

**Tulip Poplar**  
*Liriodendron tulipifera*



**Habit and Form**

- a large, deciduous tree
- easily reaches 70' to 90' tall
- large trees to 150' or more are common
- ovate to pyramidal when young
- older trees become more irregular
- trunks of old trees often branchless for quite a distance up
- trunks are massive

**Culture**

- has a fleshy, poorly-branched root system
- prefers a deep, moist, fertile soil
- slightly acidic soil is best, but not required
- avoid very dry, hot sites
- full sun