

Penstemon centranthifolius

Scarlet Bugler

HERBACEOUS PERENNIAL

To 4' high, 3' spread.

Erect stems.

Narrow gray-green leaves.

Showy scarlet flowers - April to July.

Native habitat: chaparral; dry disturbed places below 6500' - Baja California to central California.

Full sun to part shade.

Frost resistant.

Coarse or sandy soil best.

Little or no water necessary, but will take some.

Can naturalize.

Attracts butterflies and hummingbirds.

Can be cut back after blooming.



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