

Oenothera biennis

COMMON EVENING PRIMROSE BASTARD EVENING-PRIMROSE GERMAN RAMPION (Evening Primrose Family)

in the **Peacock Prairie** at the **James Woodworth Prairie Preserve**



Flowers 1-2" wide, with a prominent cross-shaped stigma in the center. Below the flower is a long, slender calyx tube, and the sepals are usually bent backward. Flowers in spikes or racemes. Flowers wide open at twilight; pods 4 times longer than broad; leaves lance-shaped, wavy-edged and slightly toothed. 1-6' high. (30-183 cm)

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