

COMMON NAME:
RANGE RATANY

SCIENTIFIC NAME:
KRAMERIA PARVIFOLIA

ALSO CALLED: KRAMERIA ERECTA, PURPLE HEATHER, AND PIMA RHATANY

FLOWER COLOR: ROYAL PINK
FLOWER ARRANGEMENT: SPREAD ALL OVER NEW GROWTH
FLOWERING TIME: APRIL TO JUNE
LEAVES: SMALL ELLIPTICAL
NORMAL SIZE: UP TO 3'
NORMAL ELEVATION: UP TO 4000'
HABITATION: DESERT PLAINS
ABUNDANCE: COMMON

NOTABLE DETAILS: BUSH WITH FLOWERS THAT APPEAR TO HAVE FOUR PETALS ON ONE SIDE AND ONE SLIGHTLY LARGER OPPOSITE AND THREE GREENISH YELLOW SEPALS WITH THORNY BRANCH POINTS AND FUSED FLOWER PETALS

SPECIAL INTEREST: FLOWERS USED AS DYE FOR CLOTH AND POTTERY