

# *Ceanothus* 'Julia Phelps'

## Julia Phelps Ceanothus



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MEDIUM SHRUB - evergreen.  
4 - 6' high, 8' wide.  
Dense, rigid habit. Arching branches.  
Very small, wrinkly, dark green leaves.  
Deep blue flowers - profuse in spring.

Random hybrid, possibly *C. impressus* x *C. papillosus* var.  
*rowensus*.

Full sun. Frost and heat tolerant.  
Needs good drainage.  
Water 1 - 2 / x month once established. No overhead water.  
Will not accept too much water.

Good for slopes or background plantings. Best with natural leaf litter.  
*One the most floriferous and beautiful of the California lilacs.* (Lenz).

