



# Northern Blazing Star

*Liatris scariosa*

Light:	Full Sun, Partial Sun
Soil:	Loam, Sand
Moisture:	Medium, Medium-Dry, Dry
Benefits:	Butterflies, Bees, Hummingbirds, Pollinators
Height:	2' to 3'
Blooms:	Aug, Sep
Zones:	3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
Color:	Pinkish Purple
Spacing:	10" to 12"
Root:	Corm

Northern Blazing Star adds vertical accent and a late summer bloom to the prairie garden. Due to the abundance of flowers, the plant may need to be staked. Northern Blazing Star is an easily grown, tough and drought-tolerant plant that is best located in open rocky woodlands, sand barrens, dry banks and medium to dry prairies.

The foliage of Northern Blazing Star may need to be protected from browse until the plant is fully established. Pair with Purple Coneflower, Goldenrod, Spotted Bee Balm, Little bluestem and Big Bluestem.