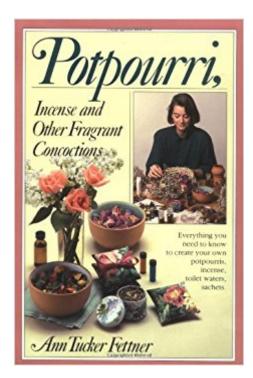


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Potpourri, Incense, And Other Fragrant Concoctions





Synopsis

"Recipes for making potpourri sachets, scented candles, [and more]. . . Many good suggestions for decorating. . ."-- Library Journal. "This delightful little book is for all flower lovers, rose gardeners, herb fanciers, and all who love the sweet smell of spring. Included are recipes and instructions for making enchanted scented concoctions-things like potpourris, sachets, incense, pomander balls, toilet water, and other flowery things"-- The South Carolina Gardener. Selection of the Better Homes & Gardens Family Book Service. 209,000 copies in print.

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Customer Reviews

I'm sure this book would be very useful for someone who has an enormous fragrant flower garden and time to make lots of potpourri. Lacking the garden, about all you can do is dream.

I have an older edition, and was very happy to get this for someone with like interest. Great condition and quick delivery. Thank you.

Some great recipes for incense, but I don't recommend using saltpeter, so find substitutes for that ingredient.

It has everything and info that I have been looking for. It can be used for both christians and non christians including pagans

This is about the only book on the market that I've been able to find on making aromatics that isn't just stuffed with useless "new age" tripe, especially on making incense. Incense is more than 5000 years old. Wicca and the literary works it is based on have been around at most 200 years. The use of incense in Christian services alone predates the wiccan use of it by at least 1800 years, yet every reference available bombards you with the nonsensical "modern" reinterpretation. Rubbish. The antiquity of incense is well established, and in all that time, the process for making it has changed little. If you are looking for a simple book on making incense, potpourri and other fragrant things, without all the odius drivel, this is the best I've been able to find to date.

As a general book for people wanting to work with fragrant materials it has some contribution, but I couldn't recommend the techniques on making incense, or for someone looking for books on natural aromatics. That just isn't what this book is about.

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