

Beaucarnea Recurvata (Ponytail Palm)



Beaucarnea gracilis is an attractive member of the subfamily Nolinaceae of the family Asparagaceae native to partial-desert areas in Mexico. Its name "gracilis", meaning "slender", is misleading, as its trunk is especially bulbous. It was formerly known as *Nolina gracilis*.
Origin and Habitat: *Beaucarnea gracilis* is an endemic species of the semiarid Tehuacan Valley, Puebla, Oaxaca, Mexico.



