Variegated Shell Ginger



Very easy to grow! Lush tropical look great with banana trees and Mandevilla.

Alpinia zerumbet 'Variegata'

- <u>Use</u>: Fast growing tropical look is gorgeous when planted with Mandevilla and Petunias.
- <u>Exposure/Soil</u>: Grows best in some shade but can tolerate full sun. Prefers Southwestern exposure.
 Mulch heavily around the plant in the fall.
- <u>Growth</u>: Can grow 5' to 6' and tolerates winter temperatures into the 20deg Fahrenheit.
- <u>Hardiness</u>: 7b-11, tender perennial, houseplant
- Foliage: Makes a beautiful foliage plant with outstanding yellow variegation.
- **Flower:** Following warm winters produces large pendent inflorescence with white and pink porcelain like flowers. Flowers are like the regular shell ginger.