Mexican Buckeye



Botanical Name: Ungnadia speciose

Type: Tree

Height: 8-12 feet, cold reach 30 feet

Light: Sun, shade

Moisture: Drought tolerant but could stand moist soil

Soil: Any well drained

Blooms: Fragrant pink/purple 1 inch flower in spring. One of our most beautiful ornament trees.

Light green leaves unfold with flowers in early spring then turn a clear golden yellow in fall. This lovely small tree grows with multiple trunks with an irregular crown. It's spring bloom of pink flowers provide excellent bee food to produce an excellent honey. It is very tolerant of limestone soils and is a common tree in Central and West Texas where it is found in moist, rugged settings.

Propagate with untreated seeds