

Leaves



Glad Leaves

"Although leaves can be seen in many different shapes, sizes and textures, typically a leaf is a thin, dorsiventrally flattened organ, borne above ground and specialized for photosynthesis. In most leaves, the primary photo-synthetic tissue, the palisade mesophyll, is located on the upper side of the blade, or lamina, of the leaf but in some species, including the mature foliage of Eucalyptus, palisade mesophyll is present on both sides and the leaves are said to be isobilateral. Most leaves have distinctive upper surface (adaxial) and lower surface (abaxial) that differ in colour, hairiness, the number of stomata (pores that intake and output gases), epicuticular wax amount and structure and other features."

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Leaf>

(Some leaves inside are accompanied by blossoms)

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A neighbour has a passion for Hosta



Tree Leaves sprouting in spring against
a bright cloudy sky



Brunnera macrophylla 'Looking Glass' Buglos



Lovely textured leaves



Shadows, shapes, shades & textures





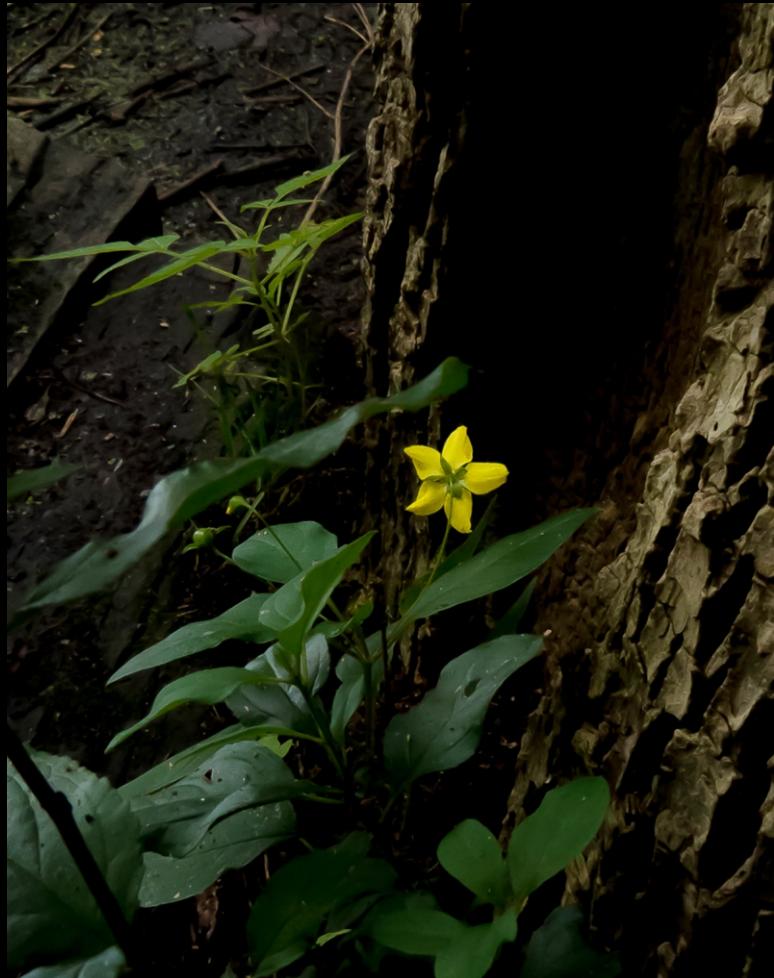


Varigated Siberian Buglos
(Brunnera macrophylla)'



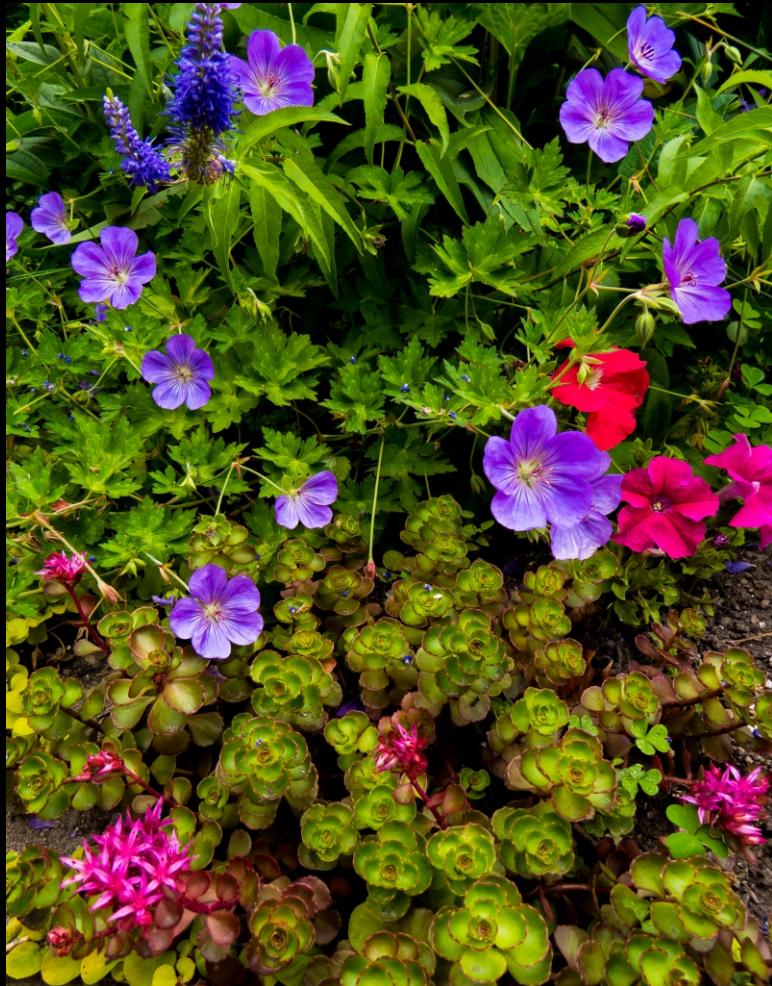
Boston Ivy

This lovely vine now shrouds the fence enclosing our back yard



Yellow Pimpernel
Lysimachia nemorum
(best guess)
Leaves in
Britannia Forest
Ottawa West





Leafy Garden



Ferns and some Forget-me-nots



Maple leaves
(with a fence and a small wooden bridge)



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