



Collection Selection

Veltheimia bracteata

A rare plant from the jungle area of South Africa. It is grown from a bulb. Blooms early April with kniphofia-like flowers that are a coral pink color. Plants grow about 3' tall. Winter-growing, the leaves dye back in summer, and the new leaves appear in late-summer to autumn, after a short period of dormancy.

- ◆ **This plant requires shade**
- ◆ **Takes regular water**
- ◆ **Blooms hold their color for up to a month**
- ◆ **Blooms are irresistible to hummingbirds**
- ◆ **Takes acid to neutral, humus-rich, well-drained loamy soil**
- ◆ **Protect from snails & slugs**

