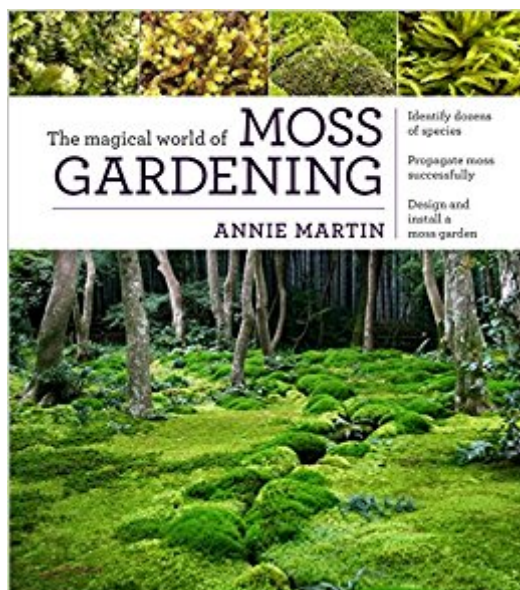


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The Magical World Of Moss Gardening



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books for anyone wanting to truly broaden the range of plants they growâ |a very useful guide.â •
 â "Gardens Illustrated â œThe bible for mossers.â • â "Asheville Citizen-Times â œInstead of
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 how to encourage and cultivate itâ |Seeing these hushed and serene gardens makes me hope our
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 advice on how to make the best use of bryophytes in the garden, with profiles of 25 of the most
 useful species.â • â "The Professional Gardener â œIn her new book, Martin offers a realistic path to
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 and options to help you reach your goal.â • â "About.com â œAs informed and informative as it is
 beautifully illustrated and thoroughly 'user friendly' in content and presentation, The
 Magical World of Moss Gardening is very highly recommended.â • â "Midwest Book Review â œThe
 Magical World of Moss Gardening will encourage and inspire anyone new to moss gardening.â •
 â "Pumpkin BethÂ

plant, and care for moss in the garden. Importantly she goes into detail about steps you need to take to determine where moss will grow well in your garden. My husband and I really enjoyed following her suggestions for assessing our yard and were delighted to locate moss that is already growing on our property. I bought the book this winter (I live in Michigan) and using this book we have already started two small gardens in different locations on our property. And we have just begun!

A thorough book that allows even a beginner gardener to start mossin'. I bought this to start adding a moss component to my shady medicinal garden - I wanted info on how to start actually propagating moss rather than just waiting and hoping it shows up - and Annie Martin's book didn't disappoint. After reading it, I came away excited and ready to jump right in and start moss gardening!

So bought this book and showed it to my sister, and she took it! Then she showed it to a good friend, and the friend took it! Who knows where my original book went - out to the mossin' yonder. So now I am re-buying the book because it is so delightful to read and a visual paradise - thank you, Mossin' Annie, for a book of wonder! Barbara & George Groome

I have always loved the look of moss and now after being inspired by this awesome book I can't wait to get started incorporating moss into my garden. As a master gardener I love trying new things. The internet is full of misinformation on how to get moss growing. I always thought it was a bogus idea blending moss with buttermilk among other things, Annie agrees this is not a way to get moss started. She definitely knows her moss and I love watching her YouTube videos. I was so excited finding out she wrote a book. It's so fun to look for moss and now I know you can plant it any day of the year! So many possibilities and projects! Well written and informative. A book I will refer to often. Highly recommend buying this! You rock Annie! Thanks, Barb

This is a wonderful book! I consulted with Mossin' Annie at her home and at her nearby moss growing location in Pisgah Mountain, NC a couple years ago. Changed my yard landscaping and my experiments with terrariums and table-top moss gardens as a result. And she continued to advise after my visit to NC. I wholeheartedly recommend her book and her consultation service!

This is a great primer for moss lawn enthusiasts. Annie Martin's love of moss gardening is evident in

her poetic style of writing. As a beginning moss grower I gleaned many useful tips for expanding my moss patches to eventually form a lawn area.

I haven't started planting moss yet but getting closer. Book should be is "a must read" for anyone contemplating moss growing.

Bought as a gift for my husband, after our trip to Japan. Must be a good book, we now have the beginnings of a beautiful moss garden in a corner of our property. So it got him motivated and enthused.

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