



**Western Mock Orange**  
*Philadelphus lewisii*

A mid-height, multistemmed deciduous shrub to 10 ft. Masses of fragrant, bright white flowers in long clusters in late spring.

To control size and keep flowers low on the shrub, prune oldest individual canes to the base after flowering. Highly recommended for the shrub border. Considered to be the best ornamental mock orange in the U.S. Cultivars are available.

Drought tolerant/Grows in full sun, part shade or shade/Food source for native butterfly caterpillars/Food source, shelter or nesting sites for birds/Food source for native wildlife or rodents/Among species considered to be the most valuable wildlife plants.

Links:

Flower close up: <http://oregonstate.edu/dept/ldplants/phle4.htm>

Leaf/flower arrangement: <http://oregonstate.edu/dept/ldplants/phle3.htm>

In a border: <http://oregonstate.edu/dept/ldplants/phle1.htm>