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south facing forested hillside into a garden. Using the natural features of the terrain-trees, stream and slope-she created a variegated and blooming landscape and home. Fellow gardeners will enjoy the plant-by-plant and season-by-season descriptions of her plans, progress and dedication to the undertaking. Included is her sensitive philosophy of gardening and her professional horticultural how-to do the job. Woodland Gardening Color photos provide attractive glimpses of this woodland garden.

A memoir on how to successfully plant a vibrant garden in the shade in Chester County, Pennsylvania.

About the AuthorJoan (Toni) Zimmerman Brinton served on the Board of the Tyler Arboretum in Pennsylvania and the John Bartram Association, where she was Board President for six years. She continued to contribute to the advancement of the John Bartram Association as an Emeritus Director for over fourteen years. Toni acquired a Certificate of Merit in Horticulture from Longwood Gardens. She was an active member of the Garden Club of America, the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society and man other gardening organizations. Toni received numerous awards throughout her gardening career, including the Zone 5 Garden Club of America Distinguished Service Award for Horticultural Excellence, the Civic Improvement award, and the Medal of Merit. She generously welcomed many gardening groups to her home in Chadds Ford, Pennsylvania.