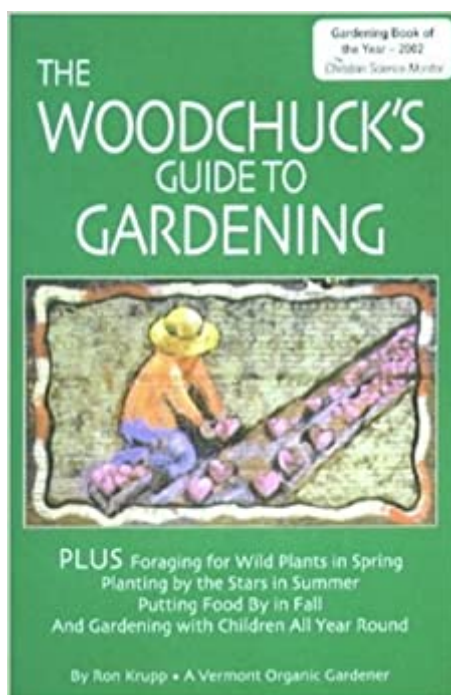


The book was found

# The Woodchuck's Guide To Gardening



## Synopsis

Here is an entertaining, common sense organic gardening book from a master of both gardening and storytelling. The Woodchuck's Guide to Gardening reconnects us to the four gardening cycles of the year • from spade to seed to grain to bread • through anecdotes and history, poetry and wit, politics, stories, and lots of down-to-earth organic gardening tips. This is a gardening book for beginners, as well as for more experienced organic and biodynamic gardeners willing to learn thrift and practicality from the "woodchuck." It tells the story of the author, Ron Krupp's thirty years of garden-based learning. Part gardening primer, part map for your own gardening journey, part guide to the universe.

## Book Information

Paperback: 240 pages

Publisher: SteinerBooks; 1st edition (December 1, 2001)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0915731053

ISBN-13: 978-0915731053

Product Dimensions: 9 x 6.1 x 0.6 inches

Shipping Weight: 14.4 ounces

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars 4 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #534,011 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #18 in Books > Crafts, Hobbies & Home > Gardening & Landscape Design > By Region > New England #309 in Books > Science & Math > Agricultural Sciences > Sustainable Agriculture #360 in Books > Crafts, Hobbies & Home > Gardening & Landscape Design > By Technique > Organic

## Customer Reviews

A critical resource for beginning and experienced gardeners who need seasoned, practical ideas. -- Enid Wonnacott, Director, Northeast Organic Farming Association  
Part gardening primer, part map for your own gardening journey, part guide to the universe. -- Will Rapp, Founder and CEO of Gardener's Supply Company

Ron Krupp, teacher, writer, entrepreneur, and community organizer, has been farming and gardening in Vermont for more than thirty years. He has a master's degree in teaching from Antioch University and a master's degree in agriculture from the University of Vermont. He studied biodynamic gardening and farming at Emerson College, U.K.

This book is a collection of tips and garden lore written especially for the Northern New England gardener. It is arranged seasonally, with sections for spring, summer, fall and winter, and a separate section on children and gardening. The chapters include poems, recipes, and photographs as well as tips on seasonal gardening tasks and organic and biodynamic gardening practices. At the end of each section is an appendix with lists of books, catalogs, and more specific details on topics covered in the section. End material for the book includes a glossary and index. This book isn't an all-around gardening reference (like Ed Smith's *Vegetable Gardener's Bible*, for instance), but it does include information on a wide range of gardening topics. The integration of poetry, stories, and seasonal wild edibles makes it an engaging book to read, and every reader is likely to find some new information. Gardeners in the far north need to keep in mind, however, that while Krupp gardens in Vermont, he lives in one of the warmer regions of the state, so they may need to plan for cooler conditions than those Krupp describes.

Ron Krupp is a true human woodchuck, a person who lives, breathes and eats close to the soil. I say this with great admiration. Ron's book, *The Woodchuck's Guide to Gardening*, is a collection of thoughts, philosophy, stories and tidbits on managing soil, plant growth, human mental and physical health, and his admiration of human ingenuity. It includes prose and poetry from his long connection to plants, nature, and people who work or live close to the earth. I have never seen another book like this one. Every paragraph and chapter is full of wit and wisdom. He gives tales of how gardening can teach school children the value of tending the earth to provide food, or how wild flowers and native plants provide the essence of spring to reinvigorate the human body, spirit and soul. The appendices include Ron's favorite catalogs: seed companies, garden tools, machines and products, heirloom seed-savers, fruits, organic organizations and other lists. He provides a glossary of garden and plant terms. This book is truly unique among gardening books. Norman Pellett, author of *Gardener's Quiz Book*

*The Woodchuck's Guide To Gardening* by Vermont organic gardener Ron Krupp, is a thoroughly "user friendly" guidebook written especially for aspiring organic and biodynamic home gardeners. Embracing thrift and the practical considerations as symbolized by the woodchuck, *The Woodchuck's Guide To Gardening* provides a wealth of tips, tricks, and techniques for keeping soil healthy, overseeing nutritious produce through all four seasons, foraging for wild plants, teaching one's children to garden, and a great deal more. Written in down-to-earth, accessible language for

gardeners of all experience levels and backgrounds, *The Woodchuck's Guide To Gardening* is an enthusiastically recommended addition to personal and community library gardening reference collections and supplemental reading lists.

*The Woodchuck's Guide To Gardening* by Vermont organic gardener Ron Krupp, is a thoroughly "user friendly" guidebook written especially for aspiring organic and biodynamic home gardeners. Embracing thrift and the practical considerations as symbolized by the woodchuck, *The Woodchuck's Guide To Gardening* provides a wealth of tips, tricks, and techniques for keeping soil healthy, overseeing nutritious produce through all four seasons, foraging for wild plants, teaching one's children to garden, and a great deal more. Written in down-to-earth, accessible language for gardeners of all experience levels and backgrounds, *The Woodchuck's Guide To Gardening* is an enthusiastically recommended addition to personal and community library gardening reference collections and supplemental reading lists.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Gardening: Gardening For Beginners: A beginners guide to organic vegetable gardening, beginners gardening (gardening for beginners, Gardening, Vegetables, marajuana, Permaculture) Ultimate Gardening Book: 5 Gardening Books in 1: Square Foot Gardening, Container Gardening, Urban Homesteading, Straw Bale Gardening, Vertical Gardening *The Woodchuck's Guide to Gardening* Hydroponics: Secrets Of Hydroponic Gardening - A Practical Guide For Beginners To Learn Everything About Hydroponic Gardening (Greenhouse Gardening, Organic Gardening, Basics Of Gardening) Gardening: The Complete Guide To Mini Farming (gardening climatic,gardening herbs, ornamental plant, Square Foot Gardening, Small Space Gardening, Mini Farming For Beginners) Gardening: An Easy Guide for Growing a Sustainable Garden (Gardening, Organic Gardening, Vegetable Gardening, Home Garden, Container Gardening, Horticulture, Agriculture, Hydroponics,) Gardening: A beginners guide to organic vegetable gardening, beginners gardenin (Organic Gardening, Vegetables, Herbs, Beginners Gardening, Vegetable Gardening, hydroponics) Gardening: Organic Gardening Beginners Guide: Growing Vegetables, Herbs and Berries (Gardening, Beginners Gardening, Organic Gardening, Vegetable) Gardening: Gardening :The Simple instructive complete guide to vegetable gardening for beginners (mini farming,Vertical Gardening,Agriculture Book 2) Permaculture Gardening For Beginners: The Ultimate Practical Guide To Permaculture Gardening And Permaculture Design (Gardening For Beginners, Basics Of Gardening) Companion Planting: Companion Gardening - A Practical Guide For Beginners To Learn Everything About Companion Planting (Organic Gardening, Container Gardening, Vegetable

Gardening) Container Gardening: A Guide to Growing Succulent Container Gardens ( container gardening, succulent container gardening, vegetable container gardening ) Hydroponics: The Ultimate Beginners Guide to Mastering Hydroponics for Life! (Hydroponics, Aquaponics, Indoor Gardening, Raised Bed gardening, Gardening ... Gardening Techniques, Hydroponic) Gardening for Beginners, 3 in 1 Collection: Container Gardening, Greenhouse Gardening, Vertical Gardening Organic Herb Gardening For Beginners: Herbal Gardening The Right Way - Herb Gardening Vol. 1 (Organic Gardening) Hydroponic Gardening: How To Grow 40 Pounds of Organic Produce 50% Faster With No Soil And No Yard (hydroponic gardening, aquaponics, square foot gardening, ... container gardening, urban homestead) Gardening: 4 in 1 Masterclass: Book 1: Container Gardening + Book 2: Vertical Gardening + Book 3: Urban Homesteading + Book 4: Square foot Gardening 365 Days Of Gardening: Best Lessons How to Grow Your Own Food All The Year Round, No Matter Where You Live: (Organic Gardening, Prepper's Garden, Gardening, Garden Ideas, Indoor Gardening) GARDENING: The Ultimate Gardening Techniques for Beginners! (2nd Edition): Gardening - Easy Tips and Tricks to Make Gardening Easier and More Productive Greenhouse: Greenhouse Gardening Box Set (Greenhouse, Greenhouse Gardening, Greenhouse Gardening for Beginners, Greenhouse for Dummies, Garden, Gardening)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)