



Garden State Daylily Growers (GSDG) Club

Gardening Angels

The Gardening Angels is a club plant program in which active and involved members of the GSDG grow recently introduced and popular daylily cultivars for eventual sale at club functions.

The Gardening Angels Program is designed to provide GSDG members with the opportunity to grow selected daylily cultivars and evaluate their performance in our area. It is also intended to educate GSDG members on the latest advances in hybridizing, to promote good will and encourage participation in GSDG activities.

Members in good standing for at least three years, who actively participate in club events are eligible and may be selected to receive one or more club plants in a given year. When possible, an effort will be made to provide Gardening Angels with their preferred cultivars, hybridizers or daylily types. The plant is grown in the member's garden for two years, hoping for an increase from a single or double fan to clump size. The plant will then be returned to the club for auction. The Gardening Angel is entitled to keep a single fan of it for his or her own enjoyment!

Gardening Angel responsibilities include:

- a. Providing the correct identification of the club plant by maintaining a permanent labeling system including the name and hybridizer of the daylily.
- b. Taking good care of the club plants by watering them well throughout the summer, fertilizing them and keeping them free of insects and rust.
- c. Keeping the Gardening Angel Chairperson aware and informed of any circumstances that might impact the plant.
- d. Reporting the status of your daylily to the membership on an annual basis. An assessment form will be provided to help the club understand which cultivars are hardy, increase well, are susceptible to insect damage, etc.
- e. Providing the Gardening Angel Chairperson with a color digital photo for evaluation purposes, to be posted on the GSDG website, and for display at the club auction.
- f. Returning all but one single fan of your club plant, labeled, potted and in good condition, on schedule for the annual auction.
- g. Returning your entire club plant should you resign GSDG or move away from the area.
- h. Have fun and enjoy growing and sharing your club plant!!!



Gardening Angels Request/Evaluation Form



Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

How long have you been a member of the GSDG?

Cultivar Name(s):

Date Rec'd:

Date Returned:

Year One Comments:

Year Two Comments:

Signature:

Date:

Send completed request form and all evaluations to:

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