



# FRAXINUS GREGGII


## Little Leaf Ash

 Low to moderate water

 Full sun to part shade

 Rabbit resistant

 Deer resistant

 Native to N. Mexico, SW U.S.

### Why we love it...

Little Leaf Ash is a hardy evergreen that can be grown as a large shrub or a small tree. The shrub form requires little to no pruning to maintain, and it's low, multi-branching habit serves as an ideal screen or landscape foundation.

Training Little Leaf Ash into a small tree has benefits as well, especially since there are so few clean and green patio-sized trees that do well in the Southwest! Removing lower branches reveals attractive grey bark that can be showcased in raised planters or containers for a dramatic impact. Place them near pools, patios or entryways for extra shade and architectural interest.



**Lydia says:** Though considered to be evergreen in Tucson, Little Leaf Ash will shed old leaves briefly in spring before fresh new growth emerges.

### Evergreen Tree: *Fraxinus greggii*

**Size (H x W):** 15-18 feet x 10-15 feet

**Blooms:** Inconspicuous, spring

**Exposure:** Full sun to part shade

**Hardiness Zone:** 10° F, USDA Zone 7

**Water:** Low to moderate

**Pruning:** January

**Growth Rate:** Moderate to slow



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