



Anemone Blanda Blue Shades and Aстранtia – Jacqueline van der Kloet/Colorblends.com

In early mid spring, a planting of Anemone blanda 'Blue Shades' (Greek windflower) is beautifully framed by the foliage of emerging Aстранtia. Six-inch tall Anemone blanda is prized for its blue or white daisy-like flowers and cute upward-facing leaves. "When choosing plants to pair with spring bulb flowers, look for compatible perennials that fill out early in spring and offer interest in color, texture and size." says Dutch garden designer Jacqueline van der Kloet. A good companion will also mask bulb foliage as it dies back after bloom, she adds. For more on combining spring bulbs and perennials, visit BulbDesignNotes.com, a garden design project from Colorblends.com.

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