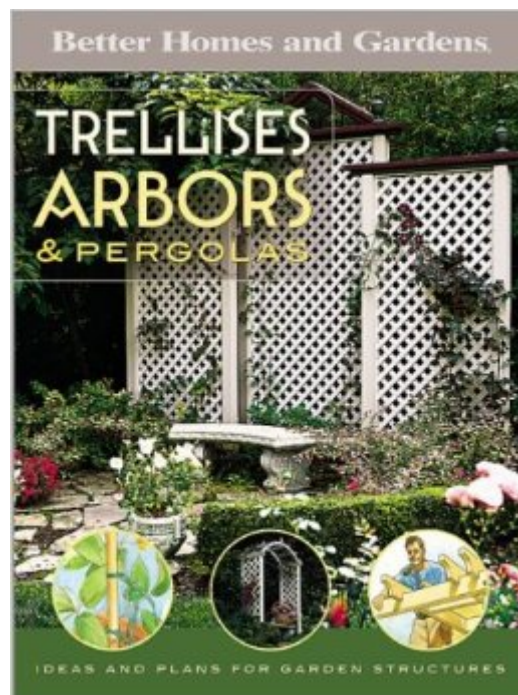


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# Trellises, Arbors & Pergolas: Ideas And Plans For Garden Structures (Better Homes & Gardens Do It Yourself)



## Synopsis

Detailed, illustrated plans for building a variety of styles. More than 50 garden structures included, with construction drawings and lists of materials. Expert construction advice; how to use tools, prepare sites, buy lumber, and apply outdoor finishes. Selection tips for plants compatible with the structures featured.

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## Customer Reviews

My husband and I had a landscape plan drawn up that included a pergola. Since my husband rebuilt part of our fence, he wanted to tackle the pergola himself. So, I bought him this book and he really loved it. The beginning of the book shows a variety of ideas for trellises, arbors and pergolas. Even if you're not going to build it yourself, the photos, drawings, and descriptions of styles may help you select or design one that you like and fits your house/yard. My favorite idea from the book was a trellis that goes over the garage door - what a neat idea! The next section of the book has all the necessary instructions and shows you how to build a number of these structures. This could come in handy if you decide to build it yourself. Section three offers some suggestions for plants that will climb up structure. The final portion of the book goes over the different types of tools you may need for your project. There are also drawings and descriptions to help the novice learn the basic building and wood-working skills needed for these projects. Although we haven't started our pergola yet, I'm sure this book will come in handy. We've definitely been enjoying looking through it to see

what kind we might want!

I was a bit disappointed with this book - I was hoping for a lot more ideas - most that were shown were pretty weak designs. Books like this are mainly idea books and the more ideas, the better. This looked like a half hearted attempt. Unfortunately, I haven't found anything better. There's a definite need for a decent book on this subject...

I like the book, but i am looking for a plan book. This is very informational, but i was looking for more. The book came as expected, great shape

Not only beautifully photographed on the cover, but pages inside giving me great ideas, and practical information such as building materials, measurements and building instructions, plantings and zones for planting; Book is a good size too with large photos.

Full of different arbors and trellis' to make anyone want to get right to it. I love the variations and ideas given in this book. Each one is better and more impressive than the last. The directions are easy to read and I believe I can do them on my own. It starts you off with the basics and your progress to more intricate Pergolas. I keep reading it for ideas I hope to put into play next season. I saw several I want in my yard. You will enjoy this book, if you are an avid gardener as I am. Your hands will start itching and the ideas will flow. I guarantee it. Happy Gardening! Well next year, anyway.

Our beloved dog passed away and we decided to create a memorial garden to honor all our pets who have gone on. After searching the internet for plans, I decided to check for an actual book, and I happened upon this one. There are MANY choices complete with instructions, and great pictures. In just a few moments, we had selected several to fuse together to create our own. This book sparked our imaginations, and I found it invaluable. We can't wait to get started.

I was looking for a book that gave specific directions for several types of structures and in particular pergolas. This book had great pictures and the directions for construction of a pergola were simple and easy to follow.

This is an excellent how-to book; great designs, clear instructions and easy to read text. This is a

good book for the beginner thru the professional. I highly recommend it.

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