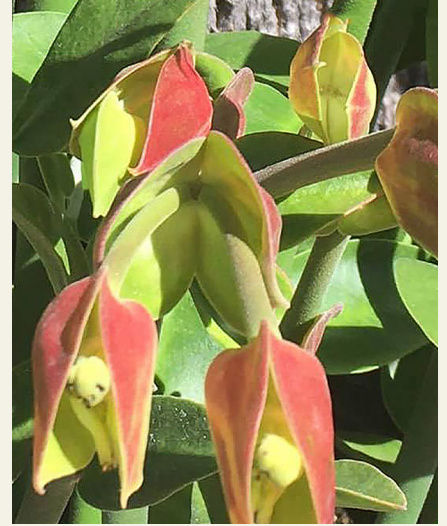





Pedilanthus bracteatus

BIG LEAFED LADY SLIPPER

Big leafed lady slipper plants grow from a basal clump forming many bright chartreuse colored vertical, snaking stems. These are larger plants than *P. macrocarpus* Lady Slipper, with the ability to reach 6 or more ft. in height, and they are more easily distinguished by large, oval succulent leaves that grow from the top of each stem. In late summer to fall, their stems are topped with bright orange interesting blooms that take the shape of a lady's slipper. They tolerate heat and grow well in full shade, which benefits the foliage, but will diminish flowering. Not particular of soil type, but do require well-drained soils. They require little to no maintenance. Popular as wild-looking accent plants for minimalistic mass plantings in the shade. Note that these plants will exude a white milky sap that can be a skin irritation for some, so take care to use gloves when pruning.




DESCRIPTION

 4-6 FT. HIGH & WIDE

 FULL TO PART SUN

 9-11

 MEXICO

 ORANGE

 LOW

 TO 25°F