

## HICKORY (*Carya tomentosa*)



Hickories are suitable for medium to large areas. Their leaves are green in summer, and turn yellow in the fall. The bark is rough and thin, and forms an almost net-like pattern with its shallow furrows and narrow ridges. If unaffected by drought, the tree will produce barely edible nuts encased in a thick shell. The Hickory exhibits a moderate growth rate, and prefers well-drained soil and partial to full sun. In favorable soil conditions, the tree can grow as high 100', but more commonly is 50'-60' in height, with a canopy width of usually no more than 40'.