

Clematis pauciflora

Small-leaf Virgin's Bower

PERENNIAL WOODY, TWINING VINE
- deciduous.

Climbs to 20'+ over fences and shrubs
and into trees.

Leaves have from 3 to 9 toothed leaf-
lets.

Flowers creamy with 30 to 50 stamens
- January to June.

The fruit is showy with long feathery
styles.

Native habitat: coastal sage scrub, dry
chaparral below 4300' - Little
San Bernardino Mountains to Baja
California.

Full sun to partial shade.

Best in well drained soil.

Needs very little water.

Arbor cover, screen.



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