Potential Skin Irritant or Toxicity

The plants below have caused reactions in people, ranging from mild skin irritation to even death in isolated cases. This list is strictly cautionary. We suggest you research the specific plants listed to know more about them and any potential for harm. The absence of a plant on this list does not imply or suggest that the plants that aren’t on this list are safe to consume. Eat ornamentals at your own risk!

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*** Inhalation of flowers

ANNUALS & TENDER PERENNIALS

Begonia boliviensis
‘Bonfire Chocolate Red’

Begonia **

Coleus **

Dahlia **

Lantana

Senecio confusus ‘Orange’ **

PERENNIALS

Abutilon **

Achillea millefolium

Aconitum

Agapanthus africanus

Agave **

Anemone **

Artemisia absinthium ‘Lambrook Silver’

Asclepias incarnata ‘Cinderella’

Arum italicum

Brugmansia ***

Convallaria majalis

Cordyline australis

Digitalis purpurea

Dianthus caryophyllus

Erigeron speciosus

Euphorbia **

Helleborus

Iris

Polygonatum biflorum

SHRUBS

Gardenia jasminoides ‘Summer Snow’

Sambucus racemosa ‘Sutherland Gold’

Senecio greyi

HERBS

Chamaemelum nobile (Chamomile)

Polygonum odoratum (Vietnamese Coriander)

Rumex acetosa (Sorrel)

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