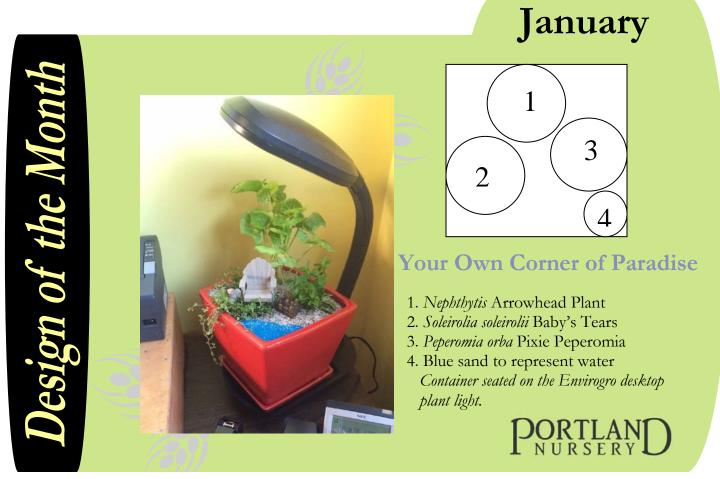
RECIPE CARD FOR THE CONTAINER OF THE MONTH FOR JANUARY

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Steps:

- 1. Fill your container 2/3 of the way with all-purpose Potting Soil such as E.B. Stone Edna's Best.
- 2. Mix some fertilizer into the soil in the container. We have always had exceptional results with E.B. Stone Sure Start and Osmocote.
- 3. Moistening the soil so that it is damp is an important step if your potting soil is old or on the dry side. Most fresh bags of soil should take up water evenly when you water the plants.
- 4. Plant your container. It helps to gently loosen the root of each plant to enhance root development.
- 5. Fill the nooks and crannies with moist potting soil.
- 6. Top dress with sand, using blue sand in the corner for the water at your beach.
- 7. Select furniture and accessories to complete your beach scene.
- 6. Water your newly planted container thoroughly and enjoy!

Substitutions:

Sometimes you cannot find the exact cultivated variety we have listed above. Luckily there are substitutions that will offer a similar or even preferred look. Check out our 2-4" houseplant starters for inspiration.

Care and Maintenance:

The plants in this container are perfect for an office desk when seated under the light or in a window with bright, indirect light. Water thoroughly when the top inch of soil is dry.