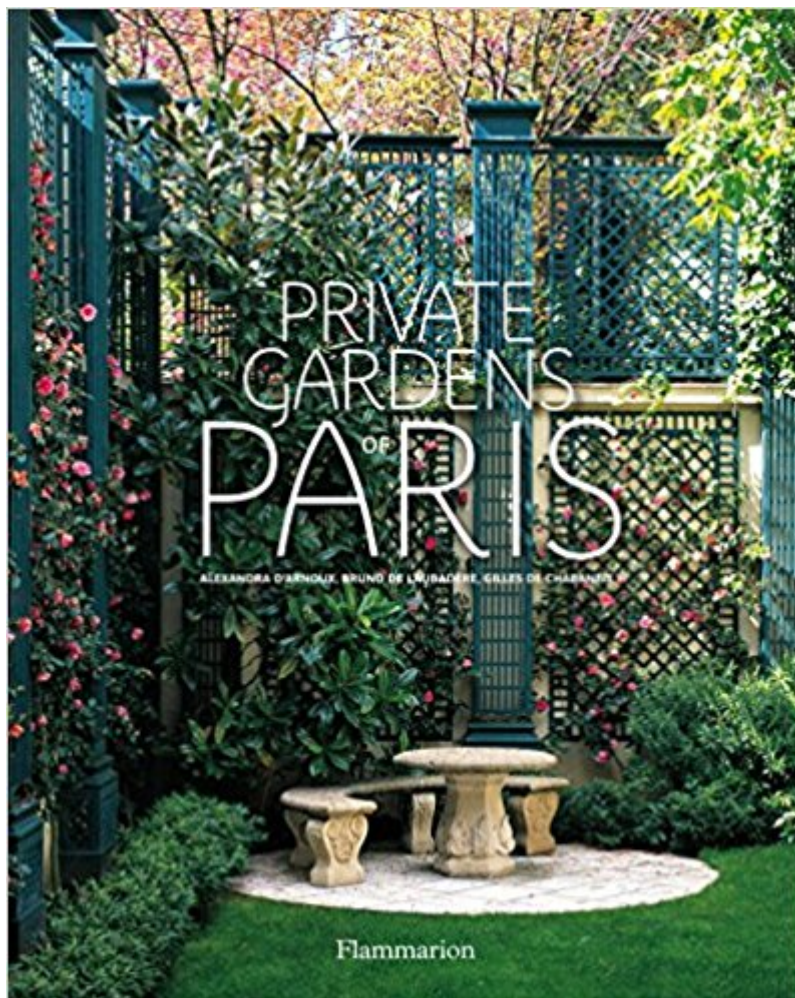


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Private Gardens Of Paris



Synopsis

An exclusive glimpse into the hidden world of secret Parisian gardens. A hidden landscape lies behind Paris's urban facades. Whether grandiose or modest, manicured or untended, these secret gardens, rarely seen by casual passersby, are timeless enclaves that provide verdant refuge from the bustling streets. From Hubert de Givenchy's formal garden, to Kenzo's Japanese-inspired oasis, or from an exotic hideaway with giant tropical ferns and rare flowers, to a symmetrical topiary menagerie, this eclectic range of urban gardens provides inspiration to the expert gardener and armchair enthusiast alike.

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Customer Reviews

Alexandra d'Arnoux was coeditor-in-chief of *Vogue Decoration* and *Maison & Jardin* and editor-in-chief of *AD France*. Bruno de Laubadère is a garden historian and author of several books on garden design and horticulture. They coauthored *Terraces and Roof Gardens of Paris* and *Gardens by the Sea*. The late Gilles de Chabaneix was a world-renowned photographer who contributed to numerous books including the *Way We Live* series.

The pictures of this book are superb but the text is too technical for non professional gardeners. Also the size of the book is too small to really enjoy the beauty of the pictures. Nevertheless this makes a nice present!

This is a wonderful book. As a wine country gardener, I am always seeking more information as well

as just looking at other garden designs. Paris is my favorite European city so anything about her gardens is interesting to me.

Gift for a Paris-bound, garden-loving friend...she adores it for its secret insights, its non-tourist places and, of course, its exquisite, French style!

I am a Master Gardener and really have enjoyed this book. The gardens pictures are beautiful.

loveky photos; great ideas for garden tours for Paris aficionados!

I am so disappointed in this book! It is a very blah photo book. Many of the gardens look the same. They look very natural and lots of green. Nothing wrong with that! I like more detail of sculpture, stairs, fountains, flowers, etc. It was probably a more sophisticated book than I like. Order at your own risk ! The cover photo will look nice stacked on my coffee table (it's the best photo in the book).

Great little book with beautiful gardens and equally beautiful photographs - have purchased two copies to give as gifts to friends.

Only the first garden was outstanding. So disappointing.

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