

# Bald-Cypress



**Description:** these iconic symbols of southern swamps can reach 130 ft & live up to 600 years and are distinctive for their buttressed bases & 'knees'; leaves are borne on deciduous branchlets.

**Family:** Cupressaceae

**Scientific name:**  
*Taxodium distichum*

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