

**Botanical Name:** *Geijera parviflora*  
**Common Name:** Australian Willow  
*guy-JER -uh par-vi-FLOW-ruh*

## TREE



Spring



Summer



Fall



Winter

**Family:** Rutaceae  
**Origin:** Australia  
**Climate Zone:** USDA 9-11, Sunset 8, 9, 12-24  
**Mature Height:** 20-30 feet  
**Mature Width:** 20-30 feet  
**Plant Type:** Evergreen  
**Growth Habit:** Arching or weeping with a low canopy  
**Growth Rate:** Slow  
**Flower Color/Details:** Clusters of small, fragrant, five-pointed white stars with fleshy yellow centers  
**Flower Season:** Spring through fall  
**Bark:** Rough, dark brown or light green  
**Fruit:** Small, green capsule in summer  
**Foliage:** Medium green and aromatic  
**Use:** Trouble-free patio, street, or grove tree; light shade tree or specimen  
**Floral:** Unknown  
**Wildlife/Beneficials:** Wide variety of insects  
**Deer Resistant:** No  
**Fire Resistant:** Yes  
**Medicinal Uses/Edible:** Unknown  
**Adverse Factors:** Flower fragrance has been described as musky, fetid, and cloyingly sweet. Resists oak root fungus

**Soil:** Clay, loam, or sand, well-drained  
**Exposure:** Full sun to light shade  
**Water Requirements:** Moderate, drought tolerant.  
**WUCOLS Water Needs:** M M L M M M  
**UC Davis Arboretum All-Star:** No  
**Description:** Long-lived, fine-textured tree that combines the grace of a willow with the toughness of a Eucalyptus. Main branches sweep up and out, while smaller branches hang down. Cold hardy to 15-20 degrees F  
**Maintenance:** Needs pruning only to shape, when grown in full sun, without shading. Prune when young to reduce the many upright branches to a few well-spaced ones.



#15 Nursery Container