

## Cascabela Thevetia, Yellow Oleander, Bitti (Yellow) - Plant



Cascabela thevetia is cultivated widely as an ornamental. Its common name is yellow oleander, and it is also called lucky nut in the West Indies.

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Description

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Common name	Flower colours	Bloom time	Height	Difficulty
Kaner., Thevetia neriifolia flava, Cascabela thevetia, thevetia peruviana, lucky Nut Yellow, Bitti Yellow, Yellow Oleander, Trumpet Flower, Be Still Tree, Bitti, Pilvalakanhera, Pil-kaner, Kolka-phul, Pachaiyalari, Pachchaganeru, Pila-kanera, Kadukasi, Manja Areli, Berenjo	yellow	April-September	Up to 3 metres.	Easy.

### Planting and care

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Sunlight	Soil	Water	Temperature	Fertilizer
Full sun to part shade.	Standard mix of well drained	When in growth water often	Warm.	Fertilize regularly during the

sand and peat.

and allow plants to remain moist. When not actively growing, water plants sparingly and allow to dry out between watering.

growing period.

## Caring for Cascabela Thevetia

Yellowing of new leaves indicates over watering.

## Harvesting

Cascabela thevetia is cultivated as an ornamental plant, and planted as large flowering shrub or small ornamental tree standards in gardens and parks in temperate climates. In frost prone areas it is container plant, in the winter season brought inside a greenhouse or as a house plant. It tolerates most soils and is drought tolerant

## Typical uses of Cascabela Thevetia

### Special features:

**Ornamental use:** Used as an ornamental plant in landscapes, in parks, and along roadsides.

**Medicinal use:** Nerium has various medicinal uses and the leaves and flowers are thought to have actions as tonic, cardio tonic, diaphoretic, diuretic, emetic and expectorant. Leaves and flowers are also used to treat malaria and as traditional medicine it induces the termination of embryo. The tincture or decoction is been used externally to reduce swelling and scabies. The root powder is an external remedy for hemorrhoids and ulcers around genitals. Leaves and bark is treated as insecticide, rat poison and parasitic. The plant of Indian oleander is thought to possess anti-cancerous activities.

## References

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