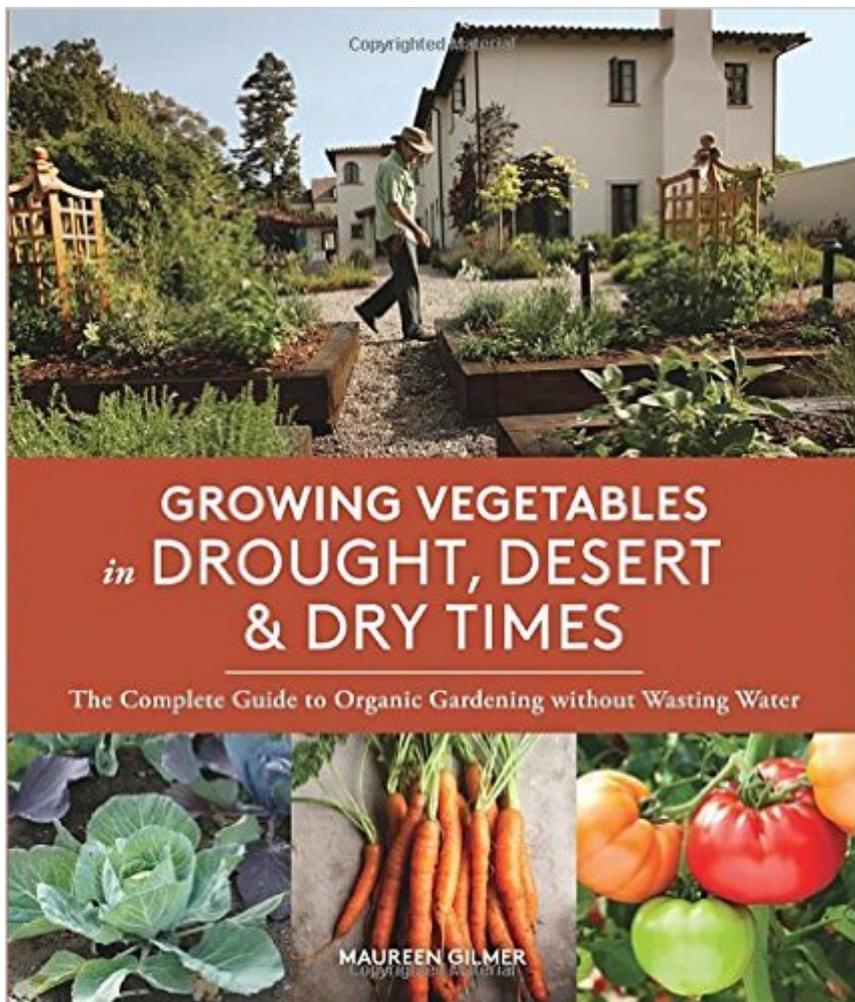


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Growing Vegetables In Drought, Desert & Dry Times: The Complete Guide To Organic Gardening Without Wasting Water



Synopsis

Here is the definitive guide to growing healthy organic vegetables without wasting our precious water resources! This incredibly timely book will give dedicated home gardeners the know-how to grow delicious produce in dry times, focusing on four different low-water conditions in the western United States: voluntary water conservation, drought, and both high and low desert. Using modern techniques, as well as tips and stories from native traditions ranging from the southwestern United States to the Middle East, this guide offers the best of ancient wisdom and the newest innovations in conservation, and includes varietal recommendations and a seasonal crop guide.

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Save your money. I will summarize. Use drip irrigation, plant in season, and choose drought resistant varieties. The end. Other than some gratuitous mention of Native Americans' waffle gardens, the effect of wind, the use of enclosed earth boxes or shade cloth, this book states that hand watering and moving hoses "gets old". Garden design includes raised beds and reminding you to include space for your irrigation system. I will look elsewhere for radical techniques or even examination of other countries and people that are successfully farming in desert and drought.

I live in a desert climate where it is very hard to grow vegetables. We really need to get smart to get the most out of our short growing seasons. I found this book to be a good resource.

This is a great book covers microclimates high/low desert, growing methods, historic and new and growing seasons which are very different in a desert application.

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