**Suggested books on gardening (some are about organic gardening; some are not)**

* Crockett’s Victory Garden, by James Underwood Crockett, 1977

This is probably my favorite book, although it’s old, as you can see. Its chapters are arranged according to the months, which we have to modify a bit for down here, but it has helpful charts and planting times. It’s definitely not an organic gardening book however, and it’s worthwhile to note that James Crockett died fairly young of cancer.

* Your Organic Garden with Jeff Cox (Official Companion to the PBS TV Series) by the editors of Rodale Garden Books, 1994

Like Crockett’s Victory Garden, this book was published as a companion to a PBS TV Series. It’s simple and straightforward and easy to read.

* Gardening in the Carolina Low Country, prepared by The Beaufort Council of Garden Clubs, fourth edition 1999.
* Rodale’s All-New Encyclopedia of Organic Gardening (The Indispensable Resource for Every Gardener), 1992
* The Organic Gardener’s Home Reference – a plant-by-plant guide to growing fresh, healthy food, Tanya Denckla, 1994
* Carolinas Fruit & Vegetable Gardening – How to plant, grow, and harvest the best edibles by Katie Elizer-Peters, 2013