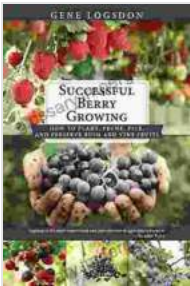


# How To Plant Prune Pick And Preserve Bush And Vine Fruits



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## The Essential Guide to Growing and Preserving Delicious Fruits

If you're thinking about growing your own fruit, bush and vine fruits are a great option. They're relatively easy to care for, and they can produce a bountiful harvest of delicious fruit. But if you want to get the most out of your fruit trees and vines, it's important to know how to plant, prune, pick, and preserve them properly.

### Planting

When planting bush and vine fruits, it's important to choose a location that gets plenty of sun. The soil should be well-drained and fertile. You'll also need to make sure that the plants are spaced far enough apart so that they have room to grow.

Once you've chosen a location, dig a hole that is twice as wide as the root ball and just as deep. Place the plant in the hole and fill in the soil around the roots. Water the plant deeply and mulch around the base to help retain moisture.

## **Pruning**

Pruning is an important part of caring for bush and vine fruits. Pruning helps to control the size and shape of the plants, and it also encourages new growth. Pruning also helps to improve the quality of the fruit by removing diseased or damaged branches.

The best time to prune bush and vine fruits is in the late winter or early spring, before the new growth begins. When pruning, always use sharp, clean pruning shears. Make clean cuts at a 45-degree angle, and remove any diseased or damaged branches.

## **Picking**

Picking bush and vine fruits is a rewarding experience. When the fruit is ripe, it will be easy to pick. Simply hold the fruit in your hand and gently twist it off the branch. Be careful not to damage the fruit or the plant.

Once you've picked the fruit, it's important to store it properly. Most bush and vine fruits can be stored in the refrigerator for up to a week. You can also freeze or can the fruit to preserve it for longer.

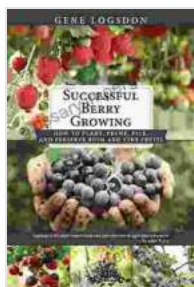
## **Preserving**

There are many different ways to preserve bush and vine fruits. You can can, freeze, or dry the fruit. Canning is a great way to preserve large

quantities of fruit. Freezing is a convenient way to preserve fruit for a few months. Drying is a good way to preserve fruit for a long time.

No matter which method you choose, preserving bush and vine fruits is a great way to enjoy the fruits of your labor all year long.

Growing and preserving bush and vine fruits is a rewarding experience. With a little care and attention, you can enjoy delicious, homegrown fruit for years to come.



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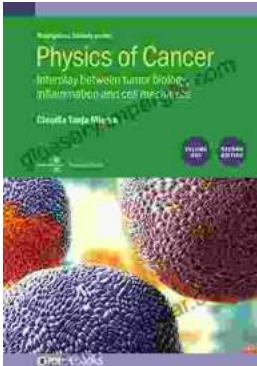
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