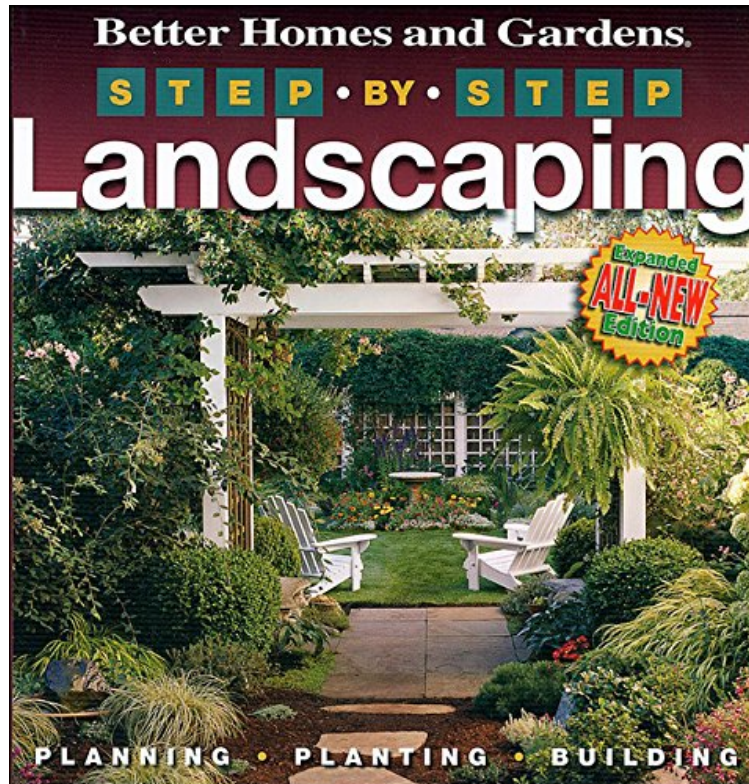


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things that I can actually achieve building, creating, and maintaining my landscape on my own. And now I'm totally inspired to have chickens for pest control! We can have them in the city I live in an older 1950's subdivision so I will also enjoy fresh eggs. If you found this review helpful please like. Thank you! 15 of 16 people found the following review helpful. This one concentrates too much on big stuff like this. I wanted more info and ideas for ... By Kim R. I wanted a book on landscaping, not building gazebos and storage sheds. This one concentrates too much on big stuff like this. I wanted more info and ideas for flower beds. The few pages of ideas in it are so cluttered with plants it's not realistic for me who want something aesthetically pleasing without having to work in the yard 40 hours a week. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five Stars By D. Frey Learned a lot. Worth the price.

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