**Gardening Books**

Amaryllis, Paper whites and Poinsettias Growing, Propagating and Re-blooming Your Holiday Plants
By Miranda Hopkins

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**Garden Tips**

Begin to feed the birds and provide a water supply. Adding an aerator to your birdbath will keep the water from freezing.

Sharpen your garden tools and be sure they are clean before storing. This can be a good time to have your mower in for service after the final mowing.

Bring tender perennials and houseplants, such as rosemary, inside after a thorough inspection for any insects.

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**What’s Blooming This Month?**

**Plants for Fall and Winter Interest**

- American Holly/Ilex opaca/P
- Red Twig Dogwood/Cornus sericea/N P
- Yellow Twig Dogwood/Cornus sericea/N P
- Winterberry/Ilex verticillata/N P
- River Birch/Betula nigra/ N T or S
- Grasses P
- Harry Lauders Walking stick/Corylus avalena contorta/N T or S

This is an abbreviated list of blooming plants for this month.

What’s blooming in your garden?