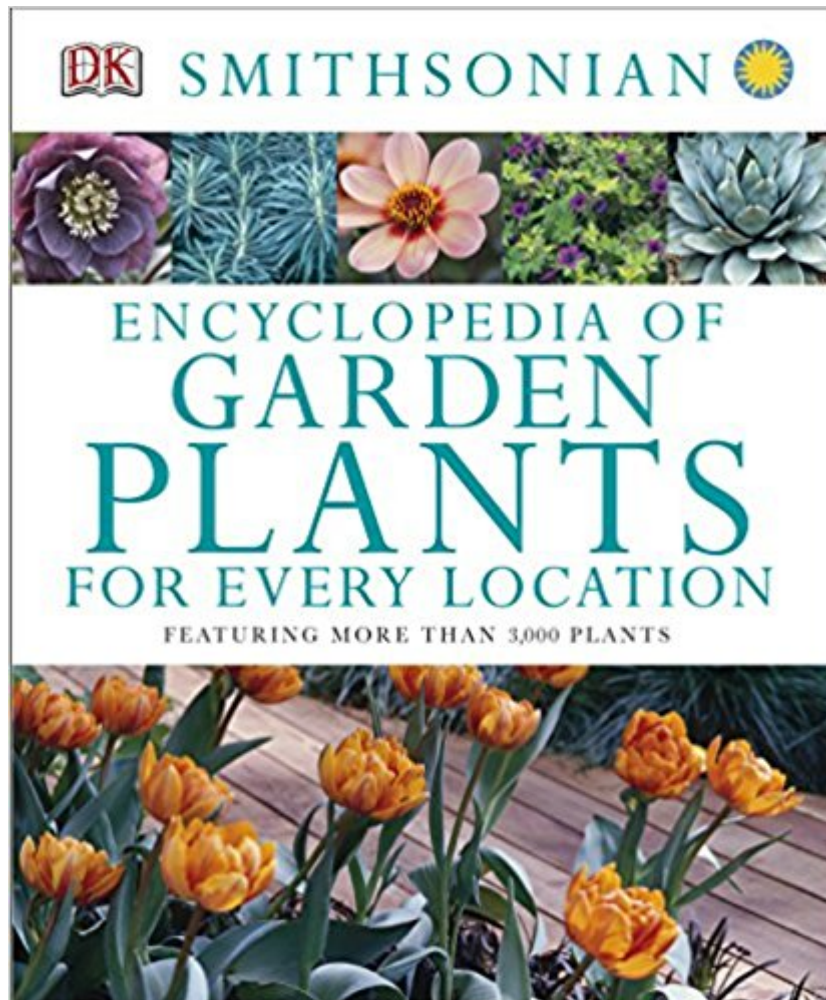




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"Next time you are wandering around looking for a spot to slip in one more plant, this book might send your trowel in an entirely new direction." â ” The American Gardener

Useful book for recognizing some plants but far from comprehensive. Has the tendency to repeat some pictures in different sections rather than providing additional examples that would be useful. Further, as plants usage for gardening has evolved this has left gaps in the book. I use the book largely to recognize plants in public gardens that are not labeled that I happen to photograph. The book is not easy to follow for this purpose. Nevertheless, it is the best I have found. It would be more useful for choosing sets of garden plants to use in developing gardens in different climate zones in

the USA.

I saw this book at the library and checked it out. It was so informative that I went to and purchased it online. I absolutely love this book.

This is very similar to the Readers Digest version of many years ago, but updated. If you like to work in the outdoors, this is your plant book. I bought two, one's a gift.

The combination of exhaustive Smithsonian information and splendid DK presentation is priceless. Content neatly covered in the title.

Absolutely beautiful and a must for all gardeners and/or lovers of growing plants. Purchase is for landscaper celebrating his 60th birthday.

This book is a garden lovers dream. Not only does it describe the plants and their requirements in detail, the photography is just gorgeous and the book is broken down into sections that describe what plants to use in Shade, Sun, Wet or Dry areas. It is a must have for anyone who loves designing gardens. Opening up the book was like letting Spring time in.

As advertised.

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