



Gleanings

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(articles and photos selected from chapter newsletters, our journal **Gesneriads**, and original sources)

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This issue includes photos from the 66th Annual Convention Flower Show of The Gesneriad Society recently held in Richmond, Virginia.

Hope you enjoy **Gleanings!**

Mel Grice, Editor



Some photos from the 2023 Gesneriad Society's 66th Annual Convention Flower Show in Richmond, Virginia, are shown on the following pages.

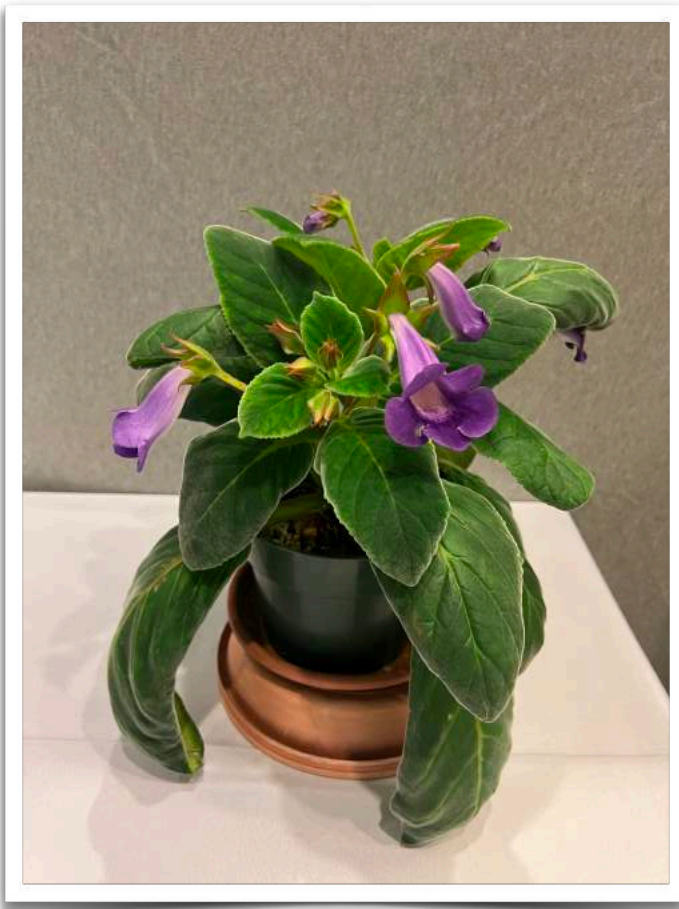


Photos by Mel Grice
(except where noted)



Pearcea abunda
exhibited by Bob Stewart





Sinningia speciosa Avenida Niemeyer

This plant is an example of the form of *Sinningia speciosa* that grows along the coastal road called Avenida Niemeyer in the southern part of the Rio de Janeiro city. The molecular genetic study published by Tomas Hasing et al. in 2019 showed that of the ~20 wild collections of *S. speciosa* included in the analysis, plants from the Avenida Niemeyer population are the closest living relatives of extant cultivated "Florist's gloxinias."

Sinningia speciosa Avenida Niemeyer
Dave Zaitlin

Primulina 'Minnie Pearl'
Barbara Borleske





Kohleria 'Dale's Furry Fox'
Eileen McGrath



Pearcea species (Ecuador)
Karyn Cichocki

Saintpaulia 'Rob's Wascally Wabbit'
Johnnie Berry



"Love Charm"
Best in Artistic
Judy Zinni



Paul Susi photo

Eucodonia 'Delaware'
George Kloppe



Smithiantha 'Dale's Clownfish'
Karyn Cichocki



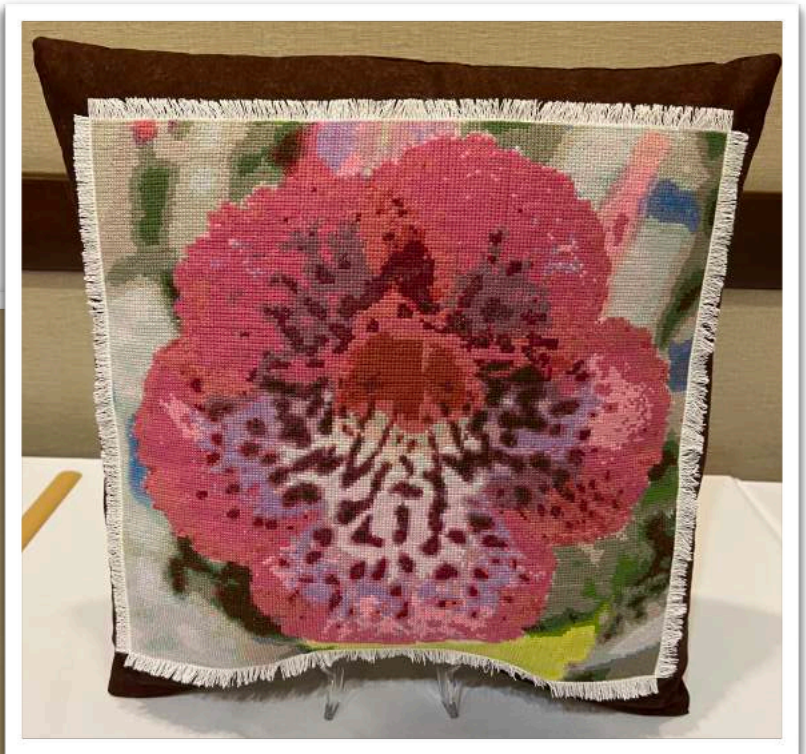
Pearcea hypocyrtiflora
Ray Coyle



Saintpaulia 'Ness' Crinkle Blue'
Kitty Hedgepeth



Achimenes 'SRG's Hugues Aufray'
Mel Grice



Sinningia seedling Cross-stitch
Throw Pillow - Brandon Erikson

Paul Susi photo

Sinningia 'Peachy Propeller'
Dave Zaitlin



Primulina collection - Barbara Borleske



Color Print of a whole gesneriad plant
Primulina chizhouensis
Stephen Maciejewski



Paul Susi photo



