

THE AUGUST FLOWER

THE GLADIOLUS

FLORAL FACTS

- One says a gladiolus but a bouquet of gladioli.
- It is sometimes called “sword lily” because of the shape of the green leaves. Besides, gladius means sword in latin.
- This flower can grow up to the height of a small human being (one and a half metres in length).
- Its trumpet shaped flowers come in every colour of the rainbow apart from blue. Lime green, pink, yellow, red...
- It blossoms from June to July and is considered as the August flower.



FLORAL QUOTES TO INSPIRE YOU

- *“If you look the right way, you can see that the whole world is a garden.”*
Frances Hodgson Burnett
- *“A flower does not use words to announce its arrival to the world; it just blooms.”* Matshona Dhliwayo
- *“Flowers are the music of the ground. From earth's lips spoken without sound.”*
Edwin Curran



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