

5. **Lepanthes disticha** (Rich. & Gal.) Garay & R. E. Schultes,
comb. nov.

Pleurothallis disticha Richard & Galeotti in Ann. Sci. Nat., sér. 3, 3
(1845) 16.

For more than a century, this obscure concept was included in the genus *Pleurothallis*. Recent investigation, however, has shown it to belong definitely to *Lepanthes*.

The accompanying plate of *Lepanthes disticha* was prepared from *Nagel et Monzón 6754*.