

Wa? de t'i·?mi?



It Grows Here

Native Plants of the Tahoe Basin

Wašišiw Guwa?

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Šugilaʔci (shoo-gil-ah-tsee)

Arrowleaf, Balsamroot, Sunflower

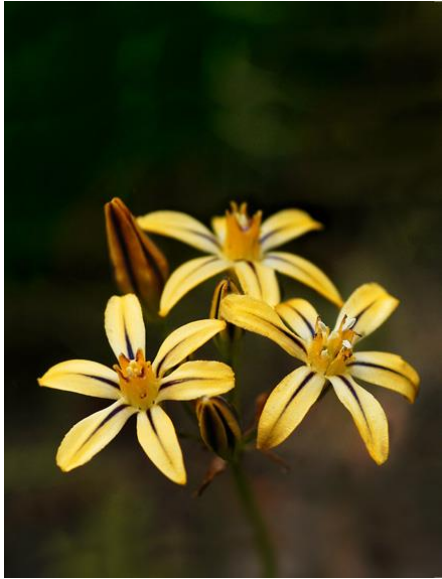
Balsamorhiza Sagittata



Šugil (shoo-gill)

Wooly Mule's Ear

Wyethia Mallis



Du·ni (Dune-ee)

Golden Brodiaea

Brodiaea ixioides var. *lugens*



Ma·hal (Mah-hall)

White brodiaea

Brodiaea hycinina



Ko·kši (Ko-k-she)

Lily, Mariposa Lily

Calochotus



Bo·po (Bohpo)

Rabbitbrush

Chrysothamnus



Silaćahu (silah-tza-hoo)

Tiger Lily

Lilium Parvum



Mahat'alal (Ma-hat-alal)

Cattail- *Typha latifolia*

Mahat'alal lo-po- brown part



ćoyʔa (tsoyah)

Scirpus lacustris



Me-gal (Meg-ell)
Indian Tea, Mormon Tea
ephedra viridis



Dewdilek or Mošan
Indian Paintbrush
Castilliga, red



Pećumeli? (petz-umel-eeh)

Wild Rose

Rosa woodsii



There are four different types of lupin used in the area:

Delem, damla·kim, bada·?ći, and wada·ša?



Geweʔmukuš
(Geh-weh-mu-kush)
Snow plant
Sacodes sanguinea



Wemšiʔ (wemsheeh)
Common yarrow
achillea



Nanolwa? (nan-hole-wah)

Golden Currant

ribes aureum



Mu·?aluji (moo-all-ung-eeh)

Wild strawberry

Fragaria Virginian



Šuwetik (shu-wet-uk)
Western Service Berry
Amelanchier



Ćamdu (tz-ahm-do)
Western chokecherry
Prunus virginiana var. demissa



Ba·du? (bah-dooh)

Blue Elderberry

Sambucus glauca



Bado·po (ba-doe-po)

Corn Lily *veratrum californicum*



K'o·mho (kh-om-ho)

Cow Parsnip

Heracleum lanatum



Diteš ʔemlu (dit-esh-emloo)

Peppermint

Menthus



Šawa? mo·ba? (shaw-wa-mo-bah)

Pinemat Manzanita

Arctostaphylos nevadensis



?Eyey? (eye-eye)

Green Manzanita

Arctostaphylos patula



Tuya·gimhu (too-yah-gum-hoo)

Western Peony

Paeonia brownii



?Uli·panza

(oolee-ponza)

Watercress

Barbarea orthocerus



Pu·yewli (puh-yew-leeeh)

Western Blue Flag

Iris missouriensis



Bo·šdi (bosh-dee)

Wild Onions

Allium canadense



Himu (him-oo)

Willow

Salix spp.



Megi-geš (meh-gee-gesh)

Bracken Fern Root

Pteridium aquilinum



Da·bal (dah-ball)
Big sage
Artemisia tridentate



Balṅaṅcaṅ (bal-nga-tzang)
Bitterbrush
Purshia tridetata



Dime? de-guš (dimeh-day-goosh)
Water Hemlock
Cicuta occidentalis



Da-hal (dah-hall)
Sand Seed
Mentzelia albicaulis



Sewit yogil (seh-woot-yagool)

Sierra Gooseberry

Ribes roezlii



Wašiw Baŋkuš (Washiw bang-kush)

Wild Tobacco

Nicotiana attenuate



Beheziŋ taša? (behezinq tash-ah)

Aspen

Populus tremuloides



Simt'agim (sim-tdah-gum)

Nano·mba? (sugar from the tree)

SugarPine

Pinus lambertiana



ʔItmahawaʔ (itmah-ha-wah)

Cedar

Libocedrus decurrens



P'a-l (pbal)

Juniper

Juniperus Osteosperma



T'agim (tdah-goom)

Pinion Pine tree

Pinus monophylla



Debu·bu·yi? (deh-boo-boo-yeeh)

Ponderosa Pine

Pinus ponderosa



Ma·daš dewdiʔiš
(mah-dash dow-dee-esh)
Jeffrey Pine
Pinus jeffreyi



Šalaʔ- pitch



Tʼagim ya·kaʔ- cone



Boyoŋ (boy-ang)
Pine needle



Dašik (dah-shook)
Locust



Go·ci- (go·tsee)
Yellow Jacket



Ge·šu- (geh-shoo)
Earthworm



Ćiki (tsoo-koo)-
Spider



Ći·bel (tsee-bell)
Louse



Gu·giši?(goo-gisheeh)
Flea



Pago·?tumhu (pah-goh-tumhoo)
Grasshopper



Palo·ʔlo (pah-lo-lo)
Butterfly



Yagil tayuŋi (yagool tye-ungee)
Carpenter Ants



ʔA·ni
(awnee)
Ant



Ćo·šiniʔ
(ts-oshing-eeh)
fire ant



daši·naʔi
(dah-shina-ee)
sugar ants



K'awandada? (Kga-wan-da-dah)
Desert turtle



Gowgow
Canadian goose



Dilek
Duck



ćikikhu (tsuk-tsuk-hoo)
Pelican



Go-ta? (go-tah)
Frog



?Imgi (im-gee)
Cut throat



K'i·ki·di? (kee-kee-deeh)
Silver fish



Bakwanhu
Sucker fish



Mede·ćili? (meh-deh-tsileeh)
Minnow



ʔUćiliʔ(oo-tsu-leeh)
Chipmunk



Ba·sat
Red Squirrel



Pawawʔli
Grey squirrel



Pašaʔ
Bushy tailed wood rat



Pu·šalaʔ
House mouse



Ćimelhel(tsim-mel-hel)
Beaver



Pewećeli (peh-wets-illy)
Weasle



Pelew (pell-ew)
Jack Rabbit



Ćali?
Cottontail



Miki? (mooh-key)
snowshoe rabbit



Tupipiwi? (to-pipi-eweh)
Skunk



Diteš (ditish)
Prairie Dog



Bagumdalŋi
(bagoom-dal-ngeh)
Bat



Sewit (seh-woot)
Porcupine



Memdewi Demesu-yi?
Mule deer



Mayna?(mi-ngah)
Fawn



?O-gal
Mt. Goat



?Ayis (eye-iss)
Antelope



Mide? (moo-deh)
Black bear



Taba? (tah-bah)
Grizzly Bear



Du·mšeygal (dum-shay-gal)
Bob Cat



Hili·za? (hil-eezah)
Mt Lion



Waćiha
(wats-eeha)
Fox



Gewe
(geh-we)
Coyote



tu·li·ʒi
(to-lee-zhee)
Wolf



Maʔki (mah-keeh)
Rattlesnake



Mušgulhu (mooshgul-hoo)
Watersnake



Patal̥niʔ (pah-taw-ngee)
Eagle



Maʔwi (mah-wee)
Hawk



Huʔim (hoo-zhum)
Buzzard



Dimim (dim-oom)
Owl



Taʔtat (tah-tat)
Magpie



ćašu (tsah-shoo)
Pinion Jay



Si·su ti·yeli?
Meadow Lark



ċi·yuk (tsee-yuk)
Sage Grouse



T'etil
Valley quail



maduma?ti
Mt. quail



?a?a
Crow



Tebe? gum si·su
Sparrow

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The Lake Tahoe region is the center of the Wašiw people.

This book shows some of the plants and animals that are from our area. The Wašiw people continue to utilize their resources as well as pass on the knowledge to their children. The plants featured in this book are used for food, medicine and building materials.

**Lew di·gum bedugemset huya? Dit ᅇawa,
Dime? i·da dewt'e?eš diwey?i aᅇaw hulew
Di ᅇami·?miᅇ lewe**

*We will help each other to protect and preserve our land, water
and air for generations to come*

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