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Pelargonium quercifolium

[Synonyms : *Pelargonium karrooense*]

OAK-LEAVED GERANIUM is a subshrub. Native to South Africa it has incense smelling leaves and small darker-marked, purplish-pink flowers.

It is also known as Almond geranium, Oakleaf geranium, Oak-leaved pelargonium, Staghorn oak geranium, and Village oak-geranium; and in flower language it is said to be a symbol of true friendship

Quercifolium is derived from the genus name *Quercus* and *-folia* (leaved) components meaning ‘with leaves like those in that (oak) genus’.