

Made In Idaho: Idaho's Endemic Plant Species

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Lewisia sacajaweanana (photo by Kay Beall)

Did you know there are plant species that occur in Idaho and nowhere else in the world? This presentation will introduce you to some plant species that call only Idaho home. Each one of these Idaho endemics has a story to tell. Some are among the rarest members of the Idaho flora.

Michael Mancuso has 30 years of field experience with the Idaho flora. Based out of Boise, he worked for the Idaho Department of Fish and Game's Conservation Data Center for 15 years before moving on to freelance botany work. His career has included rare plant conservation projects throughout Idaho, and to a lesser degree in adjacent states. Many of the projects were related to plant species endemic to Idaho. Michael has a M.N.S. degree in Biology with a concentration in botany from the University of Idaho. He is currently in the second year of his term as president of the Idaho Native Plant Society.



Oxytropis besseyi var. *salmonensis*



Phlox idahonis (photo by Karen Gray)

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**Join us in the Lecompte Auditorium on the 2nd floor of the
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