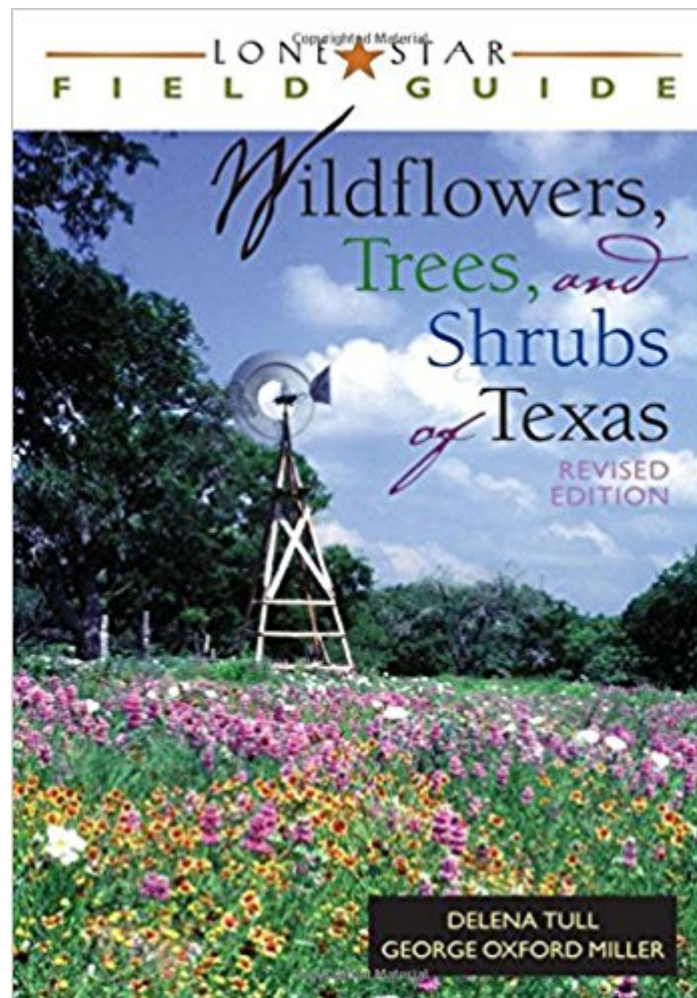




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With the Rocky Mountains to the west, the Great Plains to the North, the Chihuahan Desert to the south and the Gulf of Mexico to the east, Texas lies at the biological crossroads of North America. More than 5,000 flowering plants, from tiny herbs to towering trees, grow in these vast and diverse habitats. This book describes more than 600 species of the most common Texas wildflowers, trees, shrubs, and cacti in a well-illustrated, easy-to-use format. With over 400 color photographs, drawings, identification keys, and range maps for each species, the book uses a step-by-step process to easily identify major plant features. (Wildflowers, for example, are arranged by color for easy identification.) Essentially three books in one, this handy guide will be invaluable for weekend naturalists, gardeners, and nature lovers in general.

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Customer Reviews

Easy to read and is a useful source for both casual and serious gardeners. (Meda Kessler Star-Telegram)

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I don't know about the print version, but in the digital version the pictures are not only too small, they are way too dark for the most part. If only a few had been unrecognizably dark, I might have been able to live with the small photos. Unfortunately the majority of the ones I looked at were dark. I'll be sorrowfully returning this e-book.

Gave this to my Aunt and she loves it. She has been able to identify some of the plants in her pasture.

at least not in Kindle form. Maybe the paperback would be more helpful. I really didn't want to read 5 chapters about botany before I got into the meat. I just wanted to know what that pretty yellow flower was by my campsite. USELESS for that.

This is a good source for detailed information about many of the shrubs, trees and flowers of Texas. I recently moved here and want to identify what is growing on our property. My only criticism is that the pictures could be bigger, allowing you to see the plants in greater detail.

Bought this for my wife and she likes it.

This book has some great pictures and is perfectly descriptive. If you are looking for a good plant material ID book for Texas, look no further. Buy this if you have read this far, you won't be disappointed.

I really have enjoyed this book & think some of my Grandkids will too. We can more tell what trees, wildflowers & shrubs we are looking at.

The book was informative , but incomplete. It focused entirely on plants that are NATIVE to Texas,not the many plants that have introduced to the area.

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