



Prayer Plant "Maranta"

CARE SHEET
EVERGREEN OF JOHNSON CITY

ABOUT

Prayer plants get their name from the fact that the leaves "curl up" like folding hands at night. They have unique foliage that has different variegations and patterns in the leaves depending on the variety.

LIGHT & WATER

- Provide bright but indirect light. Direct light will scorch the leaves.
- Water when the top couple inches of soil is dry. Do not keep wet and do not allow to dry out completely.
- Water the soil only and avoid getting water on the leaves to help keep fungal problems away
- Provide quality well-drained potting soil and a pot with adequate drainage. Prayer plants hate wet feet!

TIPS

- Use distilled room temperature water. The flouride and minerals in tap water can damage the leaves.
- Provide humidity! - particularly in the winter months - with a humidifier, misting, or pebble tray. Prayer plants LOVE humidity.