\$5.00 TO \$6.00	
FREESIA	10	\$4.00 TO \$4.50	
GARDENIA (HEADS ONLY)	BOX OF 6	\$10.00 TO \$15.00	
GARDENIA	7-10	\$15.00	
GELEZNOWIA (YELLOW BELLS)	10	\$4.50 TO \$5.00	
GERANIUM	5	\$4.00	
GERBERA	10	\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
GERBERA - MINI	10	\$2.00 TO \$3.00	
GLADIOLI	10	\$8.00 TO \$12.00	
GLORIOSA LILY	3	\$5.00 TO \$13.00	
GOETIA	10	\$2.50 TO \$3.00	
GOLDEN ROD (SOLIDAGO)	10	\$2.50 TO \$4.00	
GYMEA LILIES	PER STEM	\$5.00 TO \$6.00	
GYPSOPHILA - STANDARD		\$3.00 TO \$6.00	
GYPSY		\$3.00 TO \$4.00	
HELICONIA	5	\$6.00	
HELICONIA CLAW	PER STEM	\$4.00 TO \$7.50	
HELICONIA SEXY	PER STEM	\$7.50 TO \$10.00	
HIPPEASTRUM	5	\$6.50 TO \$14.00	
HYACINTH		\$3.00 TO 6.00	
HYDRANGEA	5	\$4.00 TO \$7.00	
IRIS	10	\$3.00 TO \$6.50	
IRIS - BEARDED	5	\$3.50	
ISOPOGON	10	\$4.00 TO \$4.50	
KALE	PER STEM	\$4.50 TO \$5.00	
KALMIA	5	\$5.00 TO \$8.00	
KANGAROO PAW - STANDARD	10	\$6.00 TO \$7.00	
KANGAROO PAW - BLACK		\$8.00 TO \$9.00	
LAVENDER		\$3.00 TO \$5.00	
LEUCADENDRON	5	\$2.00 TO \$5.00	
LEUCADENDRON - DISCOLOUR	5	\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
LEUCADENDRON - GALAPINI	5	\$4.50	
LEUCADENDRON - SAFARI SUNSET	10	\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
LEUCADENDRON - SILVAN RED	5	\$3.00 TO \$5.00	
LEUCODENDRON - SILVER TREE		\$3.00	
LEUCOSPERMUM - REFLEXUM	5	\$3.00 TO \$5.00	

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LIATRIS	10	\$7.50 TO \$9.50	
LILAC	10	\$6.00 TO \$7.50	
LILY - ASIATIC	5	\$2.00 TO \$3.50	
LILY - LONGIFLORUM	5	\$5.00 TO \$9.00	
LILY - ORIENTAL	5	\$6.00 TO 10.00	
LILY - LA	5	\$3.00 TO \$5.00	
LIMONIUM - EMILE	10	\$3.50 TO \$4.50	
LIMONIUM - MISTY	10	\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
LIMONIUM - STATICE	10	\$2.00 TO \$3.50	
LISIANTHUS	7-10	\$6.00 TO \$8.50	
LOTUS PODS		\$3.00	
ORCHID - CYMBIDIUM	PER STEM	\$13.00 TO \$17.00	
ORCHID - SINGAPORE	5	\$4.00 TO \$8.00	
ORCHID - TIGER	5	\$11.50	
ORCHID - TIGER (DANCING LADIES)	10	\$25.00	
PEONY ROSE	5	\$3.00 TO \$8.00	
POPPIES	10	\$2.50 TO \$3.00	
PROTEA - KING	PER STEM	\$1.00 TO \$2.00	
PROTEA - PINK ICE		\$3.00 TO \$4.00	
QUEEN FABIOLA	10	\$3.00 TO \$4.00	
RICEFLOWER	10	\$4.50 TO \$5.00	
ROSE - 30CM	10	\$2.50 TO \$4.00	
ROSE - 40CM	10	\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
ROSE - 50CM	10	\$5.00 TO \$6.50	\$8.00 TO \$18.00
ROSE - 60CM	10	\$7.00 TO \$7.50	\$9.00 TO \$20.00
ROSE - 70CM+	10	\$7.00 TO \$9.00	\$10.00 TO \$22.00
ROSE - MINI	10	\$4.50 TO \$6.00	
SAFFLOWER (CARTHAMUS)	10	\$5.00 TO \$6.00	
SCABIOSA		\$3.00 TO \$4.00	
SCABIOSA PODS	10	\$7.50	
SEDUM	10	\$5.00 TO \$6.00	
SNAPDRAGON	10	\$2.50 TO \$5.00	
SOLIDASTER	10	\$3.00 TO \$3.50	
STIRLINGIA (BUD)		\$5.00	
STRELITZIA - BIRD OF PARADISE	5	\$10.00 TO \$12.50	
SUNFLOWER	5	\$3.00 TO \$9.00	
SWEETPEA	10	\$5.00 TO \$6.00	
SWEET WILLIAM		\$2.00 TO \$3.00	
TULIPS	10	\$4.00 TO \$8.00	
VERONICA	10	\$4.00 TO \$4.50	
WALLFLOWERS		\$2.50 TO \$4.00	
WATER LILIES	5	\$7.00 TO \$8.00	
WATSONIA	10	\$3.00	
WAX FLOWER - GERALDTON (OPEN)	10	\$2.50 TO \$3.50	
FOLIAGE			
ACACIA - BAILEYANA	10	\$4.50	
ANDROMEDA (FLOWERING)		\$4.50 TO \$6.00	
BAMBOO	PER STEM	\$2.00 TO \$20.00	
BOTTLEBRUSH (FLOWERING)	PER STEM	\$3.00 TO \$6.00	
BOX		\$3.00 TO \$4.00	
CHESTNUT FOLIAGE		\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
CHRISTMAS BUSH	10	\$5.00 TO \$13.00	
CORDYLINE	10	\$4.50 TO \$5.00	
FAN PALM	10	\$5.00	
FIGS	5	\$8.00 TO \$10.00	
FISHBONE FERN		\$3.50 TO \$7.50	
GARRYA	3	\$5.00 TO \$7.00	
GERBERA FOLIAGE		\$3.00	
GINGER FOLIAGE		\$5.00	
GREEN & GOLD	10	\$4.50	
GREVILLIA (FLOWERING - MOONLIGHT)		\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
GUM		\$2.50	
HOLLY		\$5.00 TO \$7.00	
HYDRANGEA FOLIAGE	10	\$5.00 TO \$7.00	
JASMINE (FLOWERING)		\$3.00 TO \$3.50	
KOALA FERN		\$4.50	
LAUREL		\$3.50 TO \$4.00	
LEATHER FERN		\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
LEPTOSPERNUM (FLOWERING)	10	\$5.00	
LOTUS PODS	EACH	\$4.00 TO \$6.00	
MAGNOLIA FOLIAGE (FLOWERING/BUDDING)	5	\$6.50 TO \$7.50	
MOLUCCA BALM (IRISH BELLS)	5	\$4.50 TO \$5.50	
MONSTERIA LEAVES		\$6.50 TO \$9.00	
MORRISON		\$5.00	
PHILODENDRON - XANADU	5-6	\$3.00 TO \$3.50	
POLYGALA (FLOWERING)	5	\$3.00 TO \$4.00	
RHODODENDRON FLOWERING	5	\$4.00 TO \$5.00	
SILVER SUEDE		\$5.00 TO \$6.00	
SNOTTY GRASS	5	\$3.00 TO \$5.00	
SPEAR GRASS		\$2.00 TO \$3.00	
SPRUCE (BLUE)	5	\$7.00 TO \$8.00	
VIBURNUM FLOWERING	5	\$6.50	