



# Sage Advice from the Roundhouse... Gray Natives for the Moonlight Garden

The following list of native plants contains some of the most beautiful, drought-adapted native foliage available. To feature these plants in your landscape, combine several species including trees, shrubs and groundcovers for a silvery garden that glows in the moonlight. For a more subtle gray-green theme, choose a few of these plants to scatter throughout the landscape to complement and contrast with evergreen foliage. On a smaller scale, use them as accents in the garden, to light up a dark corner, to fill in an empty space, or to drape in front of a colorful wall or dark fence.

Abutilon palmeri	Desert Mallow	woody perennial, apricot flowers, velvety leaves
Agave americana	Century Plant	long-lived succulent perennial, large rosette
Arctostaphylos 'Lester Rowntree'	Manzanita	large shrub, small tree, pink flowers, red berries
Arctostaphylos glauca	Big Berry Manzanita	large shrub, small tree, dark red bark
Artemisia pycnocephala	Beach Sagewort	perennial groundcover, soft foliage, carpet-form
Artemisia tridentata	Great Basin Sagebrush	medium upright shrub
Atriplex lentiformis	Coastal Quailbush	medium spreading shrub
Baileya multiradiata	Desert Marigold	annual, many large bright yellow flowers
Brahea armata	Blue Hesper Palm	medium tree
Ceanothus leucodermis	Whitebark Ceanothus	large, fast-growing shrub, bluish-white flowers
Ceanothus spinosus	Greenbark Ceanothus	large, fast-growing shrub, bluish-white flowers
Cercidium floridum	Blue Palo Verde	small deciduous desert tree, bright yellow flowers
Cleome isomeris	Bladderpod	medium spreading shrub, yellow flowers often
Corethrogyne californica	California Aster	perennial groundcover, lavender flowers
Dendromecon harfordii, rigida	Bush Poppy	large shrub, many bright yellow flowers often
Dudleya hassei, pulverulenta, virens	Live-Forever	succulents, flowers on long stalks
Encelia farinosa	Brittlebush	small mounding woody perennial, yellow sunflowers
Eriogonum cinereum	Ashy-Leaf Buckwheat	spreading perennial, white-pink flowers
Eriogonum crocatum	Conejo Buckwheat	small perennial, bright yellow flower clusters
Eriogonum giganteum	Saint Catherine's Lace	tall, woody perennial, large white flower clusters
Eriophyllum confertiflorum	Golden Yarrow	small perennial, bright yellow flower clusters
Hunnemannia fumarifolia	Mexican Tulip Poppy	small perennial, many large, bright yellow flowers
Leymus 'Gray Dawn'	Creeping Wildrye	spreading perennial grass
Lupinus chamissonis	Dune Lupine	medium woody perennial, lavender flower spikes
Mahonia nevinii	Nevin's Mahonia	large evergreen shrub, yellow flowers, good screen
Opuntia littoralis	Coastal Prickly Pear	low-growing cactus, spiny pads, wildlife value
Perityle incana	Guadalupe Island Rock Daisy	small, woody subshrub, yellow flower clusters
Pinus edulis	Pinyon Pine	small evergreen tree, slow-growing, attractive
Quercus engelmannii	Mesa Oak	large evergreen tree, rare, specimen
Rhamnus 'Bonita Linda'	Coffeeberry	large evergreen shrub, berries, good screen
Salvia apiana	White Sage	medium woody sub-shrub, tall flower spikes, striking
Salvia leucophylla	Purple Sage	mounding, spreading shrub, lavender flower spikes
Sphaeralcea ambigua	Apricot Mallow	small perennial, deep orange flowers
Yucca whipplei	Our Lord's Candle	striking perennial, magnificent bloom
Zauschneria 'Wayne's Silver'	Silver California Fuschia	spreading perennial, tubular red flower

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