

International Book of Orchids, by Hunt, P. Francis

P. Francis Hodges does a very good job of presenting a book that has something for everyone. If you are new to the world of orchids, the chapter entitled ""Orchids for the Amateur Grower" is sure to be an interest to you. The "beginners 20" outlines the easier to grow orchids for the amateur.

If you have an interest in learning more about the physical nature of orchids "The Nature of Orchids" chapter provides botanical/biological information to help you understand the physical components of orchids.

If you're interested in building a greenhouse, there is a section that gives you information and advice on how to build and equip your greenhouse to make the most of your new endeavor.

If you have a scientific interest, the chapter on "How to Grow Orchids" will certainly pique your interest. From information on general cultivation to highly technical propagation information, there is something for everyone here, even if you never want to do the detailed propagation process.

If you simply want to find out more about orchids sources of information, the Chapter on "Where to Find Out About Orchids" will interest you.

While this book is engaging, knowing a little bit about Orchid terms will help you get the most out of this read. You can always "look up/google" terms that are unfamiliar. Enjoy the read.

