

# Classic Blues

## Paul Aden

- H. 'Big Daddy' (R) 1983  
*H. sieboldiana* hybrid\*
- H. 'Blue Angel' (R) 1986  
[*H.* 'Aden 365' × *H.* 'Aden 361']
- H. 'Blue Cadet' (R) 1974  
[Hybrid of *H.* 'Tokudama']
- H. 'Blue Mammoth' [NR]  
[*H. sieboldiana* hybrid]
- H. 'Blue Seer' [NR]  
*H. sieboldiana* background\*
- H. 'Blue Umbrellas' (R) 1978  
[*H.* 'Tokudama' × *H.* 'Elegans']
- H. 'Blue Velvet' (R) 1976  
[seedling of *H.* 'Tokudama' selfed]
- H. 'Blue Vision' (R) 1976  
[*H.* 'Aden 355' × *H.* 'Aden 353']
- H. 'Fragrant Blue' (R) 1988  
[*H.* 'Aden 8413' × *H.* 'Aden 8270']
- H. 'Love Pat' (R) 1978  
[*H.* 'Blue Velvet' × *H.* 'Blue Vision']
- H. 'True Blue' (R) 1978  
[*H.* 'Chartreuse Wedge' × (*H. nigrescens* × *H.* 'Blue Vision')]

## Herb Benedict

- H. 'Amethyst Chip' (R) 2000  
[*H.* 'Purple Verticulated Elf' × *H.* 'Purple Verticulated Elf']
- H. 'Amethyst Facet' (R) 2003  
[*H.* 'Purple Verticulated Elf' × *H.* 'Purple Verticulated Elf']
- H. 'Blue Chip' (R) 1997  
[*H.* 'Dorset Blue' × *H.* 'Dorset Blue']
- H. 'Blue Clown' (R) 1996  
[*H.* 'Dorset Blue' × *H.* 'Dorset Blue']
- H. 'Blue Ice' (R) 1987  
[*H.* 'Dorset Blue' × *H.* 'Blue Moon']
- H. 'Blue Jay' (R) 1987  
[*H.* 'Dorset Blue' × *H.* 'Dorset Blue'] 4<sup>th</sup> generation seedling\*
- H. 'Blue Sliver' [NR]  
[*H.* 'Dorset Blue' F<sub>6</sub> or F<sub>7</sub>]
- H. 'Purple Verticulated Elf' (R) 2003  
[selfed seedling of an F<sub>6</sub> seedling of *H.* 'Dorset Blue']
- H. 'Ready Eddy' [NR]  
[*H. longipes hypoglauca* seedling]
- H. 'Rhapsody in Blue' (R) 1995  
[Hybrid of *H. rupifraga*]
- H. 'Salute' (R) 1995  
*H. kikutii leuconata* × *H.* 'Tardiflora'
- H. 'The Wind Blew' [NR]  
4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> generation Tardiana\*

## Peter Ruh

- H. 'Andrew Jackson' (R) 2001  
[Parentage Unknown]
- H. 'Azure Snow' (R) 1991  
[Hybrid of *H. hypoleuca*]
- H. 'Dauntless' (R) 2002  
[*H. sieboldiana* × unknown]
- H. 'Powder Blue' (R) 1998  
[Parentage Unknown]
- H. 'Trail's End' (R) 1978  
[Parentage Unknown] *H. sieboldiana* 'Elegans'-type\*
- H. 'Ulysses S. Grant' (R) 2001  
[Parentage Unknown]

## Mildred Seaver

- H. 'Humpbacked Whale'\* [NR]  
[Parentage Unknown]
- H. 'Queen of the Seas' (R) 2001  
[Parentage Unknown]
- H. 'Sea Blue Monster' (R) 2009  
[*H.* 'Brookwood Blue' open-pollinated]
- H. 'Sea Grotto' (R) 1991  
[Parentage Unknown] *H.* 'Wagon Wheels' seedling\*
- H. 'Sea Hero' (R) 2009  
[Parentage Unknown]
- H. 'Sea Lotus Leaf' (R) 1985  
[*H.* 'Wagon Wheels' open-pollinated seedling]
- H. 'Sea Sapphire' [NR]  
[Parentage Unknown] Tokudama-type\*
- H. 'Sea Slate II' [NR]  
[Parentage Unknown]

## Kevin Vaughn

- H. 'Aqua Velva' (R) 1983  
[hybrid of an F<sub>3</sub> seedling of (*H.* 'Polly Bishop' × *H.* 'Blue Lace') × *H.* 'Summer Fragrance']
- H. 'Babbling Brook' (R) 2009  
[(*H.* 'Donahue Piecrust' × *H. pycnophylla*) × *H.* 'Regal Ruffles']
- H. 'Blue Bayou' (R) 1987  
[Hybrid of *H.* 'Frances Williams']
- H. 'Blue Blazes' (R) 1988  
[*H.* 'Blue Boy' × *H.* 'Polly Bishop']
- H. 'Mastodon' (R) 2009  
(*H.* 'Polly Bishop' × *H.* 'Blue Lace') × a sibling\*
- H. 'Nancy Gill' (R) 2009  
[*H.* 'Sum and Substance' × *H. pycnophylla*]
- H. 'Polly Bishop' (R) 1977  
[*H.* 'Frances Williams' selfed × *H.* 'Frances Williams' selfed]
- H. 'Twisted Sister' (R) 2009  
[*H.* 'Polly Bishop' × *H. pycnophylla*]

\* Mark Zilis, *The Hostapedia*

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H. 'Abiqua Drinking Gourd'

H. 'Fragrant Blue' in the Don Dean garden (below)



H. 'Blue Arrow'



## Benedict Blues



H. 'Amethyst Chip' (above)  
and H. 'Blue Jay'



H. 'Blue Ice', H. 'Amethyst Chip',  
and H. 'Blue Jay' in the garden  
of Ted Baer and Harvey Filister  
in Minneapolis, MN

H. 'Amethyst Facet'  
(below)



H. 'Salute' in Venero Gardens display beds,  
Shorewood, MN.





# More Classic Blues

## Ken Anderson

- H. 'Blue Arrow' (R) 1982  
(Paul Aden, Originator)\*  
[Parentage Unknown] Tardiana-type\*

## Maxine Armstrong

- H. 'Rough Waters' (R) 1969  
[Hybrid of *H. 'Tokudama'*]

## Anne Arett

- H. 'Bold Ruffles' (R) 1975  
[Sport of *H. sieboldiana* 'Elegans']
- H. 'Moscow Blue' (R) 1986  
[Parentage Unknown] Tokudama-type\*

## Carl Betcher

- H. 'Betcher's Blue' (R) 1986  
[Hybrid of *H. 'Tokudama'*]

## Alan Bloom

- H. 'Bressingham Blue' (R) 1984  
[Hybrid of *H. sieboldiana*]

## Bill Dress

- H. 'Bill Dress's Blue' (R) 1999  
[Parentage Unknown]

## Robyn Duback

- H. 'Bigfoot' (R) 1998  
[Parentage Unknown] *H. sieboldiana* background\*

## Larry Englerth

- H. 'Ryan's Big One' (R) 1982  
[Parentage Unknown] *H. sieboldiana* 'Elegans' selfed\*
- H. 'Wrinkles and Crinkles' (R) 1982  
[Parentage Unknown] possibly *H. 'Tokudama'* x *H. sieboldiana*\*

## Eunice Fisher

- H. 'Fond Hope' (R) 1973  
*H. sieboldiana aurea-marginata* seedling\* \*\*
- H. 'Hoarfrost' (R) 1986  
[Hybrid of *H. 'Frances Williams'*]
- H. 'Silver Bowl' (R) 1986  
[Parentage Unknown] *H. sieboldiana* seedling\*

## Julia Geisler

- H. 'Aksarben' (R) 1982  
[*H. 'Tokudama'* x *H. sieboldiana*]

## G. R. Goodwin

- H. 'Bodacious Blue' (R) 1999  
[Hybrid of *H. sieboldiana*]

## Diana Grenfell

- H. 'Silvery Slugproof' (R) 1996  
[*H. sieboldiana* x *H. 'Tardiflora'*]

## Jerry Hadrava

- H. 'Rosedale Black Ice' (R) 1999  
[*H. 'Galaxy'* x *H. 'Elegans'*]

## H. 'Rosedale Black Hole' (R) 2000

[*H. 'RD-BS'* x *H. 'RD-742'*]

## Roy Herold

- H. 'Gunsmoke' (R) 2000  
[*H. 'Sagae'* x *H. 'Grey Piecrust'*]

## Paul Hofer

- H. 'Perry's True Blue' (R) 1981  
[Parentage Unknown]  
Selected blue-leaved seedlings of *H. sieboldiana*\*

## Bob Kuk

- H. 'Bigga Luigi' (R) 2002  
[Sport of *H. 'Simply Sharon'*]
- H. 'Gray Cole' (R) 1985  
[Select form of *H. sieboldiana*]
- H. 'Rock and Roll' (R) 1998  
[Parentage Unknown] *H. 'Love Pat'* variant\*

## Reginald Kaye Nursery

- H. 'Reginald Kaye' (R) 2003  
[Parentage Unknown] Tardiana-type from 1970's\*

## Gus Krossa

- H. 'Krossa Regal' (R) 1983  
[Hybrid of *H. nigrescens*]
- H. 'Samual Blue' (R) 1981  
[Parentage Unknown]  
*H. sieboldiana* x *H. 'Tokudama'* or *H. 'Tokudama'* seedling\*

## William and Eleanor Lachman

- H. 'Full Moon' (R) 1991  
[*H. 'Blue Moon'* x *H. 'Blue Moon'*]
- H. 'Lochness' (R) 1988  
*H. 'Sea Monster'* x seedling\*
- H. 'Metallica' (R) 1991  
*H. 'Beatrice'* F<sub>6</sub> seedling x *H. 'Blue Moon'*\*\*

## Steve Moldovan

- H. 'Rembrandt Blue' (R) 1983  
Open-pollinated seedling of *H. sieboldiana* 'Elegans'\*
- H. 'Silver Frost' [NR]  
[Parentage Unknown] *H. sieboldiana* seedling\*

## Russ O'Harra

- H. 'Popo' (R) 1993  
[Parentage Unknown]
- H. 'Silver Anniversary' (R) 1999  
[Parentage Unknown] *H. sieboldiana* background\*

## Clarence Owens

- H. 'Blue Betty Lou' (R) 1987  
[*H. 'True Blue'* x *H. 'Gold Regal'*]

## David Reath

- H. 'Helen Doriot' (R) 1982  
[*H. 'Frances Williams'* x *H. 'Elegans'*]

## Henry Ross

- H. 'Witches Brew' (R) 1981  
[Hybrid of *H. sieboldiana*]



## Robert Savory

H. 'Diamond Jubilee' (R) 2006

[*H. 'Vilmoriniana'* × unknown]

H. 'Indigo' (R) 1984

[Hybrid of *H. 'Halcyon'*]

## Charlie Seaver

H. 'Deep Blue Sea' (R) 1994

[Hybrid of *H. 'Blue Moon'*]

## Van Sellers

H. 'Riptide' (R) 1987

[Parentage Unknown] *H. pycnophylla* hybrid\*

## Lucy Simperts

H. 'Something Blue' (R) 1991

[*H. 'Blue Beauty'* × *H. 'Blue Boy'*]

## Eric Smith

H. 'Buckshaw Blue' (R) 1986

[*H. sieboldiana* × *H. 'Tokudama'*]

H. 'Snowden' (R) 1988

[*H. 'Fortunei Aurea'* × *H. sieboldiana*]

## Marge Soules

H. 'Quilted Skies' (R) 1985

[*H. sieboldiana* × *H. 'Frances Williams'*]

## David Stone

H. 'Blue Boy' (R) 1986

[*H. nakaiana* × *H. sieboldiana*]

## Chet Tompkins

H. 'Lakeport Blue' (R) 1984

Selected form of *H. sieboldiana* 'Elegans'

H. 'Versailles Blue' (R) 2000

[Parentage Unknown] *H. sieboldiana* 'Elegans' background\*

## Jan van den Top

H. 'Beauty Little Blue' [NR]

[*H. 'Blue Cadet'* × *H. clausa* var. *normalis*]

## Walden West/Charles Purtymun

H. 'Abiqua Blue Crinkles' (R) 1999

[Parentage Unknown]

H. 'Abiqua Drinking Gourd' (R) 1989

[*H. 'Tokudama'* × *H. sieboldiana*]

H. 'Glacial Lake' (R) 1999

[*H. 'Sagae'* × *H. sieboldiana* 'Elegans']

H. 'Spacious Skies' (R) 1999

[Hybrid of *H. 'Sagae'*]

## Dick Ward

H. 'Am I Blue' (R) 1998

[Hybrid of *H. 'Reginald Kaye'*]

## Jim Wilkins

H. 'Millennium' (R) 1995

[*H. 'Herb Benedict'* × *H. 'Sagae'*]

\* Mark Zilis, *The Hostapedia*

\*\* *H. sieboldiana aurea-marginata* = *H. 'Frances Williams'*

## Eric Smith

### The Tardianas

H. 'Blue Belle'	TF 2 x 22	(R) 1988
H. 'Blue Blush'	TF 3 x 1	(R) 1988
H. 'Blue Danube'	TF 2 x 24	(R) 1988
H. 'Blue Diamond'	TF 2 x 23	(R) 1988
H. 'Blue Dimples'	TF 2 x 8	(R) 1988
H. 'Blue Moon'	TF 2 x 2	(R) 1976
H. 'Blue Skies'	TF 2 x 6	(R) 1988
H. 'Blue Wedgwood'	TF 2 x 9	(R) 1988
H. 'Brother Ronald'	TF 2 x 30	(R) 1988
H. 'Camelot'	TF 2 x 27	(R) 1988
H. 'Curlew'	TF 2 x 5	(R) 1988
H. 'Dorset Blue'	TF 2 x 4	(R) 1977
H. 'Dorset Charm'	TF 1 x 1	(R) 1990
H. 'Dorset Flair'	TF 1 x 4	(R) 1990
H. 'Eric Smith'	TF 2 x 31	(R) 1988
H. 'Grey Goose'	TF 2 x 13	(R) 1988
H. 'Hadspen Blue'	TF 2 x 7	(R) 1976
H. 'Hadspen Hawk'	TF 2 x 20	(R) 1988
H. 'Hadspen Heron'	TF 2 x 10	(R) 1976
H. 'Hadspen Pink'	TF 2 x 32	(R) 1988
H. 'Halcyon'	TF 1 x 7	(R) 1988
H. 'Happiness'	TF 1 x 5	(R) 1988
H. 'Harmony'	TF 2 x 3	(R) 1976
H. 'Kingfisher'	TF 2 x 17	(R) 1988
H. 'Osprey'	TF 2 x 14	(R) 1988
H. 'Purbeck Ridge'	TF 2 x 18	(R) 1988
H. 'Sherborne Profusion'	TF 2 x 21	(R) 1988
H. 'Sherborne Songbird'	TF 2 x 19	(R) 1988
H. 'Sherborne Swallow'	TF 2 x 34	(R) 1988
H. 'Sherborne Swan'	TF 2 x 29	(R) 1988
H. 'Sherborne Swift'	TF 2 x 26	(R) 1988
H. 'Wagtail'	TF 2 x 35	(R) 1988

Eric Smith shared Tardiana seedlings with friends in England: Ann and Roger Bowden, H. 'Devon Blue' (R) 1988, and Beth Chatto, H. 'Dimple' [NR]. He also sent seedlings to Heinz Klose in Germany. Twenty "German Tardianas" have been named and 18 registered. (H. 'Tardiflora' × H. 'Elegans'): H. 'Irische See'; (H. 'Dorset Charm' × H. 'Dorset Flair'): H. 'Nordatlantik'; (Tardiana' × Tardiana): H. 'Blaue Venus', H. 'Blauweise', H. 'Fulda', H. 'Fumiko', H. 'Grunsprecht', H. 'Lahn', H. 'Rhein', H. 'Tomoko', and H. 'Weser'; "Tardiana Group": H. 'Naomi'; "Seedling of Tardiana Group": H. 'Mosel'; Parentage Unknown: H. 'Blaufink', H. 'Blauglut', H. 'Glockenspiel', H. 'Silberpfeil', and H. 'Silverdale'; Unregistered: H. 'Oder' and H. 'Rosy'.



# ROHS Garden Tour

More from the Groeneveld Garden

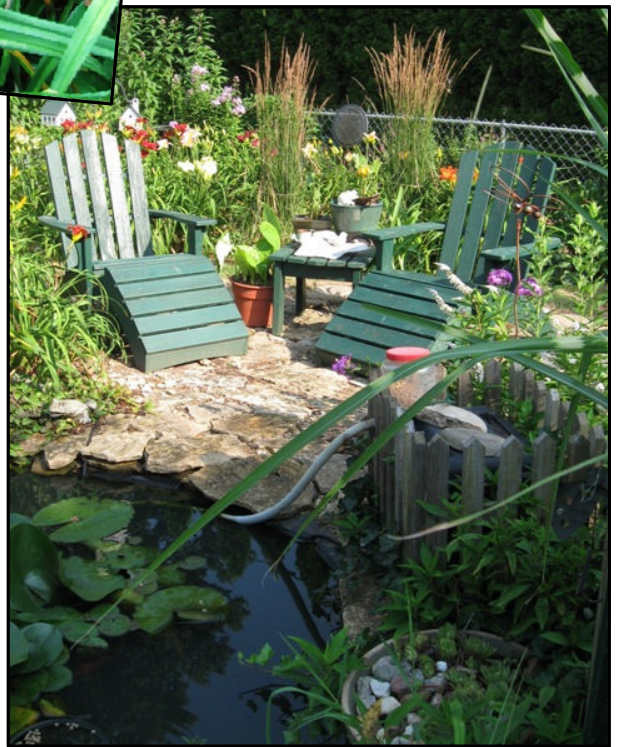


Daylilies and sun-loving perennials combined beautifully with the hostas and shade-lovers in the Groeneveld gardens.



Hosta 'Sun Power' (above)







# New Classic Blues

## Stuart Asch

H. 'Iron Curtain' (R) 2000

[H. 'Northern Halo' hybrid]

H. 'Simple Pleasure' [NR]

[Sport of H. 'Principal's List']

## Bate Aukema

H. 'Frisian Waving Steel' [NR]

[H. 'Grand Slam' x H. 'Sky Dancer']



H. 'Frisian Waving Steel'

Photo courtesy of Bate Aukema, Netherlands

## Tony Avent

H. 'Blueper' (R) 2007

[H. 'Fragrant Blue' x H. 'Halcyon']

H. 'Dixie Cups' (R) 2007

[H. 'Korean Snow' x H. 'Abiqua Drinking Gourd']

H. 'Elvis Lives' (R) 1995

[H. 'Peter Pan' x H. 'Green Fountain']

H. 'Gemstone' (R) 2005

[H. *venusta* x H. 'Dorset Blue']

H. 'Hillbilly Blues' (R) 1999

[H. 'Hadspen Blue' x H. *kikutii*]

## Bob Axmear

H. 'Waukon Water' [NR]

[Parentage Unknown]

## Bob 'Indiana Bob' Balitewicz

H. 'Bluetonium' [NR]

[H. 'Big John' selection]

H. 'Troubled Waters' [NR]

[H. 'Big John' x open-pollinated]

H. 'Yankee Blue' (R) 1999

[H. 'Blue Arrow' x H. *nigrescens* 'Elatior']

## Doug Beilstein

H. 'Abraham Lincoln'\*\*\* (R) 2009

[H. 'Super Bowl' x seedling]

H. 'Cloud Burst'\*\*\* (R) 2006

[H. 'Glory' seedling]

H. 'Connecticut River' (R) 2005

[H. 'Harvest Dandy' x H. 'Blue Blush']

H. 'Singin' the Blues' (R) 2007

[H. 'Trail's End' x open-pollinated seedling]

## Paul Black

H. 'Gentle Giant' (R) 2005

[H. 'Frances Williams' x unknown]

## Sandy Brown

H. 'Blueberry Waffles' (R) 2008

[H. 'Spilt Milk' x H. 'Abiqua Drinking Gourd']

## Monty Carlson

H. 'Arctic Blast' [NR]

[H. 'Komodo Dragon' x H. 'Elvis Lives']

H. 'Blue Cascade' (R) 2009

[white-backed form of H. *longipes* var. *latifolia* x H. 'Elvis Lives']

## Mary Chastain

H. 'Lake Superior' (R) 2001

[H. 'Lakeside Ripples' x selected blue seedling]

H. 'Lakeside Beach Bum' (R) 2001

[Parentage Unknown]

H. 'Lakeside Blue Confusion' (R) 1998

[H. 'Lakeside Sapphire Pleats' x blue seedling]

H. 'Lakeside Blue Jeans' (R) 2005

[Parentage Unknown]

H. 'Lakeside Old Smokey' (R) 2004

[unnamed seedling x unnamed seedling]

H. 'Lakeside Sapphire Pleats' (R) 1996

[Parentage Unknown]



Tony Avent's H. 'Gemstone' nestled into the perfect spot in Paula Lehtola's Bridgestone, MA garden



## Ian Chrystal

### H. 'Bedford Blue' [NR]

[*H. hypoleuca* × *H. 'Halcyon'*]

## Don Dean

### H. 'Astral Bliss' (R) 2009

[*H. 'Cutting Edge'* × unknown]

### H. 'Her Eyes Were Blue' (R) 2008

[*H. 'Frosted Dimples'* × *H. 'Sea Frolic'*]

### H. 'Geneva Remembrance' (R) 1996

[Hybrid of *H. 'Big Daddy'*]

### H. 'October Sky' (R) 2008

[*H. 'Frosted Dimples'* × *H. 'Salute'*]

### H. 'Parisian Silk' (R) 2009

[white-backed form of *H. longipes* var *latifolia* × *H. 'Dorset Blue'*]

### H. 'Pewterware' (R) 1999

[*H. 'Urajiro Hachijo'* × *H. 'Blue Moon'*]

### H. 'Raucous Ruffles' (R) 2008

[(*H. 'Color Fantasy'* × *H. 'Love Pat'*) × *H. 'Fluted Fountain'*]

### H. 'Silver Bay' (R) 1999

[*H. 'Silver Frost'* × *H. 'Blue Moon'*]

### H. 'Subterranean Pool' (R) 1999

[*H. 'Urajiro Hachijo'* × *H. 'Blue Clown'*]

### H. 'Titanium' (R) 2000

[*H. 'Urajiro Hachijo'* × *H. 'Blue Clown'*]



H. 'Titanium' in the Adams garden

## Emile and Jane Deckert

### H. 'Blue Baron' (R) 2005

[Parentage Unknown] Tardiana traits\* H.

### 'Majordomo' (R) 2004

[Parentage Unknown] Tardiana-type\*

### H. 'Planet X' (R) 2005

[Parentage Unknown] Tardiana traits\*

## H. Deshane

### H. 'Allegan Emperor' (R) 2000

[Hybrid of *H. nigrescens*]

## George Donsky

### H. 'Lily Blue Eyes' (R) 2007

[*H. 'Salute'* × *H. 'Azure Snow'*]



A First Look award winner - H. 'Lily Blue Eyes' is named for George's granddaughter

## Dirk Dupré

### H. 'Andorian' (R) 2009

[Parentage Unknown]

## Rick Goodenough

### H. 'Frank Lloyd Wright' [NR]

[*H. 'Outrageous'* × open-pollinated]

## Hideko Gowen

### H. 'Blue My Mind' (R) 2003

[*H. 'Dorset Clown'* × unknown]

### H. 'Cutting Edge' (R) 1999

[*H. 'Salute'* × *H. pycnophylla*]



Hideko Gowen's classic, H. 'Cutting Edge'



# ROHS Garden Tour

Teresa Vokoun and Ed Siems

“Asher Creek Haven”



Daylilies in raised beds along the long, sunny driveway welcome visitors to the Vokoun - Siems gardens.

Below, thyme and coreopsis fill a rock-lined garden nestled near the garage.



The abundant blues and greens of hostas provide a cool visual contrast to the bright colors of the daylilies.







**On the left, the walkway to the couple's new gazebo that is 'suspended' in mid-air amongst the trees.**



# New Classic Blues

## Hans Hansen

- H. 'High Tide' (R) 2005**  
[*H. longipes* f. *latifolia* × *H. 'Dorset Blue'*]
- H. 'Neptune' (R) 2006**  
[(*H. 'Maekawa'* × *H. 'Halcyon'*) × *H. 'Salute'*]
- H. 'Prairie Sky' (R) 2005**  
[(*H. rupifraga* × *H. 'Maruba Iwa'*) × *H. 'Blue Jay'*]
- H. 'Restless Sea' (R) 2006**  
[Hybrid of *H. 'Salute'*]
- H. 'Silver Moon' (R) 2007**  
[*H. 'Maekawa'* × *H. 'Blue Moon'*]

## S. Hottovoy

- H. 'Eola Sapphire' (R) 2004**  
[Parentage Unknown (seed from Walden West)]

## Bill Janssen

- H. 'Purple Haze' [NR]**  
[Parentage Unknown]

## Greg Johnson

- H. 'Blue Haired Lady' (R) 2004**  
[*H. yingeri* × unknown]
- H. 'Moonlight Sonata' (R) 2004**  
[*H. 'Invincible'* × *H. 'Northern Halo'*]
- H. 'Mystic Star' (R) 2004**  
[*H. yingeri* × *H. 'Dorset Blue'*]
- H. 'Rhythm and Blues' (R) 2004**  
[*H. 'Shining Tot'* × unknown]



Greg Johnson's *H. 'Rhythm and Blues'*  
in the Venero garden

- H. 'Shady Affair' (R) 2003**  
[*H. 'Invincible'* × unknown]
- H. 'Topaz' (R) 2004**  
[*H. 'Neat Splash'* × *H. 'Dorset Blue'*]

## H. 'Twilight Time' (R) 2004

[*H. 'Spritzer'* × unknown]



H. 'Twilight Time' in the Adams garden

## Rod Kuenster

- H. 'Beer Belly Blues' (R) 2006**  
[seedling × seedling]
- H. 'Blue Belly' (R) 2006**  
[*H. 'Dorothy Benedict'* seedling × *H. 'Dorothy Benedict'*]

## John Kulpa

- H. 'White Undies' [NR]**  
[Parentage Unknown]

## Theo Leydens

- H. 'Theo's Blue' [NR]**  
[*H. pycnophylla* hybrid]

## Jeroen Linneman

- H. 'Valley's Blue Buggle' (R) 2008**  
[*H. 'Kifukurin Ubatake'* × unknown]
- H. 'Valley's Cinnamon Sticks' (R) 2008**  
[*H. 'Kifukurin Ubatake'* × unknown]

## Ron Livingston

- H. 'Atomic Elvis' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Atom Smasher'* × *H. 'Elvis Lives'*]
- H. 'Blue Dogwood' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Elvis Lives'* hybrid]
- H. 'Childhood Fantasy' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Elvis Lives'* × *H. 'Blue Cadet'*]
- H. 'Conquistador' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Fragrant Blue'* × *H. kikutii*]
- H. 'Cosmic Blue' [NR]**  
[*H. yingerii* hybrid]



**Ron Livingston (continued)**

- H. 'John Henry's Shadow' [NR]**  
[*H. 'John Henry'* x *H. 'Blue Shadows'*]
- H. 'Preconceived' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Red Neck Heaven'* hybrid]
- H. 'Predominance' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Spritzer'* x *H. sieboldiana* 'Elegans']
- H. 'Prescribed' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Fried Green Tomatoes'* x *H. 'Silver Shogun'*]
- H. 'Ritz' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Spritzer'* x *H. sieboldiana* 'Elegans']
- H. 'Self-assured' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Atom Smasher'* x *H. 'Salute'*]

**Rod Lysne**

- H. 'Jotunheim' (R) 2006**  
[*H. 'Versailles Blue'* x *H. 'Tokudama Flavocircularis'*]

**Bill Meyer**

- H. 'Blueberry Muffin' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Frances Williams'* x *H. 'Fall Bouquet'*]
- H. 'Gay Paree' [NR]**  
[*H. 'High Kicker'* x *H. 'Azure Snow'*]
- H. 'Katana' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Mikawa-no-yuki'* x (*H. 'Mikawa-no-yuki'*  
x *H. sieboldiana* 'Elegans')]

**Frank Nyikos**

- H. 'Awakening Angel' (R) 2005**  
[*H. 'Mikawa-no-yuki'* x *H. 'Uncle John'*]
- H. 'Little Boy' (R) 2001**  
[*H. 'Big Daddy'* x *H. 'Love Pat'*]
- H. 'Little Brother' (R) 2008**  
[*H. 'Mikawa-no-yuki'* x *H. 'Uncle John'*]
- H. 'Powderpuff' (R) 2002**  
[*H. 'Halcyon'* x *H. 'Blue Dimples'*]



A grouping in the Adams garden with *H. 'Powderpuff'* in the foreground

- H. 'Pro Tek Tor' (R) 2007**  
[*H. 'Little Boy'* open-pollinated]
- H. 'Uncle John' (R) 2000**  
[*H. 'Blue Splendor'* x *H. 'Halcyon'*]

**Piet Oudolf**

- H. 'Moody Blues' [NR]**  
[Tardiana hybrid]

**David Parks**

- H. 'Betsy' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Blue Angel'* hybrid]

**Olga Petryszyn**

- H. 'Amos' [NR]**  
[*H. 'Big John'* hybrid]
- H. 'Blue Hawaii' (R) 1999**  
[[*H. 'Bengee'* x *H. 'Sagae'*] x *H. 'Tokudama Aureonebulosa'*]



*H. 'Blue Hawaii'* – an Olga classic

- H. 'Chesapeake Bay' (R) 2004**  
[[*H. 'Maui Rains'* x *H. 'Blue Arrow'*] x *H. 'Blue Betty Lou'*]
- H. 'Coal Miner' (R) 2010**  
Bred from a lineage of 8 hostas\*\*\*
- H. 'Gitchigumi' (R) 2010**  
[[(*H. 'Sagae'* x *H. 'Tokudama Aureonebulosa'*)  
x (*H. 'Sun Power'* x *H. 'Gold Regal'*)]  
x (*H. 'Sagae'* x *H. 'Tokudama Aureonebulosa'*)]
- H. 'Gotham' (R) 2009**  
[*H. 'Great Plains'* x *H. 'Sea Prize'* seedling]
- H. 'Great Plains' (R) 1994**  
[*H. 'Sagae'* x *H. 'Tokudama Flavocircularis'*]



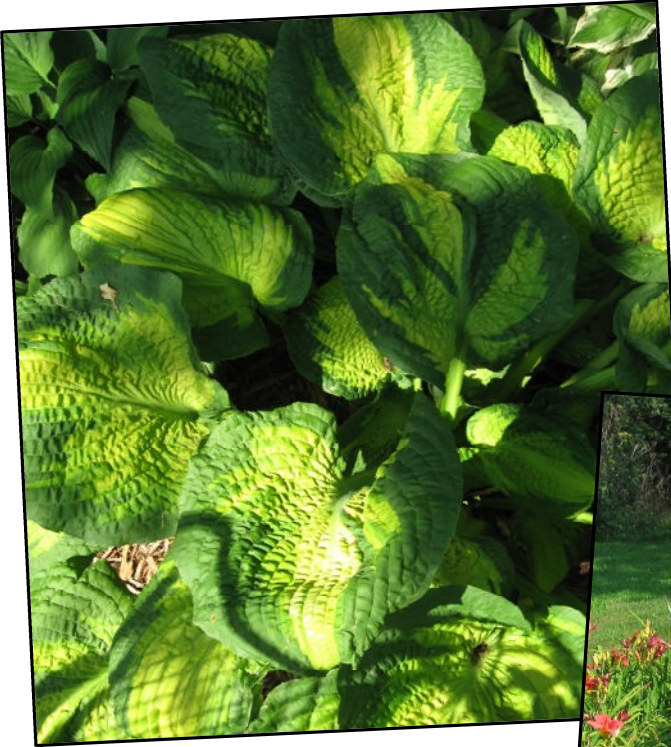
*H. 'Great Plains'* in the garden of Bob & Diane Adams, East Greenwich, Rhode Island

- H. 'Mississippi Delta' (R) 1998**  
[*H. 'Sea Gold'* x *H. 'Golden Torch'*]



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# New Classic Blues

Loleta Powell

H. 'Website' (R) 1999

[H. 'Love Pat' × H. 'Puckered Giant']



This young H. 'Website' will be heavily puckered at maturity.

Photo courtesy of Roger Kinchen

Dennis Savory

H. 'Bitsy Blue' (R) 2005

[H. 'Indigo' × H. 'Bitsy Green' seedling]

Rick Sawyer

H. 'Blue Dolphin' [NR]

[H. 'Sea Mermaid' seedling]

H. 'Ice Prancer' [NR]

[H. 'Reptilian' seedling]

H. 'Reptilian' [NR]

[Seedling selection]

Altarra Scheer

H. 'Fleet Week' [NR]

[H. 'Niagara Falls' hybrid]

Ed Schulz

H. 'Bam Bam Blue' (R) 2009

[seedling of unknown origin]

H. 'Beat This Blue' (R) 2002

[Parentage Unknown]

Ron Simmering

H. 'Bix Blues' (R) 2002

[H. 'Halcyon' × H. 'Elegans']

Barry Sligh

H. 'Kiwi Blue Baby' (R) 1999

[H. 'Halcyon' × H. 'Halcyon']

H. 'Kiwi Hippo' (R) 1999

[H. *hypoleuca* × H. *longipes*]

Bob Solberg

H. 'Baby Blue Eyes' (R) 2006

[H. 'Cody' × H. 'Dorset Blue']

H. 'Barbara May' (R) 2004

[(H. *pycnophylla* × H. 'Harvest Dandy') × (H. 'Blue Arrow' × H. 'Sea Fire')]

H. 'Blue Monday' (R) 1998

[H. 'PeeDee Gray Mulkin' × H. 'Popo']

H. 'Blueberry Cobbler' (R) 2009

[H. 'Iwa Soules' × H. 'Blue Blush']

H. 'Blueberry Tart' (R) 2005

[H. 'Blue Cadet' × H. 'Fall Bouquet']

H. 'Carolina Blue' (R) 2000

[H. 'Halcyon' × H. 'Riptide']

H. 'Deane's Dream' (R) 2000

[H. 'Blue Arrow' × H. 'Sea Fire']

H. 'Moongate Flying Saucer' (R) 1996

[H. 'Serendipity' × H. 'Blue Blazes']

H. 'Nate the Great' (R) 2003

[H. *nigrescens* × H. 'Tokudama Aureonebulosa']

The Longianas:

H. 'Spring Shower' (R) 2007

H. 'Summer Squall' (R) 2007

H. 'Thunder Boomer' (R) 2007

[(H. *sieboldiana* × H. 'One Man's Treasure') × open-pollinated]



Bob Solberg's not often seen H. 'Barbara May' in the St. Paul, MN garden of Kim Larsen

Rachel Soucek

H. 'Steve Moldovan' (R) 2004

[H. 'Blue Vision' × H. 'Fantastic']

Josh Stadden

H. 'More Elegant' (R) 2001

[Select form of H. *sieboldiana*]

Bev & Dave Stegeman

H. 'Skylight' (R) 2001

[(H. 'Dorothy Benedict' × H. *montana macrophylla*) × unknown]

H. 'Smoke Signals' (R) 2008

[H. 'Salute' × H. 'Carolina Blue']

Kent Terpening

H. 'Ribbon Dancer' [NR]

[Parentage Unknown]



**Danny Van Eechaute**

**H. 'Dewed Steel' (R) 2006**

[Parentage Unknown]

**H. 'Flemish Sky' (R) 2004**

[Parentage Unknown]

**H. 'Sky Dancer' (R) 2003**

[H. 'Paradise Red Delight' x unknown]

**Chick Wasitis**

**H. 'Judy Blue Eyes' [NR]**

[Tardiana hybrid]

**H. 'Purple Rain' (R) 2008**

[H. 'Uncle Albert' x H. 'Halcyon']

**Brian White**

**H. 'Yarden Blue Surfer Boy'**

[H. 'Blue Boy' hybrid]

**Ray Wiegand**

**H. 'Viking Ship' [NR]**

[H. 'Komodo Dragon' seedling]



H. 'Viking Ship' at Chuck & Sue Anderson's Mason Hollow Nursery in Mason, NH

**H. 'Ultramarine' (R) 2003**

[H. 'Sea Lotus Leaf' x H. *kikutii leuconata*]

**H. 'Venetian Blue' (R) 2003**

[(H. 'Tardiflora' x H. 'Marilyn') x H. 'Tardiflora']

\*\*Listed as Doug Beilstein & Mark Zilis, Originators

\*\*\*From Olga Petryszyn's website



A look at the leaves and petioles of Arthur Wrede's H. 'Mr. Blue'

**Arthur Wrede**

**H. 'Mr. Blue' (R) 2005**

[Parentage Unknown]

**Mark Zilis**

**H. 'Azuretini' (R) 2009**

[golden yellow sport of H. 'Blue Dimples' x H. 'Shining Tot']

**H. 'Stormy Seas' (R) 2004**

[H. 'Frances Williams' x (H. 'Marilyn' x H. 'Tardiflora')]

**H. 'Tidewater' (R) 2003**

[H. *kikutii leuconata* x H. *sieboldiana* 'Elegans']

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