

Prunus lyonii

Catalina Cherry

LARGE SHRUB, SMALL TREE -
evergreen.

10 - 40' high, 15'+ spread.

Columnar form.

Clean, glossy green leaves with
smooth margins.

Cremy white flowers in long slender
clusters - March to June.

Native habitat: chaparral - Channel
Islands.

Full sun to part shade.

Frost resistant.

Drought tolerant once established,
but deep watering 1 x /month
improves appearance and
growth.

Can be sheared as hedge or pruned as
specimen.

Good background, screen.

Birds attracted to fruits.

Resistant to oak root fungus.

Plant with caution - it can hybridize
with *Prunus ilicifolia*



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