

White Flower Farm Lloyd Border

6 Full Months of Bloom

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The Lloyd Border in late summer, still going strong.

A GARDEN WORTH THE TRIP

Here at the nursery, we enjoy a large border (280 x 20 feet) designed by Fergus Garrett and creatively maintained by Cheryl Karpeichik. It's named after the late Christopher Lloyd, Mr. Garrett's mentor and associate at Great Dixter, and it provides 6 full months of bloom, a miracle achieved by combining trees, shrubs, vines, hardy perennials, tender and annual plants, and a variety of bulbs. The richness of color, texture, and form is impossible to describe, hard even to imagine.

Our favorite season is fall, when the flower colors are bold, the changing foliage starting to offer its own subtle shades, and the space is full to overflowing. Any gardener who spends an hour in front of the Lloyd Border will go away filled with new visions and possibilities.

Need we mention that a colonial town in the Berkshires is not an unpleasant place for a meal or a night's visit? We hope to see you soon.