



PENSTEMON BARBATUS SCARLET BUGLER

This penstemon blooms from June to October with scarlet-red tubular flowers that hummingbirds find irresistible. The shrub has gray-green leaves to 5 inches long. Common to roadsides, hardwood and coniferous forests of the southwestern U.S. at elevations from 4,000 to 10,000 feet, this plant is hardy to -30° F. It prefers partial shade during hot summers. As with all penstemons, this plant demands good drainage and will rot out if overwatered. It reseeds in the landscape.

AT A GLANCE SUMMARY	
SIZE (H X W)	1 foot x 1 foot
FLOWER COLOR	Red
FLOWER SEASON	Summer into Fall
EXPOSURE	Full to Part Sun
WATER	Low
GROWTH RATE	Fast
HARDINESS	-30° F, USDA Zone 4
PRUNING	Remove Spent Flowers



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