Agavaceae (Agave)	Order: Liliales	Glossary of Botanical Terms
Common Names	**Scientific Name**	**LV: leaves; FL: flowers; FR:fruit; ST:stem; EC:ecology**
Desert agave	Agave deserti	**LV:** basal, linear, whole, thorns, apex-acuminate, >12"; **FL:** 6 parts, yellow, head flat-topped, spring/summer; **ST:** >6'; EC: desert, edible ST
Century plant	Agave parryi	**LV:** basal, lanceolate, fleshy, thorns, >12"; **FL:** 6 parts, yellow; **EC:** desert;/grassland, edible ST
Schott agave	Agave schottii	**LV:** basal, lanceolate, whole, fibers, apex acuminate, >6"; **FL:** 6 parts, yellow, >1", spring/summer/fall; **FR:** capsule, <1"; **ST:** >6'
Wild hyacinth (Atlantic camas, eastern camas)	Camassia scilloides	**LV:** basal; **FL:** 6 parts, blue; **EC:** roadside
Sotol (desert spoon)	Dasylirion wheeleri	**LV:** basal, lanceolate, thorns, fleshy, >12"; **FL:** 6 parts, white/green/brown, spring/summer; **FR:** samara; **ST:** >12'; EC: desert/grassland, edible ST
Beargrass	Nolina microcarpa	**LV:** basal, linear, whole, serrate, apex acuminate, >12"; **FL:** 6 parts, green/brown, raceme, spring; **ST:** shrub; **EC:** grassland/fields
Narrow-leaved yucca	Yucca angustissima	**LV:** lanceolate/linear; **FL:** white, raceme, pendant long stalk; **FR:** capsule, seed black; **EC:** [GrandGulch]
Soaptree yucca	Yucca elata	**LV:** lanceolate, spiny-toothed, apex acuminate, >12"; **FL:** 6 parts, white; **ST:** tree, >6'; **EC:** desert, edible FL FR
Spanish bayonet (Adam's needle and thread, Adam's needle, common yucca, bear-grass, needle-palm, silk-grass, spoon-leaf yucca)	Yucca filamentosa	**LV:** basal; **EC:** grassland/fields/roadside
Harriman's yucca (Spanish bayonet)	Yucca harrimaniae	**LV:** basal, lanceolate, fibrous, apex acuminate, >12"; **EC:** [CapitolReefNP]
Our Lord's candle (chaparral yucca, Spanish bayonet, Quixote yucca, foothill yucca)	Yucca whipplei	**EC:** [SequoiaNP]
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