

**COMMON NAME:**  
SILVER NIGHTSHADE

**SCIENTIFIC NAME:**  
SOLANUM ELAEAGNIFOLIUM

**ALSO CALLED:** SILVERLEAF NIGHTSHADE, SILVER HORSE NETTLE, BULL NETTLE, AND DESERT NIGHTSHADE

**FLOWER COLOR:** PURPLE  
**LEAVES:** NARROW WAVY-EDGED GRAY-GREEN TO ABOUT 4"  
**FLOWER ARRANGEMENT:** SEVERALLY ON ENDS ON STEMS OF BRANCHES  
**NORMAL SIZE:** 12" TO 24"  
**FLOWERING TIME:** MAY TO OCTOBER  
**NORMAL ELEVATION:** 1000' TO 5000'  
**HABITATION:** ROADSIDES AND DISTURBED FIELDS  
**ABUNDANCE:** COMMON

**NOTABLE DETAILS:** HERBACEOUS WITH WAVY GRAY-GREEN NARROW LEAVES AND PURPLE FLOWERS

**SPECIAL INTEREST:** BEAUTIFUL LITTLE PLANT AND PEST TO FIELDS