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Sustainable Gardening Talks

Easy first steps to an earth-friendly garden

You can adjust your gardening methods to act on your environmental principles while still creating a beautiful garden. In this talk I describe a simple method for making compost and improving soil. I offer easy ways to make mulch from free materials you can find close to home. I reveal a time-saving, earth-friendly way to prepare beds for annuals and vegetables in spring. And I give you a quick recipe for making peat-free potting mix for use in your containers.

Biography

Rebecca Warner is a home gardener in Newton with thirty years' experience working toward a sustainable garden. Her book, *The Sustainable-Enough Garden* is the story of her quest to make a beautiful garden that's environmentally friendly. In the last six years she has overhauled her garden practices, from composting to mulching, lawn care to irrigation. She blogs weekly at thesustainable-enoughgarden.blogspot.com/.