

Mexican Persimmon

Diospyros mexicana



An incredible, tough, native small tree that looks like a miniature Live Oak with its 20' by 25' umbrella shape, dark green foliage, and rough bark. It's also known for its fabulous sculptured trunks. The female tree produces 1-½ brownish-black fruit that the birds and wildlife adore. The Mexican Persimmon is very drought tolerant once established and also can handle occasional flooding. It's deciduous. You normally need a male and female in order to get fruit. Full sun and a well-drained location.