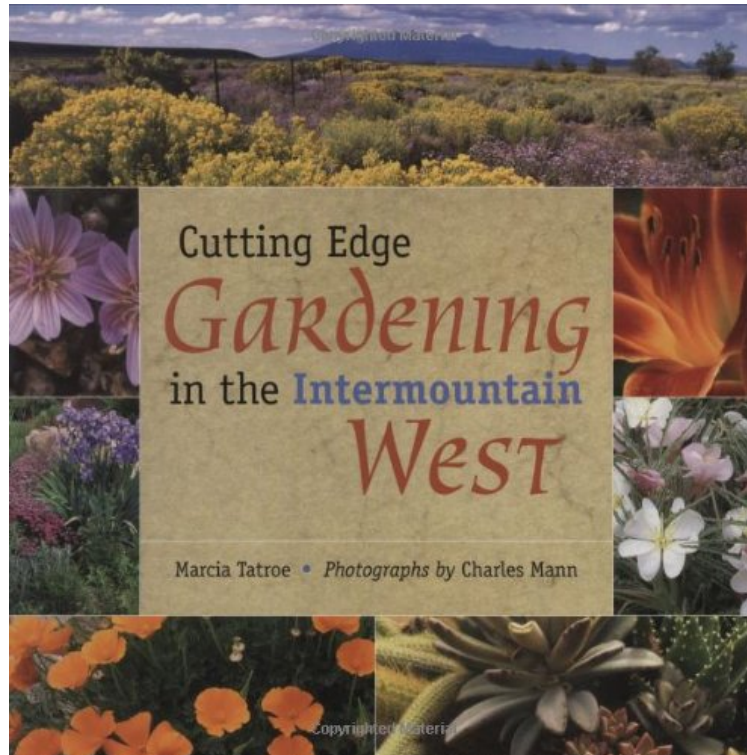


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Marcia Tatroe : Cutting Edge Gardening in the Intermountain West before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Cutting Edge Gardening in the Intermountain West:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. The writing is very good, but...By Proctor XI've slipped three on this one.Clearly the author has expertiseThere's a tendency towards medium to longish paragraphs of very well written description, as opposed to clear, professional photographs of beds with a species inventory or supplemental text.There are some photos, but in the digital version at least, they are slightly blurry and modestly sized to a fault, with alot of whitespace.Good information throughout, but the organization of the material isn't optimal from an instructional or how-to standpoint.10 of 10 people found the following review helpful. Not really for the Intermountain WestBy RidahoanA nice book with lots of interesting tips and photos, but not really for the intermountain west but rather the front range, where most precipitation comes in summer thunderstorms. The climate is quite different here in Boise, as well as much of the Range and Basin, with hot dry summers and cold, cloudy, and damp winters. I would recommend this book as a primary source for the Front Range and perhaps higher altitude south-west, but not for Oregon or Southern Idaho, though still interesting as a secondary source.Returned to bump this to four stars, as I continue to use and appreciate it. It doesn't get five for me because I still think it mis-titled.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five StarsBy Nancy MumptonA beautiful book on a topic that deserves more coverage.

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