

FLOWERS IN CRETE



Gladiola (*gladiolus italicus*) grows in the Mediterranean, Asia and South America. Its color is pink, white etc. It grows to 40 cm tall.



The rose (rosa) grows in Europe, North America and Africa. Its color is pink, white and all the colours of the rainbow. It grows to 10-12 cm tall.



The cretan iris (*iris cretensis*) grows in Crete. Its color is purple or blue and yellow with white. It grows to 40 cm tall.



The crown anemone (anemone coronaria) grows in the Mediterranean. Its color is pink, white, purple and red. It grows to 20-40 cm tall.



The bitumen pea grows in the Mediterranean. Its color is purple. It grows to 10-12 cm tall.



The bastard (malotira) grows only in Crete. Its leaves are green and the flowers yellow and white. It grows to 70 cm tall. Used as a tea it can help against cold, cough and many other problems.



The rock tulip grows only in Crete. Its color is pink,
and it grows to 10 cm tall.



The bougainvillea grows only in South America, Peru, Europe and Brazil. Its color is pink, purple, white and yellow. It grows to 1-12 m tall.

