



Magnolia 'Elizabeth'



Height	5-8 (10) m
Width	4-6m
Crown	broad conical, dark, dense crown, capricious growing
Bark and branches	brown, grey
Leaf	green
Flowers	soft yellow, flowers in May
Fruits	inconspicuous
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	clayed soil, loamy soil, sandy soil, peaty soil, acid soil
Paving	tolerates partial paving
Winter hardiness zone	6 (-23,3 to -17,8 °C)
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6)
Application	avenues and broad streets, small gardens
Shape	clearstem tree

Medium-size tree with a regular pyramidal crown of 5 - 8 (10) m. The first flowers open around early May and the blossoms persist for about 3 weeks. The flowers are vase-shaped and somewhat crescent-shaped. They are strikingly big, sometimes up to 20 cm long. The flowers are a soft yellow, so they stand out well against the dark green, sprouting leaves. 'Elizabeth' was one of the first yellow-blossoming Magnolias developed in New York's Brooklyn Botanic Garden. The cross was created in 1956, but was named in 1978 after Elizabeth Scholz, the garden's director at that time.