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Viola pedata	birdfoot violet	**March-May** *lilac, purple*	
Geranium maculatum	wild geranium	**March-July** *pink-lavender*	
Fragaria virginiana	meadow strawberry	**April-May** *white*	
Asarum canadense	wild ginger	**April-May** *red-brown*	
Aquilegia canadensis	Eastern red columbine	**April-June** *white, red, pink*	
Podophyllum peltatum	mayapple	**April-June** *white*	
Penstemon digitalis	beard-tongue	**April-June** *white*	
Achillea millefolium	yarrow	**April-September** *white*	
Tiarella cordifolia	foamflower	**May** *pink-white*	
Maianthemum canadense	Canada mayflower	**May-June** *white*	
Zizia aurea	golden Alexanders	**May-June** *yellow*	
Lupinus perennis	wild lupine	**May-June** *Blue-purple*	
Tradescantia ohiensis	Ohio spiderwort	**May-July** *blue*	
Tradescantia virginiana	spiderwort	**May-July** *Blue-violet*	
Parthenocissus quinquefolia	Virginia creeper	**May-August** *white*	
Veronicastrum virginicum	Culver's root	**May-August** *white*	
Actaea racemosa	black cohosh	**June-July** *white*	
Asclepias tuberosa	butterfly milkweed	**June-August** *orange*	
Asclepias syriaca	common milkweed	**June-August** *white, pink*	
Monarda fistulosa	wild bergamot	**June-September** *Pale purple-pink*	
Pycnanthemum tenuifolium	narrow-leaf mountain mint	**June-September** *white, pink*	
Anaphalis margaritacea	pearly everlasting	**June-October** *white*	
Solidago bicolor	silverrod goldenrod	**July-October** *yellow*	
Asclepias incarnata	swamp milkweed	**July-August** *white, pink*	

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Eupatorium perfoliatum	American boneset	July-September *white*	
Eutrochium purpureum	Joe Pye weed	July-September *mauve pink*	
Verbena hastata	blue vervain	July-September *purplish-blue*	
Hibiscus moscheutos	swamp mallow	July-September *white-pink*	
Lobelia cardinalis	cardinal flower	July-September *red*	
Pycnanthemum muticum	mountainmint	July-September *white-pink*	
Solidago speciosa	showy goldenrod	July-September *yellow*	
Symphyotrichum novae-angliae	New England aster	Aug.-Sept. *purple-blue*	
Vernonia noveboracensis	New York ironweed	Aug.-Sept. *purple*	
Chelone glabra	white turtlehead	August-October *white w/pink tinge*	
Solidago sempervirens	seaside goldenrod	August-October *yellow*	
Eurybia divaricata	white wood aster	August-October *white*	
Helenium autumnale	sneezeweed	August-October *yellow*	
Solidago caesia	blue-stemmed goldenrod	August-October *yellow*	
Solidago canadensis	Canada goldenrod	August-October *yellow*	
Solidago nemoralis	gray goldenrod	August-November *yellow*	
Symphyotrichum cordifolium	blue wood aster	Sept.-October *blue*	
Symphyotrichum laeve	smooth aster	Sept.-October *violet-blue*	
Symphyotrichum lateriflorum	calico aster	Sept.-October *white*	
Solidago rugosa	rough goldenrod	Sept.-October *yellow*	
Ageratina altissima	white snakeroot	September-frost *white*	

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