

**COMMON NAME:**  
FRAGILE BLADDER FERN

**SCIENTIFIC NAME:**  
CYSTOPTERIS FRAGILIS

**ALSO CALLED:** BRITTLE FERN, FRAGILE FERN, AND BOTTLE FERN

**LEAVES:** COMPOUND POINTED ALONG VINY BRANCHES  
**NORMAL SIZE:** 12" TO 36" VINY  
**NORMAL ELEVATION:** 6000' TO 10,000'  
**HABITATION:** MOIST SHADY HILLSIDES  
**ABUNDANCE:** COMMON

**NOTABLE DETAILS:** VINY FERN WITH POINTED LEAVES

**SPECIAL INTEREST:** SMALL DELICATE LIGHT GREEN BEAUTY