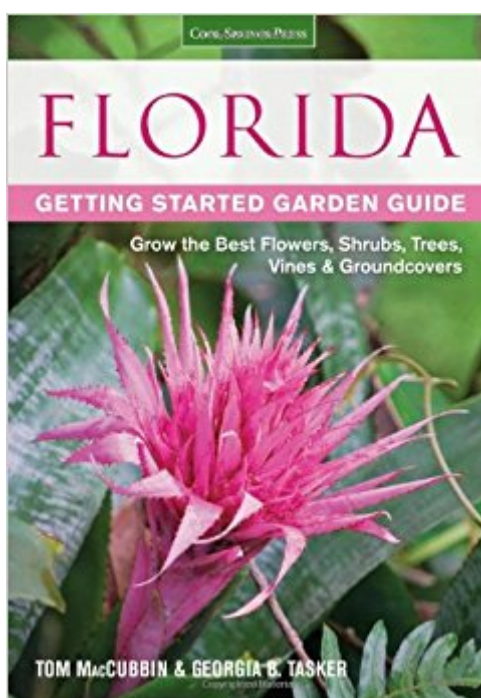


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# Florida Getting Started Garden Guide: Grow The Best Flowers, Shrubs, Trees, Vines & Groundcovers (Garden Guides)



## Synopsis

Gardening experts Georgia Tasker and Tom MacCubbin offer foolproof advice on gardening within the diverse landscape of Florida. The Florida Getting Started Garden Guide features region-specific advice on planting, growing, and caring for more than 150 of Florida's top ornamental and native plants. From flowers and grasses to trees and tropical plants, this step-by-step guide includes useful information for the novice and experienced gardener alike. With gorgeous full-color photos of each plant, this book will increase the enjoyment and satisfaction of any gardener hoping to learn about and master the natural environment of Florida.

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## Customer Reviews

Take the guesswork out of picking the best plants for your Florida garden. Do you ever wish you had a neighbor who could teach you about the best plants for your backyard? Wouldn't that be great? Well, guess what you do! Authors Georgia B. Tasker and Tom MacCubbin are just like a couple of friendly next-door neighbors who share their years of experience to help you know which plants are the best for Florida gardens. Whether you're a beginning gardener, new to Florida, or an old hand who's looking for some new ideas, this is the book for you. Florida Getting Started Garden Guide features\* More than 175 plant recommendations chosen just for Florida gardeners for their ease of growing, maintenance, and the beauty they offer\* Every plant type from flowers and tropicals to trees and shrubs, and everything in-between\* Design tips to help you add color and

beauty to your garden\* Advice on planting, growing, and care (including pest control)\* A large color photograph of each plant so you can take this book with you when you shop!Â Before you buy another plant and cross your fingers hoping that it works in your garden, get your copy of Florida Getting Started Garden Guide. Youâ™ll be glad you did.

Tom MacCubbin graduated from the University of Maryland with degrees in horticulture. He is currently an Extension urban horticulturalist in Orange County. Georgia Tasker is a Master Gardener and has earned a certificate in commercial tropical botany from Florida International University. Tasker is an avid orchid grower and photographer. Tom MacCubbin graduated from the University of Maryland with degrees in horticulture. He is currently an Extension urban horticulturalist in Orange County. Georgia Tasker is a Master Gardener and has earned a certificate in commercial tropical botany from Florida International University. Tasker is an avid orchid grower and photographer.

Excellent book for any Floridian interested in understanding which plants are best for their property - and definitely suited for more experienced gardeners than the beginners. The photographs and growing tips including when to prune, fertilize, propagate, soil and light preferences are just some of the great things included on each plant.

quite thorough and informative. Florida is such a long state, it's often hard to know what grows well where.

I've been in Florida for 45 years and still need help with Florida flowers and shrubs. This book makes it simple to get the best for my area and yard and give me flowers all the time.

This is a great starter book for new Florida homeowners . The pictures truly exemplify each shrub and plant. I appreciate the explanation of soil requirements for each plant. This is a good start to what I was looking for to begin my education on Florida garden care.

Excellent guide for getting my garden started in Florida. Nice photos and the right amount of information

Great reference book, beautiful pictures.

Great reference for new Florida resident.

I loved the layout of this book. It is colorful and well arranged. There is a lot of useful information!  
The quality of the pages and binding are quite nice.

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