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Phlox paniculata Becky Towe

Breeder: June Towe
Protection status: EU PVR granted EU8675
US Plant Patent #12,908.
Canada: registered with COPF.
The breeder's rights are asserted worldwide.

Characteristics:

Becky Towe is a brightly variegated and vigorous Phlox variety. The leaves display a stable broad margin of golden yellow (becoming paler later in the year). The flowers are fresh salmon carmine pink and are scented. Becky Towe also displays improved mildew-resistance when compared to other cultivars.

Becky Towe makes an excellent container specimen or can be used to great effect in the border.

Hardiness: hardy to at least USDA zone 4 (minimum -35 Celsius).

Bloom: good heads of salmon carmine pink flowers with a darker eye (similar to Phlox Windsor). Sweetly scented. July to September.

Foliage: deep green leaves with stable broad golden yellow margin, becoming paler buttery cream later in the year. Young shoots are usually tinted bronze. Mildew resistant.

Habit: upright and bushy. 70cm (28 inches) when in flower.

Propagation: tissue culture or basal cuttings – tissue culture produces the best plants.

Note: a licence is required for propagation.

Culture: full sun or light shade, any good well-drained soil.

Additional information:

Phlox Becky Towe has already become established on both sides of the Atlantic.

It should be finished in 1.5 to 3 litre pots for impulse sales.

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Left: a mature specimen plant showing the compact bushy habit and brightly variegated foliage.

Below: Becky Towe in flower. Note that by flowering time, the foliage has faded to a buttery cream, not to white as in some other varieties. The flowers are sweetly scented.



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