

Chionanthus virginicus

Fringetree, Grancy Graybeard



Small tree or multi-stemmed shrub with fragrant, showy flowers in early spring. The blue fruit sets in summer, persists into fall and is a food source for birds. Excellent for the woodland garden, border, or as a specimen plant. This species has its best flowering and foliage with the morning sun and afternoon shade. It does well in most soil types, from occasionally wet to dry.

Height 15' – 25'

Spread: 6' – 10'