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Howard's Garrett's Texas Trees





Synopsis

Knowing when and how to plant a tree are crucial to its survival. But if you select the wrong tree for your particular area and conditions, the proper planting techniques will not make a difference. Because Texas is a big place with varied climates, soils, and water qualities, a wide variety of trees can be grown there. Howard Garrett, also known as the "Dirt Doctor," explores the wide-ranging possibilities in a book that will prove its value to homeowners, landscape architects, contractors, nurseries, gardeners, and others who want healthy trees.Texas Trees includes a complete description of native and best-introduced trees and gives details on natural habitats and preferred sites, planting and maintenance, identification information, flowers, fruit and foliage, culture, problems, and propagation. Texas Trees is for all Texas tree lovers, from the Red River to the Gulf Coast, the piney woods to the deserts and mountains.

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Such a beautiful book full of pictures. Information applies to California too.

book is easy to navigate and has excellent photos and descriptions

Great book

A must for tree lovers who, for years, have passed by trees and said, "Wow! I wonder what it is." This helps with those questions you've long wondered about and maybe opens up knowledge of what trees you could have in your personal landscape.

This is a great gardening book by a trusted author

not as good as the Field Guide for Texas Trees. Nice pictures though.

Great book about trees; from selecting for the best location and soils to the preferred way to plant a tree. The images are excellent as well.

Good Book

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