



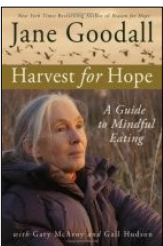
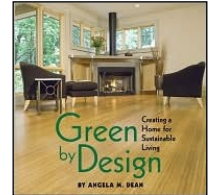
GREEN LIVING

[Green by Design: Creating a Home for Sustainable Living](#)

by Angela M. Dean (728 DEAN)

Green by Design provides a thorough analysis of what it means to build green and offers advice on what to consider when designing a

sustainable home. It features full-color photographs and line drawings of floor plans that show different examples of successful sustainable homes. *Green by Design* puts readers on a path to creating beautiful, environmentally responsible homes that they can be proud to live in by providing people with knowledge, inspiration, and the ability to ask the right questions (and understand the answers).

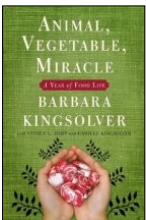


[Harvest for Hope: a Guide to Mindful Eating](#) by Jane Goodall (641.3 GOODA)

With a firm but gentle touch, Dr. Goodall paints a global landscape in which corporations own the rainwater, patent the earth's seeds, and produce mysterious "Frankenfoods." Offering her hopeful, stirring vision, she introduces us to inspiring everyday heroes like French activists who protest against genetically modified crops and John Mackey, the founder of whole foods, who has vowed to sell only ethically raised animal products. Goodall offers simple strategies to foster a sustainable society by eating organic, shopping at farmer's markets, and taking other mindful measures, we can all do our part to reclaim our food, our health, and our planet.

[Green Living: the E Magazine Handbook for Living Lightly on the Earth](#) (640 GRE)

Chapters cover food choices, natural health care, personal hygiene products, natural-fiber clothing, pet products, socially responsible investing, home infrastructure, products for babies and children, organic gardening, energy, travel, and recycling. From energy efficient water heaters to environmental banking and ecotourism, *The Green Book* provides discussion of how to live more environmentally.

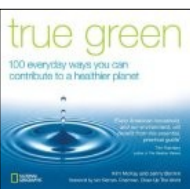
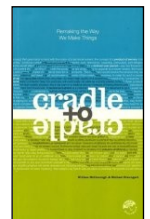


[Animal, Vegetable, Miracle: a Year of Food Life](#) by Barbara Kingsolver (641.097 KINGS)

When Kingsolver and her family move from suburban Arizona to rural Appalachia, they take on a new challenge: to spend a year on a locally produced diet, paying close attention to the provenance of all they consume. Believing that most of us have better options available, Kingsolver and her family set out to prove for themselves that a local diet is not just better for the economy and environment but also better on the table.

[Cradle to Cradle: Remaking the Way We Make Things](#) by William McDonough (745.2 MCDON)

"Reduce, reuse, recycle" urge environmentalists; in other words, do more with less in order to minimize damage. This is in opposition to the "cradle to grave" manufacturing model that casts off as much as 90 percent of the materials it uses as waste, much of it toxic. Why not challenge the notion that human industry must inevitably damage the natural world, they ask. McDonough and Braundart outline their principles from experience; (re)designing everything from carpeting to corporate campuses, the authors make an exciting and viable case for change.



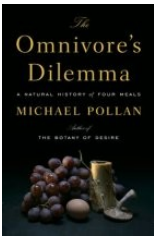
[True Green: 100 Everyday Ways You Can Contribute to a Healthier Planet](#)

by Kim McKay (333.72 MCKAY)

True Green explores six key areas where small changes can make a big difference: In the Home; In the Garden; At Work; Shopping; Travel; and In the Community. Dozens of illustrated spreads provide positive, practical, simple-to-implement tips and a summary of their environmental contribution.



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[The Omnivore's Dilemma: a Natural History of Four Meals](#)

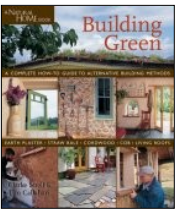
by Michael Pollan (394.1 POLLA)

A *New York Times* bestseller that has changed the way readers view the ecology of eating, this revolutionary book by award winner Michael Pollan asks the seemingly simple question: What should we have for dinner? Tracing from source to table each of the food chains that sustain us - whether industrial or organic, alternative or processed - he develops a portrait of the American way of eating. The result is an exploration of the hungers that have shaped our evolution, and of the profound implications our food choices have for the health of our species and the future of our planet.

[The Green Book: the Everyday Guide to Saving the Planet One Simple Step at a Time](#)

by Elizabeth Rogers (333.72 ROGER)

With wit and authority, authors Elizabeth Rogers and Thomas Kostigen provide hundreds of solutions for all areas of your life, pinpointing the smallest changes that have the biggest impact on the health of our precious planet such as: don't ask for ATM receipts. If no one asked for a receipt, it could save enough paper to circle the equator fifteen times. If all answering machines in U.S. homes were replaced by voice-mail services, the annual energy savings would total nearly two billion kilowatt hours.



[Building Green: a Complete How-to Guide to Alternative Building Methods](#)

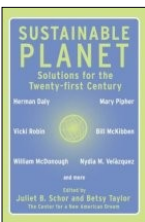
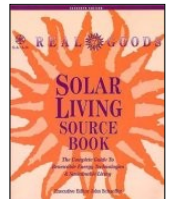
by Clarke Snell (690 SNELL)

It's absolutely groundbreaking, the first of its kind: a manual that doesn't just talk about eco-friendly building techniques, but actually *shows* every step. More than 1,200 close-up photographs, along with in-depth descriptions, follow the real construction of an alternative house from site selection to the addition of final-touch interior details. Co-authors Snell and Callahan provide thorough discussions of the fundamental concepts of construction, Earth-friendly alternatives to conventional approaches, and practical plans for a home that's not only comfortable and beautiful, but environmentally responsible.

[Solar Living Sourcebook: the Complete Guide to Renewable Energy Technologies and Sustainable Living](#)

by John Schaeffer & the Real Goods staff (697 SOL)

The Real Goods Solar Living Sourcebook is considered "the bible of independent living and renewable energy." It includes products ranging from simple energy-saving devices like compact fluorescent lights to home-scale energy-harvesting systems that utilize the sun, wind, and water to make electricity for people living "off-the-grid."



[Sustainable Planet: Solutions for the Twenty-First Century](#)

by Juliet Schor & Betsy Taylor (306 SUSTA)

In *Sustainable Planet*, some of the best known writers on sustainable living—Juliet Schor, Bill McKibben, Mary Pipher, Herman Daly, Vicki Robin, and William McDonough—write about how we might change the way we live. The authors dissect the problems plaguing our society and offer practical advice about how to change the way we live.