PLANT FACT SHEET

Strelitzia caudata R. A. Dyer

GENUS *Strelitzia* **FAMILY** Strelitziaceae

COMMON NAMES Mountain stretlitzia, False wild banana

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Stem

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It keeps growing from year to year. The leaves are in tufts at the tips. The flowers are white and light mauve.

HABITAT

A tropical and subtropical plant.

PICTURES



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