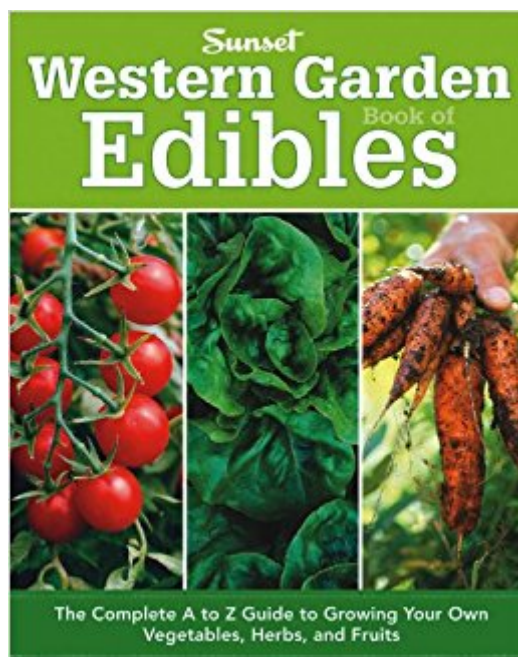




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Western Garden Book Of Edibles: The Complete A-Z Guide To Growing Your Own Vegetables, Herbs, And Fruits



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Customer Reviews

For more than half a century, Sunset has been helping readers remodel their homes and improve their lives. Sunset has a circulation of over 1.1 million and a readership of 5.325 million.

This book has been so helpful in starting my garden. It gave me excellent details and all of my vegetables I was growing from seed have sprouted right away and are already being planted without issue. It has some great details and I think it goes a bit more in depth on some of the plants compared to the Sunset's 2014 Western Garden Book. I bought both at the same time and they're both useful. It shows beautiful pictures of the plants, tells you the difference between the specific versions of the plants and when they ripen. It tells you what to do from seed to harvest. How much sunlight, water, and the type of soil. In the front it goes over the climate zones like Sunset's Western Garden book. In the back it also has some good tips. I originally saw it in the store but came home

and had it cheaper. I am VERY happy with this purchase and it arrived quickly and undamaged. Between the two books I do not think I will need any other books to keep my garden growing strong and have a great harvest at the end of summer.

Sunset has again produce a great book for Western gardeners. This book covers all the vegetables, fruits, nuts, herbs and tropical fruits/veggies that anyone in the West wants to grow. Even if you can't grow some of the stuff, it's an interesting read on how papaya, bannas and jicama grow even though I can't grow them in Idaho. Each item gets at least a page with color picture giving you all the info you need to grow sucessfully. Also has design plans and instructions for building raised beds, composters,etc. The layout and print on the page is easy to read and organized well. All round great book to add to a gardeners library.

This is a great book for experienced gardeners and newbies! This was a gift for my daughter who just moved into her first house. She was wanting to plant some veggies...thus the purchase of this book. She loves it!

I have no gardening experience at all--if I have a green thumb, it's a medical problem, not botanical skills--but I recently completely relandscaped my back yard and added a raised vegetable garden and fruit trees and vines. It's an excellent tool to research varieties as well as help plan your garden--what to plant, when to plant it, how to plant it, how to maintain it, etc.--so I've used it a lot. Before I got it, I was worried that it might be too technical for a newbie like me, but it's amazing how it's useful at both elementary and advanced levels.

I was expecting more technical information on how to garden edibles from Sunset. I have owned various editions of the Sunset Western Garden Book going back 30 years and they are the gold standard in my opinion. This book of edibles is a disappointment coming from Sunset.

I really, really enjoy this book. It helps with edible gardening in the western states. I live in Washington and couldn't ask for a better book for my gardening needs.

I live in Central California and I had not found a book that would mention how to grow fruits and veggies here in my area until now. This book has everything on how plant a garden from start to finish and then some. What a wealth of information and so complete!Sunset Western Garden of

Edibles covers everything you would need to know about gardening in the Western US. I particularly like how it explains in detail with pictures the different types of watering systems that can be used for your garden. It is hot here in the Central Valley during the summer months and when and how to water has always been a hit and miss thing with me but this book explains which system would be suitable for your particular area. I read the book from cover to cover and I learned a lot of things! This book is the best!

I love this book! It's organized in a way that makes it easy to find specific information for my edible garden. I can quickly find instruction on choosing, planting and harvesting vegetables, herbs, and fruit, in addition to information on common problems such as pests and diseases. It includes many photos, and has helped me grow a garden that not only produces these wonderful edible plants, but is also beautiful and restful. This is by far the best guide I've found for amateur gardeners interested in eating what they grow!

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