



## **Calliandra californica**

Fairy Duster

Shrub

Sun

Moderate water

Origin: California

This is a lacy, open habit, evergreen shrub that grows 6 feet high and wide. It is a California native. Very old specimens can form a miniature tree. The red tassel like flowers bloom in spring and sporadically into fall.

Little pruning is needed. The natural habit is vase shaped with arching stems. Stems are long and flexible when young and can be grown on a wall or fence as an espalier.