Daylily vs Lily

Daylily (Hemerocallis)

- Only bloom for a day.
- The blossoms are edible for humans.
- Bumpy edges on petals.
- Grows in clusters.
- Petals taper from stem.
- Smaller anthers.
- Smaller tip on stamen.
- Long, flat strap-shaped leaves that grow in clumps from the base of the plant.



Lily (Lilium)

- Can last up to a week and often used as a decoration.
- All parts are toxic to humans.
- Smooth edges.
- Grows alone.
- Petals immediately fan from stem.
- Larger anthers.
- Bigger tip on stamen.
- Heavily fragranced.
- Leaves grow the entire length of the stem in a spiral pattern.

