

Castilleja minor

Lesser Indian Paintbrush

Family: Scrophulariaceae
Genus: Castilleja
Species: Minor
Height: 6" to 16"
Blooms: April to August
Elevation: 3,000' to 7,500'
Habitat: Moist places around springs and brooks
Flowers: Conspicuously bracted terminal spike
Leaves: Lance-linear, alternate
Range: Arizona (Navajo, Coconino, and Mohave counties to Greenlee, Cochise, Santa Cruz, and Pima counties), southwestern New Mexico, northern Mexico.
Notes: Photos taken in Lime Creek area in May 2004.



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