



Tillandsia Butzii Care

T.butzii is an epiphytic plant that grows naturally in the southern region of Mexico and throughout Central America.

- **Water:** Lightly mist your tillandsia air plant 3 to 4 times per week (morning hours). Once per week, quickly shower air plant. If severely dry, place the plant upside down in a container of shallow water to soak for 5 to 10 minutes. This will rehydrate your plant. **Note:** The butzii does not like to be soaked for prolonged periods of time and is susceptible to rot.

After shower or soak, gently shake off the excess water and let plant completely dry (upside down) in an area with good air circulation for 3 to 4 hours. It needs to completely dry to prevent rot.

- **Fertilize:** Add a little orchids, bromeliad, or tillandsia fertilizer only to filtered water or tap water. No need to add to rain water...nutrients are already present.
- **Light:** The butzii grows best in bright indirect light. Artificial grow light is a good alternative. Avoid direct, intense sunlight. The heat significantly deplete moisture and dry out the air plant.

Tips: Filtered or rain water is best for tillandsia butzii. Tap water is okay depending on the condition of your local water source. Avoid distilled water. Air plants require at least 50% air humidity with proper air circulation.

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