

# PYRUS communis 'WILLIAMS'

Williams' Bon Chretien, Williams' Good Christian. Williams pear , pear William



Grafted pear. White flower, cultivar selected for its quality of fruit.



**Maintenance advice:** At the end of winter, cut off any incumbent branches, to ventilate and maintain a harmonious and balanced form. Shorten any branches too long at a young age and then every 4-5 years to rejuvenate. For trellised forms, in summer, reduce spring shoots by 2/3 in length, leaving 5-6 leaves per branch, and at the end of winter cut down any twigs of more than 15cm long, to just above the third bud from the base.



**Botanical/Horticultural origin:** Horticultural origin : breeder John Stair, Aldermaston (GB) around 1796, named by the nurseryman, Williams.



**Use group:** Fruit Trees



**Height at 10 years:** 4 m



**Width at 10 years:** 3 m



**Growth:** Medium



**Fragrance:** No



**Exposure:** Full sun



**Evergreen/Deciduous:** Deciduous



**Shape:** tree like



**Colour of leaves:** Green



**Colour of flowers:** White



**Soil type:** Indifferent



**Uses:** Fruit tree, Free standing specimen,

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