



# Monji Plant Profile

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## Yesterday-Today-and-Tomorrow

*Brunfelsia pauciflora floribunda*

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<u>Hardiness</u>	<u>Exposure</u>	<u>Soil</u>	<u>Water</u>	<u>Flowers</u>	<u>Height</u>
Zones 12-17, 20-24, H1, H2	Partial shade	Rich well drained soil	Regular watering	White throated, rich dark purple tubular flowers	Plant will reach 10 feet

With flowers opening purple, then turning pale lavender and finally white, yesterday-today-and-tomorrow is an aptly named little shrub. The pansy-like flowers have white throats, are about 2 in (5 cm) across and borne in profuse clusters (cymes, actually) of up to 10 blossoms, displayed all over the plant. Flowers of all three colors are present from spring through the end of summer. Yesterday-today-and-tomorrow gets 3-8 ft (0.9-2.4 m) tall with several stems, an open, airy habit, and a spread of 2-5 ft (0.6-1.5 m). The leaves are leathery and semi-evergreen, 3-6 in (8-16 cm) long, dark green above and pale beneath.

Several cultivars are available: 'Eximia' is the most typical form, commonly found in cultivation and usually referred to simply as yesterday-today-and-tomorrow. 'Floribunda' is smaller with more abundant flowers, and 'Macrantha' has larger flowers and is lacking the white throat.