

Heliopsis helianthoides var. *scabra* 'Burning Hearts'



smooth oxeye cultivar

Light Requirements: **sun, part-sun**

Soil Moisture: **dry, moist**

Soil Description: **rich, average, poor, clay, sand, gravel/rock**

Height: **3'-4'**

Recommended Spacing: **12"-18"**

Bloom Time: **July, August, September**

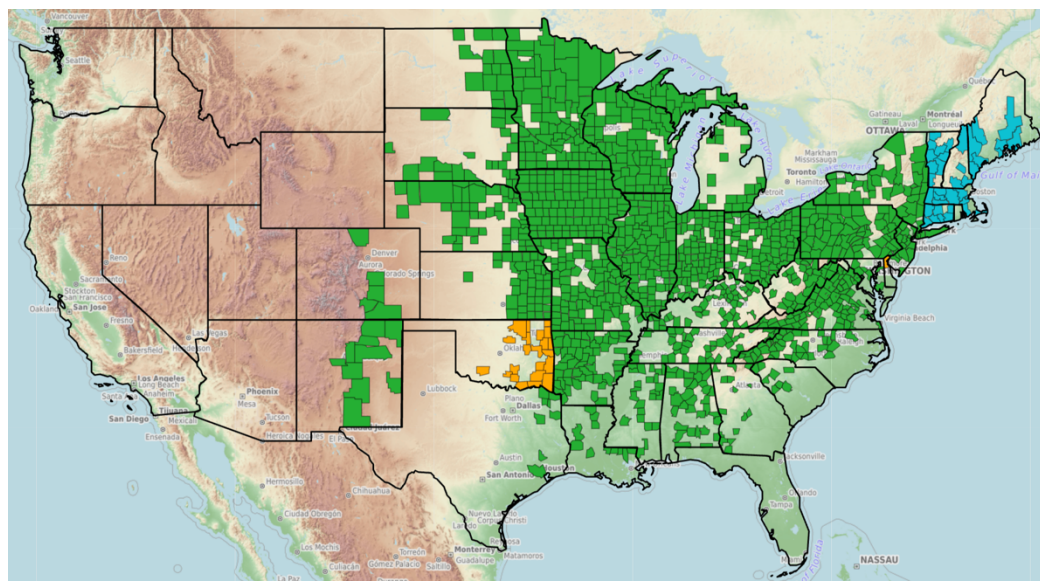
Bloom Color: **yellow, orange, red**

Hardiness Zone: **3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9**

Additional Tags: **cut flowers, deer resistant, drought tolerant, pollinator favorite**

A true to type seed cultivar, 'Burning Hearts' is versatile, easy to grow, and trouble free with striking dark purple leaves and stems that contrast with prolific sunflower-like flowers with yellow rays and red-orange centers. Reaching up to 4' tall, with a spread of 18", the bloom period can last up to three months, with flowers that attract birds, butterflies, and other insect pollinators.

It isn't particular about soil types, and is tolerant of dry conditions, it performs best in full sun but will tolerate some shade although this may lead to weak stems with a tendency to flop. Removing spent flowers will extend the blooming period.



Map of Native Range Color Key:

- Present
- Rare
- Adventive

This map is of the native range of the straight species *Heliopsis helianthoides*