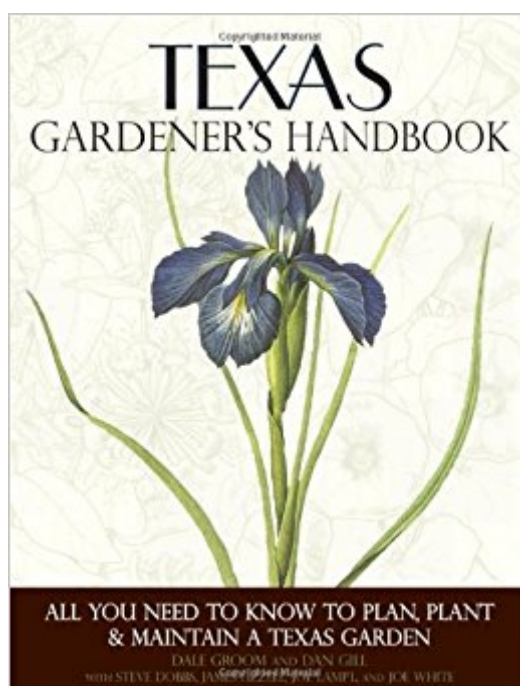


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# Texas Gardener's Handbook: All You Need To Know To Plan, Plant & Maintain A Texas Garden



## Synopsis

Texas Gardener's Handbook is filled with need-to-know information from popular Texas gardening experts. Each includes his or her collective wisdom in a complete guide for Texas gardeners. In addition to hundreds of proven plants, this resource has monthly to-do calendars for each of more than ten plant categories, from annuals to vines. Full-color photos and expert advice assist gardeners with the proper care and timing for everything from planting to watering. Information on gardening with less water addresses the challenges of gardening in Texas.

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ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW TO PLAN, PLANT & MAINTAIN A TEXAS GARDEN The one-stop answer book for all your Texas gardening questions! The Texas Gardener's Handbook combines the wisdom of multiple gardening experts into one affordable, easy-to-use volume. The authors have filled this resource with only the must-know gardening information for your Texas gardening success! Texas Gardener's Handbook features:Eleven popular plant categories, from annuals to Texas wildflowersWater-wise plant selections, native plants, and fruit and vegetable gardening for TexasTwelve months of around-the-garden maintenance advice for each of the plant categories More than 300 full-color plant profiles with helpful icons for sun and shadeInformation on low-water gardening and sustainable gardening practicesProblem solving, pest and disease, and plant care informationTexas community resources and so much

more! Whatever your level of expertise, this is the one-stop answer book for all your Texas gardening questions!

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Love this book!

VERY informative--MUST HAVE reading for new gardeners in Texas!

As described, prompt delivery. Thank you!

I have had this title for some time now and have written reviews that were posted elsewhere. It wasn't until today that I remembered that I should offer my two-cents (as we say in the south) worth. Pretty much anything written by or credited to Joe Lamp'el can be counted on as gospel. This book covers most every aspect of gardening for the state of Texas, and that's a pretty big state with no less than eight USDA hardiness regions. The book has great clear photographs of plants and flowers and lends itself to an idea book for folks needing some outdoor decor guidance. I have all of the books in this series by Cool Springs Press in my gardening library and I live in Alabama. You just never know where gardening inspiration will come from.

Best book I have found for "all Texas" plants. I also have used Mr. Groom's Month by Month to use as my monthly chores in the garden. What works in other portions of the country don't necessarily work for the varied environments in Texas. Also know Mr. Groom personally and he is a wealth of knowledge.

Because of diverse climate conditions and extremely hot summers, Texas Gardeners Handbook is a must-have for anyone wanting to grow and maintain a beautiful landscape in Texas.

There are the good advice for me to care my tropical plants, good condition and a good price. That's it.

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