

**COMMON NAME:**  
SHEPHERDS PURSE

**SCIENTIFIC NAME:**  
CAPSELLA BURSA-PASTORIS

**ALSO CALLED:** LADY'S PURSE, CASE-WEED, PICKPOCKET, AND SHEPHERD'S BAG

**FLOWER COLOR:** WHITE  
**FLOWER ARRANGEMENT:** AT ENDS OF BRANCHES  
**FLOWERING TIME:** JANUARY TO APRIL  
**LEAVES:** MOSTLY BASAL AND TYPICAL MUSTARD-LIKE  
**NORMAL SIZE:** UP TO 3'  
**NORMAL ELEVATION:** UP TO 8000'  
**HABITATION:** EVERYWHERE  
**ABUNDANCE:** COMMON

**NOTABLE DETAILS:** HERBACEOUS PLANT WITH MUSTARD LEAVES AND TRIANGULAR SEEDPODS AND TINY WHITE FLOWERS

**SPECIAL INTEREST:** EDIBLE GREENS