

## **Star Flower Scorpio** (*Illicium* 'Scorpio')

This is an evergreen shrub with large, bright red flowers blooming multiple times throughout the year. It is compact in shape and size. The shrub will reach 2 to 3 feet and grows well in the Atlanta area. The scent of the flower is similar to anise (licorice).



**Plant Care:** It does best in partial shade and moist, highly organic soil; tolerating shady, damp, and wet sites well. Water often until established. Thrives in rain gardens and damp areas.

### **References:**

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