

# **Black Bead**

***Pithecelobium keyense***



**Family: Fabaceae**

**Native Range: South Florida, Keys and Caribbean Islands and Central America**

**Description: Evergreen shrub 8 to 15 ft.**

**Flowering season: Spring and Summer**

**Exposure: Full sun to partial shade**

**Moisture: Moist to average  
Highly Salt Tolerance**

**USDA Hardiness Zone: 10-11**

**Host to the Cassius Blue and Large Orange Sulphur butterflies**

