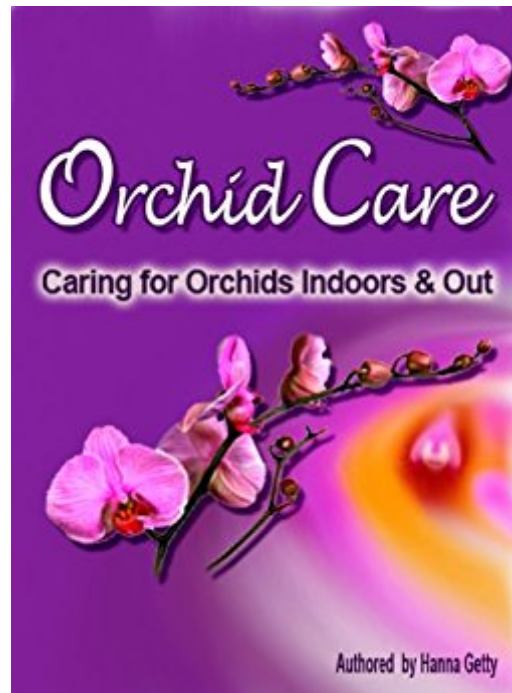




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Orchid Care: Growing And Caring For Orchids Indoors & Out



Synopsis

Authored by Hanna Getty, "Orchid Care: Caring for Orchids Indoors & Out" is an eloquently written presentation and an all-inclusive overview about orchids, their history and distribution around the world, their anatomical structure and biological growth patterns, their care requirements and common their uses, and much more. On the one hand, armed with the valuable information and helpful tips provided within the pages of this skillfully composed and well structured volume, any newbie will soon have enough know-how about orchids and the acquired confidence to then grow them successfully indoors or outside. On the other hand, Ms. Getty has ensured that her book has enough substance and factual data pertaining to the latest research results to capture the interest of even expert orchid growers. In short, "Orchid Care: Caring for Orchids Indoors & Out" is an Kindle eBook and an essential teaching tool as well as a detailed reference guide for all levels of proficiency in collecting, cultivating and propagating orchid plants. Behind its beautifully illustrated covers and amidst vividly colorful photos of incredible blooms and explanatory diagrams, "Orchid Care: Caring for Orchids Indoors & Out" readers will find the following and much more:

- Chapter 1: Introducing Orchids- History and Evolution of Orchids- Orchid Meanings and Symbolism- Understanding Orchids- Standards for naming Orchids
- Chapter 2: Orchid Plant Varieties- Understanding Species & Hybrid Orchids- Differences Between Species & Hybrid Orchids- Introducing the Most Common Orchids- Rare, Endangered & Extinct Orchids
- Chapter 3: Supplies for Growing Orchids- Orchid Potting Media- Orchid Containers- Orchid Fertilizers- Orchid Hydration- Controlling Orchid Environments- Controlling Orchid Disease & Pests- Miscellaneous Orchid Supplies
- Chapter 4: How to Successfully Care for Orchids- General Insight to Orchid Care- Specific Orchid Care
- Chapter 5: Specialized Uses for Orchids- Ornamental Orchids- Medicinal Orchids- Culinary Orchids- Cosmetic Orchids
- Chapter 6: Smart Questions Expert Answers
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To supplement and enhance her efforts in spreading the word about orchids and their care, Ms. Hanna Getty has also launched OrchidCare.org website through which she can share her considerable knowledge about orchids with a larger and wider audience and she has also created an Orchid Care Facebook fan page.

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Orchid Care: Growing and Caring for Orchids Indoors and Out! I'm not sophisticated at all about orchids and their care so I thought this would be a good book for me. I chose a winner. The author traces a fascinating and ancient history for these plants. I would not have thought such beautiful blooms could be made more alluring and exotic, but Ms. Getty has done that. Since there are well over 100,000 kinds of orchids, it really helped me that this book explains so much about them in great clarity. At last, I understand what the differences are among the epiphytic, lithophytic, and terrestrial orchids. Now I get what a keiki is. I have read other books on the topic of the morphology and structure of the orchid, but this book makes the technical information more accessible than some other books I've looked at. Like many people I know, I feel drawn to orchids but have been intimidated to try to grow them. This book has encouraged and guided me to get started on a new and exciting hobby. Even though the book provides a lot of technical information, I found it easy reading.

Get it? A little dry. Anyway it is a bit bogged down in the minutiae of growing orchids. As for myself

self I'm a newbie when it comes to orchids something more basic would have been better. Now to be honest it's not a bad book. I'm sure that if you're more advanced in the subject it would be a good choice. But I was more scared off than informed.

I am happy with this little book about Orchids, it's a real buy for the price. I am not totally happy with the way it is organized, but I am still learning a lot from it's pages. I guess I need a larger book with more photos and information, but for the essentials, I think this is a great little read!

Loved this book! Wish the author had given a bit more detail into her natural orchid fertilizer receipe. Also, the glossary was VERY confusing as none of it had to do with orchids.

Hanna Getty's Orchid Care books is well written and beautifully illustrated with amazing photos. It is easy to follow and has taught me a whole lot about growing orchids indoors as well as out doors. I loved it.

This book saved our orchids. We learned the basics of how often to water and how to feed these plants. What more can I say? :-)

This is a real help for those of us that enjoy growing and enjoying the beauty of the orchid plants we have

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