

Garden Gifts

One in four Americans rank gardening as their favorite hobby. Home gardeners really enjoy receiving garden related gifts for the holidays. Gardeners can appreciate plant books, hand pruners, work gloves, sun hats, trowels, knee pads, plant labels, decorative sculpture, ceramic, clay or resin planters. Gifts of live plants are the ultimate desire of all garden hobbyists. Give a gardener a houseplant, tropical fruit tree, ornamental flowering shrub or vine, shade tree, palm or a planter filled with vegetables. Plants can provide enjoyment beyond the holidays. Consider giving a gardener a trip to a botanical garden, a garden bench for contemplation, bird bath, a piece of architectural salvage or a membership to a local plant society. Here is a list of our local plant societies, the Palm Beach Chapter of the Rare Fruit Council, The Evening Herb Society, Begonia Society of the Palm Beaches, Orchid Society of the Palm Beaches, Florida Native Plant Society Palm Beach Chapter, Bonsai Society of the Palm Beaches, Boca Raton Bromeliad Society, Tropical Orchid Society, Palm Beach Palm & Cycad Society, Herb Society of Palm Beach County, Greater Palm Beach Rose Society, Conrad Sunrise Chapter American Hibiscus Society, Beekeepers Association of Palm Beach County. For more information on visiting the Mounts Botanical Garden and the Mounts Bookstore located at 531 North Military Trail West Palm call 561-233-1757. For plant society contact phone numbers call the Master Gardener volunteer hotline at 561-233-1750.

