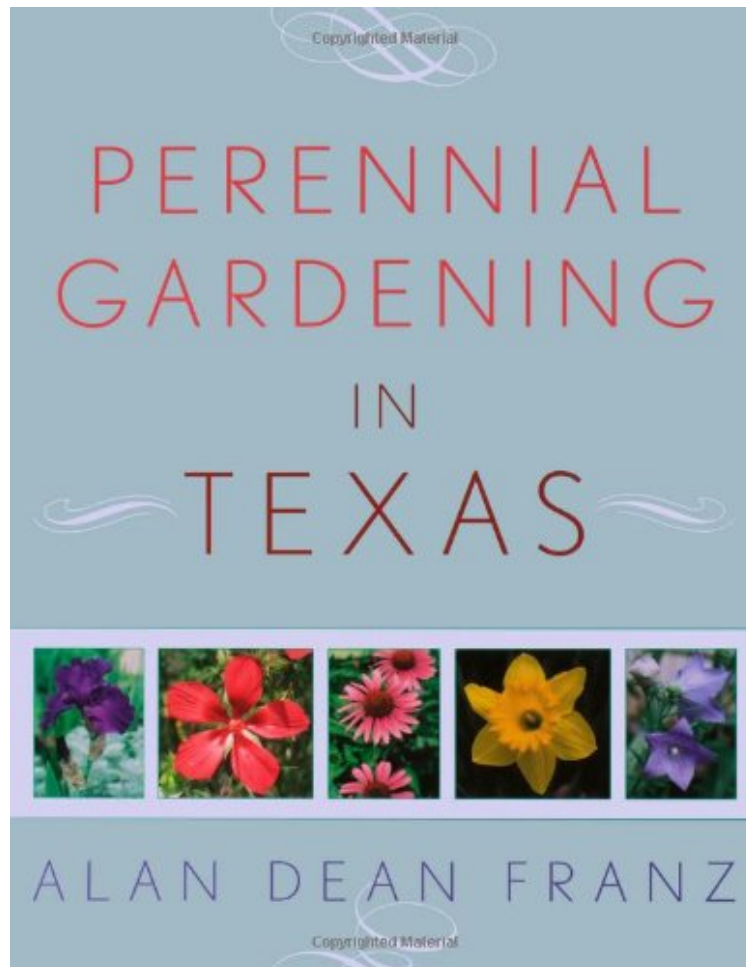


Perennial Gardening in Texas

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Alan Dean Franz : Perennial Gardening in Texas before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Perennial Gardening in Texas:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Expansive Info on most Texas perennials. By Dee This book is good for planning your landscape and includes layouts and lists by colors, wet, dry, sun, shade, spikey, feathery or flowing, daisy like, and detail lists of individual plants showing characteristics like height, light, soil, and drainage. The only drawback is that the book is not for a specific area of Texas but covers sufficient information for one's own research. 4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. A great resource By L. Short I recently moved to Texas and left a wonderful garden in the pacific northwest. Now I'm starting from scratch in an area I know nothing about. Climate, soil conditions, everything is different. The new property has nothing but spots of weedy grass here and there. I guess I can look at it as a blank slate. This book was exactly what I was looking for. I prefer perennials and this book appears to have the exact information I need to help me start my new gardens and landscaping and lead me to another

showcase garden like I used to have. I feel this book will be educational and a great resource and will help me choose exactly what I need that will thrive in my new yard. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Three Stars By Bosco Good info on gardening.

Perennial Gardening in Texas presents its own unique challenges, especially with the state's wide variety of climate zones. This book focuses on individual plants some 120 species but also brings with it the expertise of a landscape architect in providing designs that will work both damp and water-scarce areas.

Alan Franz has developed a rich and rewarding plant palette based on decades of growing plants in Texas. He entices readers to expand their vision of horticultural beauty to include the foliage of plants as well as the butterflies and bees a plant may attract. He takes the tone of an encouraging and well-grounded coach, providing hints and nudges at every turn. (Virginia Small, Senior Editor Fine Gardening) About the Author Alan Dean Franz is a prominent landscape architect in Dallas, whose articles on gardening and landscape design have appeared locally as well as nationally in Landscape Architecture magazine.