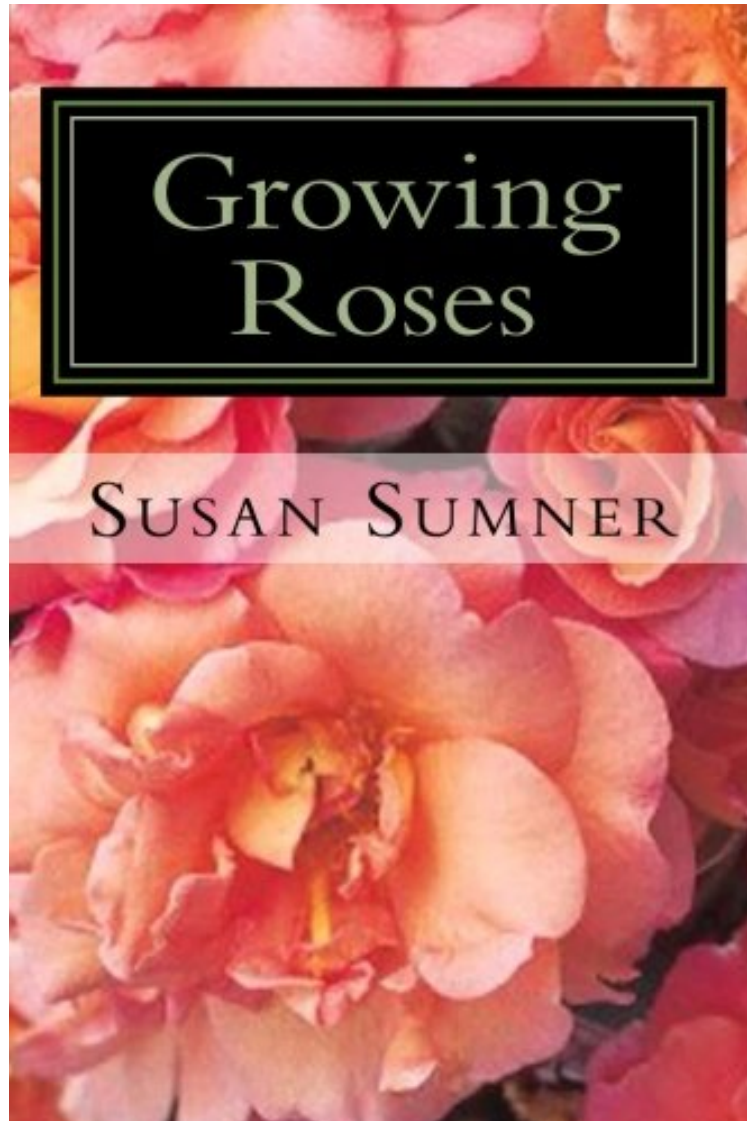


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1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Things like "check with what pests you have and treat for ...By Sherif FadelThe most sorry excuse for a book ever. I bought this hoping for a review of the various types of roses, a history of rose "development", detailed explanations on how to deal with diseases and to fertilise, details on how to prune, etc. Instead, I get a few sentences on each type of modern rose category, without a discussion of actual

varieties. No mention whatsoever of any rose history. Things like "check what pests you have and treat for them" or something to that effect instead of actual specification of the pesticide or organic pesticide to be used for each pest. No description of the damage that each pest produces to aid in pest identification, no mention of symptoms of mineral deficiencies so that they can be identified and corrected, no directions on fertiliser except read instructions and apply. I got more information from browsing websites and reading non-specialist books. I learned more about pruning roses from "The Pruning Book", more about fertilising roses from "Southern Californian Gardening" and more about rose history and varieties from the internet. This is not a book, this is a high-school paper that is only average in terms of quality. If I could get my money back I would be a happy man.<sup>2</sup> of 2 people found the following review helpful. Turn Your Black Thumb Into A Green Thumb By Miranda Do you have a black thumb? If your answer is yes, do not give up hope. You can turn that black thumb into a green thumb by purchasing Growing Roses by Susan Sumner. This how to book will teach you everything you need to know from soil type to pruning roses. Growing Roses takes the guessing out of watering, planting, and fertilizing. Susan also includes a section on how to control those pesky bugs and handling diseases. Are you sentimental and wish to preserve a rose? Susan can help you with this also. From A to Z, Growing Roses is the book for anyone who wishes to turn their backyard into a bouquet of colorful roses.<sup>0</sup> of 0 people found the following review helpful. Growing Roses, Caring for Roses, Enjoying Roses - great e-book By Henry Garman Growing roses was something I always wanted to do when I moved to the countryside, now with Susan Sumner's "everything you need to know guide", I shall get started. Here I went from learning all the different types of roses there are to choosing, planting, watering, fertilization, pruning and caring for them through to preventing rose diseases and pest problems, growing them organically to drying them. Roses are always accepted with a smile and have many romantic traditions that soften our hearts. I love Susan's writing style, her passion for roses comes over clearly and she knows what's she's talking about, and passes it onto her readers. So, why not start a new adventure and have the thrill of seeing that first bud that YOU GREW begin to open with the help of Susan's helpful little e-book.

Growing Roses, Everything You Need to Know and More is the perfect choice for the novice rose grower. It provides step-by-step instructions for every phase of the rose-growing process - from choosing the right roses, to planting the roses, and finally - how to care for your roses over time. Paying attention to each step will ensure a successful experience and help you grow magnificent roses in your yard for years to come. Contents Include: Types of roses and how to choose the right roses When to plant roses How to plant roses How to water, fertilize and prune roses Common diseases of rose plants and how to prevent them Caring for your roses Growing roses organically And much more . . .

From the Author My mother blessed me with a great passion for nature, particularly flowers. We lived in Southern Arizona with intensely hot summers and no sprinkler system, yet my mother was determined to have flowers around us. Rather than a flower garden, she chose to grow her flowers in pots, particularly the hardy geranium, which she gently cared for day-after-day. Under her care, they flourished. As a young married woman living in California, a more temperate climate, I began to surround my own home with flowers - agapanthus, impatiens, primroses, bougainvillea, sweet alyssum, etc. Digging in the dirt and watching the flowers bloom gave me a special kind of pleasure. Even though I loved roses, I always thought they would be far too difficult to grow, so I never tried. Finally a few years ago, I took the plunge and have never looked back. My yard is now filled with roses. My first book, Growing Roses, Everything You Need to Know, and More . . . is my way of sharing with you what I learned from my experience. The main lesson is, that growing roses is not difficult. I hope that you will give yourself the gift of a rose garden, which can be nothing more than a single bush that will give you pleasure day-after-day, as my mother's potted plants gave her. About the Author Writing has been my passion since grade school and finally I have chosen to follow that passion and write about things that I love. This is a new adventure for me and I hope that you enjoy my first book on a subject that is dear to me as much as I enjoyed writing it.