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Greigia sphacelata



Common name: Chupón, Billbergia sphacelata

Height: 2m

Growing: slow

Foliage: evergreen

Flowers / Fruits: fruits, very sweep as pineapple

Site: sun to partial shade

Soil: acidic to slightly alkaline

Irrigation: abundant

Hardiness: hardy -15°C

Long description: Greigia produces a fine rosette of Pineapple-like bright green foliage consisting of very long and very narrow, arching leaves fringed with tiny sharp spines. Dense heads of rose-coloured flowers are borne in the centre of the plant, which will be followed by sweet, pulpy edible fruits.

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