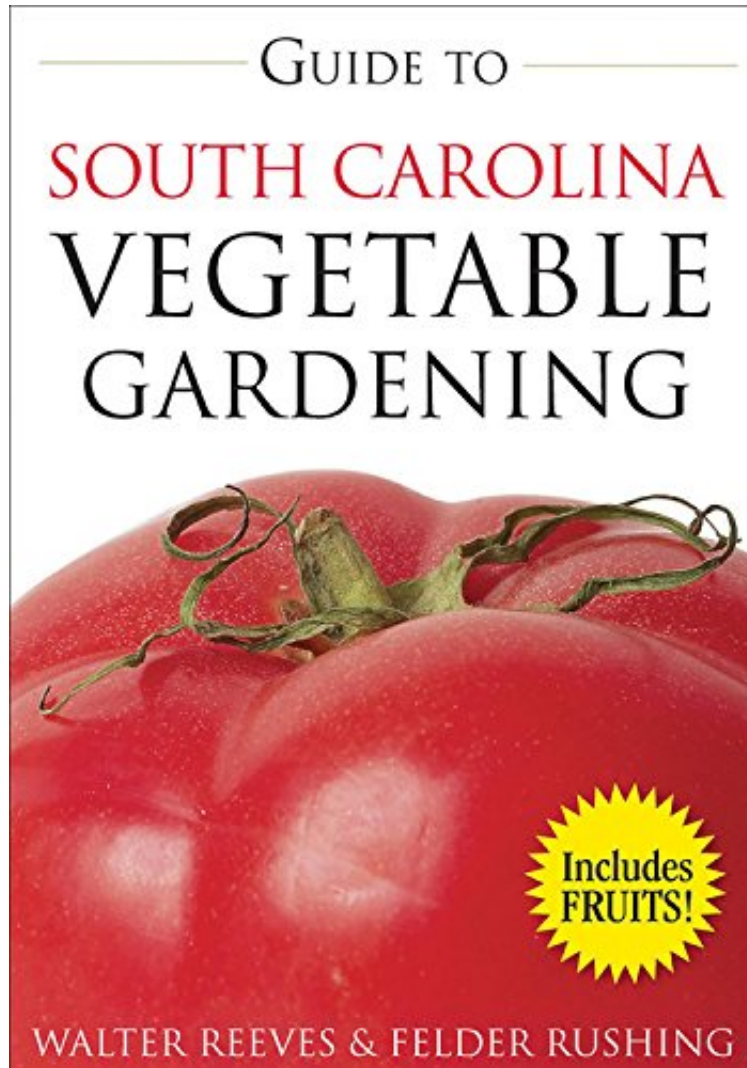


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Walter Reeves : Guide to South Carolina Vegetable Gardening (Vegetable Gardening Guides) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Guide to South Carolina Vegetable Gardening (Vegetable Gardening Guides):

10 of 10 people found the following review helpful. Excellent book By Fanshawe Many vegetable gardening books I've come across seem to assume that you live in the north. Mention is made of those "lucky enough to live in the south" who can garden year round. Here in SC, it can get quite chilly in the winter, yet of course is swelteringly hot and

humid each summer. I know certain things will grow over winter, but as a northerner who has lived here for ten years, I still get befuddled. I am quite pleased with this book and think it's a good investment. This, along with my Clemson Extension vegetable book, has taught me that there is more to gardening in SC than okra, pole beans and tomatoes. (I was excited to learn that Swiss Chard will do well here during the summer, when everything else I read described it as a "cool season vegetable.") I appreciate the recommendation of specific varieties for this climate. The authors also recommend unusual herbs and vegetables to try, and cover fruit trees as well which is interesting. I have been expanding my container gardening this year, and find this plus "McGee and Stuckey's Bountiful Container" are a great match. There are a few things lacking...some of the charts are a little difficult to read. (The zone map appears to have originally in color but transferred to black and white, which makes it difficult to read as well). Some of the descriptions are a bit brief, and I find myself wondering about fall planting schedules, which I think could have been covered a little more in depth. However, I noticed that the two authors have also released "The South Carolina Fruit and Vegetable Book" which, by perusing the "look inside" feature on , appears to be an expanded version of this book. I may get it instead. Still, I think this is a valuable addition. Four and a half stars! 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Local Local Local By Lillian Chabot How informative this book is to the gardener who is trying to feed his/her family and beautify their surroundings I love rhubarb but it does not grow well where I live in South Carolina. Duh!!!! It's for a cooler climate. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five Stars By Erin O'Briengot it for a friend and she loves it

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About the Author Walter Reeves is known as "The Georgia Gardener." He is the award-winning host of the very popular Georgia radio program "The Lawn and Garden Show with Walter Reeves." He is an easygoing, instantly likeable, funny guy who has an immense knowledge of plants and gardening. As a Georgia Extension agent (now retired after twenty-five years of service), Walter gained an enormous in-depth knowledge of plants, plant culture, and plant problems as he helped educate the public about plants. Walter is the original co-author of the Georgia Getting Started Garden Guide (Cool Springs Press) as well as the co-author of Month-by-Month Gardening in Georgia (also for Cool Springs Press).