



Tilia ×flavescens 'Glenleven'



Height	18 - 25 m, fast growing
Crown	round, half-open crown
Bark and branches	grey, with shallow grooves
Leaf	round to heart-shaped, glossy dark green, 6 - 10 cm
Flowers	in umbels, Ø 7 - 10 cm, 5 - 10 together, yellowish, June/July, fragrant flowers
Fruits	round, Ø approx. 0.6 cm, greyish brown, felt-like hair
Spines/thorns	None
Toxicity	usually not toxic to people, (large) pets and livestock
Soil type	all
Paving	tolerates paving
Winter hardiness zone	5a (-28,8 to -26,1 °C)
Wind resistance	good
Other resistances	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind
Fauna tree	resistant to frost (WH 1 - 6), can withstand wind, valuable for butterflies
Application	avenues and broad streets, parks, squares, cemeteries, large gardens, windbreaks
Shape	clearstem tree
Origin	Sheridan Nurseries, Etobicoke, Ontario, Canada, 1962
Synonyms	<i>Tilia cordata</i> 'Glenleven'

A Canadian selection from *T. x flavescens* that grows vigorously when young but less so when older. Develops a uniform, round crown with a perfectly straight trunk and ascending branches. It reaches a height of 18 - 25 m and a width of up to approx. 15 m. The glossy, dark green leaves are bare underneath and remain a nice green until late in the summer and remain on the tree long into the autumn. The leaf edge has rough lobes. Profuse flowering begins in late June. The hybrid *T. x flavescens* is very probably a cross between *T. cordata* and *T. americana* and is not cultivated hardly anywhere anymore. 'Glenleven' is a cultivar that came onto the market in Europe fairly recently and with which there has been little experience as of yet. Highly resistant to the heat of an urban environment.