

GOING GREEN!
(Environmentally—building, home, cleaning, etc.)

333.72 Dorfman 07/2007

Dorfman, Josh. **The Lazy Environmentalist: Your Guide To Easy, Stylish, Green Living.** Covering everything from clothing to real estate to electronics, this comprehensive directory provides alternatives to almost every traditional consumer product.

333.72 Green 2005

Green Building Products: The GreenSpec Guide to Residential Building Materials. Chockful of details about every imaginable building material, this book also provides company names and contact information.

333.72 Trask 2006

Trask, Crissy. **It's Easy Being Green: A Handbook For Earth-Friendly Living.** A very helpful, uncomplicated approach to living as green as possible.

333.79 Pahl 2007

Pahl, Greg. The Citizen-Powered Energy Handbook: Community Solutions to a Global Crisis. Five renewable energy technologies are explained simply, with an eye to ingenuity and small-bore efforts that are one way to deal with an energy crisis.

DVD 363.7 Design

Fettig, Tad. **Design e² : The Economies of Being Environmentally Conscious.** A six-part series, originally on PBS, explores the green movement as expressed in architecture worldwide.

363.705 Friedman 09/2008

Friedman, Thomas L. Hot, Flat, and Crowded: Why We Need a Green Revolution--and How It Can Renew America. An argument for encouraging the United States to lead the way towards a sustainable future, renewing our technological, economic and moral leadership, and improving the environment worldwide.

640 Gavigan 04/2008

Gavigan, Christopher. Healthy Child, Healthy World: Creating a Cleaner, Greener, Safer Home. A host of celebrities and a wealth of ideas make this an excellent start for de-toxifying your home, and includes a 21 page of alternatives—everything from air quality and diapers to pet supplies and blogs.

640 Horn (2006)

Horn, Greg. **Living Green: A Practical Guide to Simple Sustainability.**

Ways of living sustainably, with recommendations for clothing, food, building materials, health products, and just about everything else that humans use and consume.

640 Jeffery

Jeffery, Yvonne., et al. **Green Living for Dummies.**

The authors have investigated every possible nook and cranny for green opportunities for recycling, living green at home, raising green kids, , becoming a green traveler, and many more.

643.3 Roberts 2006

Roberts, Jennifer. **Good Green Kitchens: The Ultimate Resource for Creating a Beautiful, Healthy, Eco-Friendly Kitchen.**

Beautiful photos, tables of pros and cons for alternative materials, contact information, and intelligent discussions comprise a very useful tool for new kitchen design.

643.7 Johnston

Johnston, David. **Green Remodeling: Changing the World One Room at a Time.**

Green tips combined with building basics provide a very complete guide to remodeling, both inside and out.

644 Hren 06/2008

Hren, Stephen and Rebekah. **The Carbon-Free Home: 36 Remodeling Projects to Help Kick the Fossil-Fuel Habit.**

A practical handbook for converting to a fossil-fuel free home, with lots of charts to help with choices.

644 Stoyke 10/2007

Stoyke, Godo. **The Carbon Buster's Home Energy Handbook: Slowing Climate Change and Saving Money.**

Lots of statistics and charts point out the cost-savings of carbon-busting, and ways of reducing your own carbon footprint with rational, inexpensive options.

648.5 Imus 04/2007

Imus, Deirdre. **Green This!**

The chemical content of common household cleansers listed by Imus will have readers scrambling for more natural solutions to cleaning products.

648.5 Jong 06/2007

Jong, Michael de. **Clean: The Humble Art Of Zen-Cleansing.**

The five “zen-cleansing ingredients”--baking soda, borax, lemon, salt, and white vinegar-- are put to the test with many different combinations and uses.

648.5 Sandbeck 2006

Sandbeck, Ellen. **Organic Housekeeping: In Which The Nontoxic Avenger Shows You How to Improve Your Health and That of Your Family While You Save Time, Money, and Perhaps , Your Sanity.**

Good, practical, nontoxic advice on an old topic.

648.5 Schoff 03/2008

Schoff, Jill Potvin. **Green-up Your Cleanup.**

How to clean your home without using chemicals is thoroughly covered, with additional information on cleaning cars, decks, roofing, fencing, driveways and preventable dirt build-up.

648.5 Strutt 05/2008

Strutt, Christina. **A Guide To Green Housekeeping: Life a Calmer, Healthier Life, Recycle and Reuse, Clean Naturally, Garden Organically.**

The message here is to return to simpler, less wasteful ways of keeping and cleaning a home, illustrated by wonderful photography.

649.1 Fassa 1/2008

Fassa, Lynda. **Green Babies, Sage Moms: The Ultimate Guide to Raising Your Organic Baby.**

Practical advice for parents and parents-to-be, with tips on avoiding non-organic, if not downright toxic, food, toys, clothing, diapers, cleaning supplies and household gear.

649.1 Rider 04/2007

Rider, Kimberly. **Organic Baby: Simple Steps for Healthy Living.**

Organic clothing, bedding, food, and cleaning products all designed for healthy babies are detailed here, even with pre-baby and delivery tips.

690.8 Chiras 2004

Chiras, Daniel D. **The New Ecological Home: The Complete Guide to Green Building Options.**

Many alternatives to traditional building materials are described, and the book includes useful building tips with each type of material.

690.8 Roy 02/2008

Roy, Robert L. **Stoneview: How To Build an Eco-Friendly Little Guesthouse.**

From design and site preparation to windows, doors, and interior finishing, this is a step-by-step guide to a simple and attractive building project.

690.8 Wilson

Wilson, Alex T. **Your Green Home: A Guide To Planning a Healthy, Environmentally Friendly New Home.**

A smart, comprehensive and well-organized book that covers home building from the ground up.

690.837 Chiras 11/2008

Chiras, Daniel D. **Green Home Improvement: 65 Projects That Will Cut Utility Bills, Protect Your Health, Help the Environment.**

Sprinkled with Go Green tips throughout, this guide examines all the possibilities for creating a stylish, green home which saves energy and the planet. Complete resource list at the end.

690.837 Freed 1/2008

Freed, Eric Corey. **Green Building and Remodeling for Dummies.**

Every aspect of building and remodeling is covered, along with cost analyses of differing methods and construction materials.

690.837 Kachador 2006

Kachadorian, James. **The Passive Solar House: The Complete Guide to Heating and Cooling Your Home.**

A practical guide to designing and building an efficient solar home, with numerous charts and graphs to help determine orientation and building materials.

690.837 Owens 2006

Owens, Ted. **Building With Awareness: The Construction of a Hybrid Home : DVD & Guidebook.**

A step-by-step guide to building an attractive, comfortable, and energy-efficient straw-bale home, complete with DVD to illustrate the construction techniques.

691 Art 2002

The Art of Natural Building: Design, Construction, Resources. Kennedy, Joseph F., Smith, Michael, and Wanek, Catherine, eds.

Paper, straw bales, rammed earth, bamboo—the ideas are endless in this practical guide which also covers landscaping, and using recycled materials.

712 Thompson 02/2008

Thompson, J. William. **Sustainable Landscape Construction : A Guide to Green Building Outdoors.**

Not a gardening guide, but a whole approach to maintaining a natural, environmentally sound landscape, which includes everything from road building to pest management.

DVD 728.047 Building

Bushkin, Tippy. **Building Green.**

A 2-DVD set following the construction of Kevin Contreras home, with guidance on straw bales, breathable paints, and blue jean insulation, resulting in a stylish and environmentally sound home.

728.1 Blueprin 10/2007

Wells, Walker. **Blueprint for Greening Affordable Housing.**

A compilation of case studies and best practices in green design that should prove useful to new or soon-to-be remodeled homes and public buildings.

747 Berman 12/2008

Berman, Alan. **Green Design: a Healthy Home Handbook.**

The photographs of the lovely interior rooms, all environmentally sound and using many alternative substances, are an inspiration for remodeling.

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