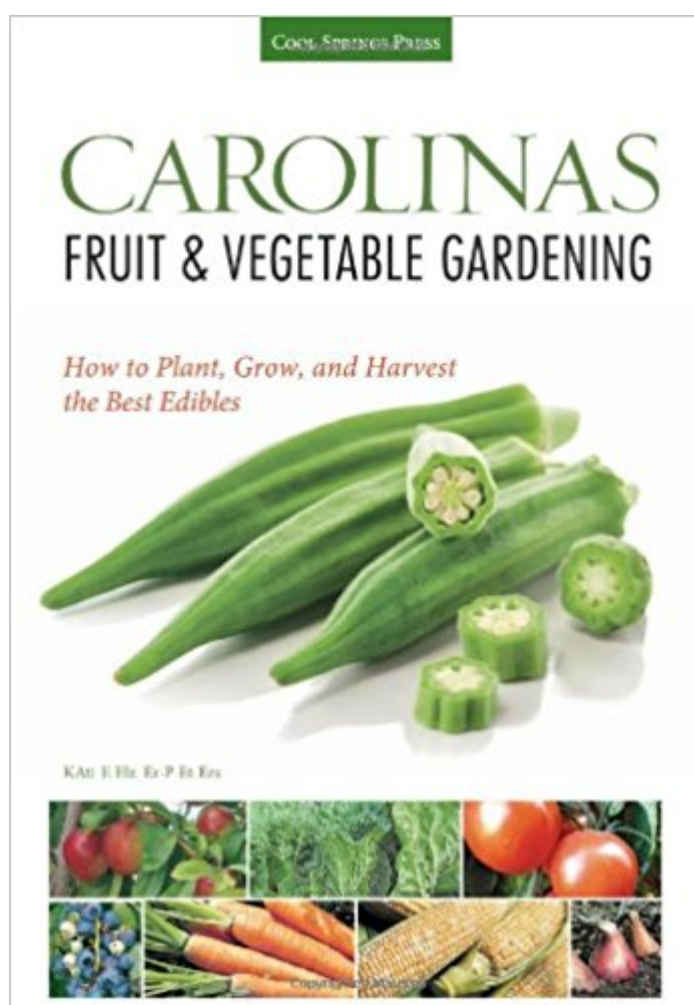


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# Carolinas Fruit & Vegetable Gardening: How To Plant, Grow, And Harvest The Best Edibles (Fruit & Vegetable Gardening Guides)



## Synopsis

If you're interested in growing your own fruits and vegetables, you've joined the ranks of a blossoming group of DIY gardeners who place a premium on the idea of self-reliance. But like any other kind of gardening, growing edibles is not a one-size-fits-all pursuit: in order to be successful, you'll need to know not only which plants grow well in your state or region, but also how to grow them with careful methods and a schedule that caters specifically to your local microclimate.

Fortunately for you, *Carolinas Fruit & Vegetable Gardening* is written exclusively for gardeners who want to grow edibles in North or South Carolina. Author Katie Elzer-Peters, the seasoned Carolinas gardener responsible for our bestselling *Beginner's Illustrated Guide to Gardening* (2012), equips you with all the information you need to design your edible garden, tend the soil, maintain your plants throughout their life cycles, and—most importantly—harvest the delicious foods they produce. So whether you live in the Research Triangle, the Sandhills, the Outer Banks, or anywhere else in the Carolinas, you'll discover the best fruit and vegetable plants for your garden in this beautiful step-by-step how-to guide . . . and they'll be on your table before you know it.

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## Customer Reviews

North and South Carolina are two of the best vegetable and fruit gardening states in the country. The mild climate, ample rainfall, and rich soil combine to create a growing environment in which there are practically no limits. All you really need to know is what to plant and when. *Carolinas Fruit*

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Katie Elzer-Peters is a horticulturist who writes gardening books, blogs, and articles. A resident of Wilmington, North Carolina, she also teaches classes and runs workshops dedicated to gardening and garden writing. She has an MS degree in public garden management and has published several renowned books with Cool Springs Press.[www.thegardenofwords.com](http://www.thegardenofwords.com)

This book is amazing. It has comprehensive information, including optimal soil temps, pH, pest concerns, and best cultivars. This is exactly what I was looking for. And everything is delivered in a friendly tone, as if your likable next door neighbor also happened to be a Master Gardener with the county extension office. Really great! And I never leave reviews, even when asked.

This is focused around North and South Carolina gardening, that being said this does contain extremely useful and information most people would disregard i.e. brown tips on your plants give the sign it is not getting enough water, suggesting that nitrogen is needed. Just tons of tads of info packed into different categories. All that above being noted, this does go into great detail on planting, harvesting, and much more. If you garden in SC / NC this imo a MUST read (and own, don't resell, wonderful information).

Best book ever on growing in this area

This book helped a northwesterner figure out how to garden in the south. It gave clear and concise information about all the fruits and vegetables to grow in North Carolina.

This is a nicely organized basic growing guide. It does not include all details to growing but it's definitely good for a beginner wanting to learn the basics and get their feet wet and not be so bogged down with too much info

This book is perfect for those living in our zone. It's easy to read and very well laid-out. The information is concise about the different fruits and vegetables, including soil makeup, planting tips, schedules and pests/diseases.

Very informative and true to the Carolinas garden growing.

I like this because it is "state specific" and answers some questions I had.

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