



HYDRANGEA QUERCIFOLIA

## *Ruby Slippers*

Developed from a hybridization of oakleaf hydrangea cultivars 'Snow Queen' and 'Pee Wee', 'Ruby Slippers' was released in 2010. It is one of the first two hydrangea cultivars released from the National Arboretum's shrub breeding program in McMinnville, TN. In early summer, 'Ruby Slippers' is covered in upright, 9-inch long inflorescences that open white, quickly turn blush pink, then deepen to rose. Its compact form makes it particularly suited for use in a shrub border, bed, specimen, or planted en mass.

**BOTANICAL NAME** -- Hydrangea quercifolia 'Ruby Slippers'

**COMMON NAME** -- Ruby Slippers Oak Leaf Hydrangea

**USDA HARDINESS** -- 5 to 8

**10 YEAR SIZE** -- 3.5'H x 5'W

**HABIT** -- Small, deciduous, rounded shrub

**CULTURE** -- Full sun to partial shade; acidic soil that is moist but well drained

### **FEATURES**

- Compact plant
- Upright inflorescences start out cream, go to blush pink, and mature to rose pink
- Dark green Summer foliage, turns mahogany red in Fall

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