

Agave celsii albicans

Soft, pettable, eerie, ghostly colored Agaves get people excited about succulents in the landscape! Not many varieties fit the bill, so we fall back to Agave attenuata. But it freezes at the blink of a frost, and so is ruled out in our inland valleys and western slopes. NOT ANYMORE! Agave celsii albicans is soft, user friendly, strikingly beautiful in sun or filtered shade, and quite cold hardy (to teens). Not good in coastal areas where there's an abundance of snails (they chomp it!). Fantastic in the interior, drier climates! Never grows up on a trunk.