PLANT FACT SHEET

Anthericum ramosum L.

GENUS *Anthericum* **FAMILY** Asparagaceae

COMMON NAMES St. Bernard's lily

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Bulb

It is crushed and eaten with bread.

DESCRIPTION

A lily bulb plant. It grows 30-70 cm tall. The leaves are grass like and 50 cm long by 2-6 mm wide. It has a branched flower spike. The flowers are white with yellow anthers.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It can grow in limestone soils. It grows from sea level to 1,600 m above sea level.

NOTES

It has also been put in the families, Anthericaceae and Liliaceae.

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