



**White
Chinese
Ground
Orchid**

Bletilla striata alba

A solid white form of this gorgeous terrestrial orchid. The attractive pleated foliage emerges in very early spring followed by stems covered with 1"-2" pure white orchids. They bloom for up to 6 weeks in March-April. Bletillas thrive in a moist, humus-rich soil, but they also will tolerate sunnier, drier locations. They bloom best when crowded, and the best time to divide them is early spring. Prefers light shade.