

# So Long For Now!



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The last of the monarchs are now leaving the southern part of our region. Many of the adults you saw this summer will now travel thousands of miles to Mexico. There they will spend the winter huddled with countless other monarchs.

This incredible migration is one reason that monarch conservation has to be a collaborative effort. These butterflies need access to flowering plants to fuel them on their journey. You can help by ensuring your garden has native late-flowering plants to feed any monarchs who might happen to stop by.