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*In the tradition of Lars Mytting's  
Norwegian Wood, a beautifully  
illustrated chronicle of a year in the  
life of a beekeeper from Swedish*

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***author Lotte Möller The study of bees has often been considered a divine occupation, as the creature's attention to detail and purpose is so special, and the honey they produce almost magical. In this compelling cultural history that moves beautifully through the***

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***beekeeper's year, Swedish  
beekeeper and writer Lotte Möller  
shares her understanding of bees  
and bee lore from antiquity to the  
present with deep knowledge and  
sharp wit. Möller gives insight into  
the activity in the hive and  
describes the bees' natural order***

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***and habits. She explores the myths of the past, and how and when they were replaced by fact. In stories from her travels, Möller encounters a host of colorful characters, from a trigger-happy California beekeeper raging against both killer bees and bee politics, to the legendary***

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***Brother Adam of Buckfast Abbey, breeder of the Buckfast Queen, now popular around the world. Filled with bee illustrations buzzing from cover to endpaper, Bees and Their Keepers is a gorgeous book for the beekeeper and general reader alike. A compendium of classic queen***

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***rearing books by G.M. Doolittle,  
C.C. Miller, Henry Alley, Jay Smith,  
Isaac Hopkins and Frank Pellett  
with an overview by Michael Bush.  
These are the foundation of almost  
all queen rearing done today, all in  
one binding. These men laid the  
groundwork and worked out the***

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***details of practical systems of queen rearing. Pellet did a lot of distilling down of the various systems, which is very valuable, Smith perfected a lot of what Doolittle started. Miller and Hopkins were the queen rearing examples for the beekeeper who just wanted a***

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***few good queens for themselves. If you want to raise queens, these books are the place to start.***

***A charming and practical guide for anyone wishing to keep bees, accompanying the would-be beekeeper through every season of the bee-keeping year. From spring***

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***awakening and summer swarms to the autumn honey harvest and providing winter protection, this essential resource guides you each step of the way. There is extensive advice for beekeeping beginners, from siting and smoking your hives to rearing a queen and controlling***

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***your swarm. There is also in-depth information for improvers and more experienced apiarists who wish to experiment with different hive-management and queen-rearing techniques. Troubleshooting tips on protecting your hives and keeping your bees healthy are also***

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***covered. The book is also packed with practical advice on using beeswax, and of course, extracting and making the tastiest honey.***

***Basics of ... Beekeeping***

***Beekeeping - A Seasonal Guide***

***The Principles of Bee Improvement***

***How to Get Better Bees***

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*From waggle-dancing to killer bees,  
from Aristotle to Winnie-the-Pooh  
The Untold Story of the Honey Bee  
in the Wild*

**Jo Widdicombe, B.Sc.  
(Hons.) Environmental  
Science, has been**

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**beekeeping for over 30 years and has been a member of BIBBA for more than 25 years, serving on the BIBBA Committee. Jo worked as a Seasonal Bee Inspector for 5 years and is**

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**a Bee Farmer in Cornwall  
running over 100 colonies.  
"The Principles of Bee  
Improvement" offers a  
practical approach and is  
an attempt to lay down  
guidelines which are true**

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**and applicable to  
beekeepers in any  
circumstance. Rather than  
searching the country, or  
the world, for the perfect  
bee to breed from, this  
book explains how to select**

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**and improve bees from the local bee population. It discusses the problems of importation, the use of natural and artificial selection, assessment of colonies and selection**

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**within a strain. By following these methods, the standards of our bees can be raised, producing gentle, hardy and productive bees. First published in 2000.**

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**Routledge is an imprint of  
Taylor & Francis, an  
informa company.**

**Howes M802 "Probably the  
first study of the behavior  
of a single animal in the  
mordern sense and**

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**certainly the first American work in comparative psychology."--Gach. "..long regarded as a classic on the subject." DAB, Vol. XIII, 185.**

**Guide to Bees & Honey**

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**Heather Honey  
Beekeeping at Buckfast  
Fifty Years Among the Bees  
The Introduction of Queen  
Bees  
The Backyard Beekeeper -  
Revised and Updated, 3rd**

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## **Edition**

Beekeeping is many things to many people. Maybe it's a hobby, a vocation, a commercial enterprise or your field of study. It will almost certainly become an obsession. For author Steve

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Donohoe, beekeeping was a form of therapy - an escape from the stresses of corporate life to something natural and healing. Steve decided to write the book that he wanted to read but couldn't find anywhere. Seeking

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out some of the most successful beekeepers in the world, Steve spent time with them, interviewed and got to know them. This book is a collection of the wisdom, experiences, opinions and stories of these

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legends of beekeeping. A rare insight into the lives of commercial beekeepers, warts and all, Interviews With Beekeepers is gold dust to anyone who wants to know more about keeping bees. A unique

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book on beekeeping, bee farming, raising queen bees, honey crops, dealing with swarming, finding apiary sites and much more.

This classic work has been greatly enhanced and extended

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with both photographs and images to illustrate the many facets of Beekeeping. A guide for the aspiring apiarist. All you need to know to get started in beekeeping. In this updated edition, a compilation of advice

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from Langstroth, Quinby, Huber, and a number of contemporary contributors, you will find everything you need to know about Honeybees, Apiculture, Honey and Pollen, the Hive, the Apiary, Breeding, Pasturage,

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Feeding, Swarming, Replacing the Queen, Enemies of Bees, Colony Collapse Disorder, and the mysterious Behavior of Bees. Well illustrated.

A beautifully illustrated and thoroughly engaging cultural

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history of beekeeping - packed with anecdote, humour and enriching historical detail. The perfect gift. "A charming look at the history of beekeeping, from myth and folklore to our practical relationship with bees" Gardens

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Illustrated "An entertaining collation of bee trivia across the millennia" Daily Telegraph \*  
Sweden's Gardening Book of the Year 2019 \* Shortlisted for the August Prize 2019 \* Winner of the Swedish Book Design Award

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for 2019 Beekeeper and garden historian Lotte Möller explores the activities inside and outside the hive while charting the bees' natural order and habits. With a light touch she uses her encyclopaedic knowledge of the

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subject to shed light on humanity's understanding of bees and bee lore from antiquity to the present. A humorous debunking of the myths that have held for centuries is matched by a wry exploration of

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of Læso, and Brother Adam of Buckfast Abbey, breeder of the Buckfast queen now popular throughout Europe and beyond, as well a host of others as passionate as she about the complex world of apiculture both

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past and present. Translated  
from the Swedish by Frank Perry  
The Bee Walk - Being the  
Romance and Practice of  
Beekeeping  
A New Book on Beekeeping  
which Continues the Tradition of

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Langstroth on the Hive and the  
Honeybee

How to Raise Beautiful Comb  
Honey

A Pocket Guide to the Health and  
Care of Bees

Plants Honey Bees Use in the

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Ohio and Tennessee Valleys  
The Classic Beekeeper's Manual  
Steve Taber was a giant of the craft. He brought a wide experience in practical beekeeping to the problems of breeding. This volume brings together in one place a life

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times of experience

The good thing is that becoming a backyard beekeeper isn't as hard as people think. This insightful guide provides all the necessary tools and techniques needed to help anyone become a real

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backyard beekeeper. Beekeeping for Beginners shares all the basics to help novices get started; it is a simple, step-by-step guide that features the fundamentals of modern beekeeping, and current natural approaches. Here's A Little

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Peek Inside The Book: · Supplies for beekeeping · Preparation of the bee boxes · Safety with bees · Starting the honey bees · Maintaining the hives · Harvesting the honey · All that and much more... It's simpler than you think to

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get started and you likely already have the necessary funds to purchase all the tools that you need several times. You also don't need to know anything about beekeeping to get started since this book is written with beginners in minds, yet

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it also has plenty of content for people who already know what they're doing.

Brother Adam O.B.E., D.Sc. was undeniably one of the world's leading authorities on the races and strains of honeybees. His world-

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wide travel in search of bees and his beekeeping at Buckfast Abbey have inspired vast admiration. In this work we learn of the philosophy, the science and the practice of his life's work - honey production and bee breeding.

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The Lives of Bees

Queen Breeding and Genetics

Starting Beekeeping in Ireland -

The No Nonsense Guide

An Absolute Beginner's Guide to

Keeping Bees in Your Yard and

Garden - New Material Includes: -

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The Latest Techniques in the Battle  
Against Invasive Mites - The 25  
Rules of Modern Beekeeping - All  
about Urban Beekeeping - How to  
Use Top Bar Hives  
A Practical Manual Of Beekeeping  
How to keep bees and develop

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your full potential as an apiarist  
A fascinating hobby; a remunerative  
business; or a globetrotting career?  
Which type of beekeeper do you want  
to be? It is entirely up to you:  
beekeeping can provide it  
all. Beekeeping can provide anyone  
with an interesting and useful hobby or

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a lucrative and rewarding business. It is recognised as a vital agricultural industry and can therefore also offer you a globe trotting career. The whole subject is, however, often shrouded in mystery and loaded with jargon, leaving many people unaware of its true potential or how to start. This

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book strips away all the mystery and explains step by step how - from day one - you can start beekeeping as a hobby; how you can progress to running a beekeeping business; or how you can start a career as a beekeeper which can quite easily take you all over the world. No other guide

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explains in such detail the true potential and accessibility of beekeeping or of being a beekeeper. The Backyard Beekeeper, now revised and expanded, makes the time-honored and complex tradition of beekeeping an enjoyable and accessible backyard pastime that will

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appeal to gardeners, crafters, and cooks everywhere. This expanded edition gives you even more information on "greening" your beekeeping with sustainable practices, pesticide-resistant bees, and urban and suburban beekeeping. More than a guide to beekeeping, it is a

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handbook for harvesting the products of a beehive and a honey cookbook--all in one lively, beautifully illustrated reference. This complete honey bee resource contains general information on bees; a how-to guide to the art of bee keeping and how to set up, care for, and harvest honey from

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your own colonies; as well as tons of bee-related facts and projects. You'll learn the best location to place your new bee colonies for their safety and yours, and you'll study the best organic and nontoxic ways to care for your bees, from providing fresh water and protection from the elements to

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keeping them healthy, happy, and productive. Recipes of delicious treats, and instructions on how to use honey and beeswax to make candles and beauty treatments are also included. How the lives of wild honey bees offer vital lessons for saving the world's managed bee colonies Humans have

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kept honey bees in hives for millennia, yet only in recent decades have biologists begun to investigate how these industrious insects live in the wild. *The Lives of Bees* is Thomas Seeley's captivating story of what scientists are learning about the behavior, social life, and survival

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strategies of honey bees living outside the beekeeper's hive—and how wild honey bees may hold the key to reversing the alarming die-off of the planet's managed honey bee populations. Seeley, a world authority on honey bees, sheds light on why wild honey bees are still thriving while

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those living in managed colonies are in crisis. Drawing on the latest science as well as insights from his own pioneering fieldwork, he describes in extraordinary detail how honey bees live in nature and shows how this differs significantly from their lives under the management of beekeepers.

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Seeley presents an entirely new approach to beekeeping—Darwinian Beekeeping—which enables honey bees to use the toolkit of survival skills their species has acquired over the past thirty million years, and to evolve solutions to the new challenges they face today. He shows beekeepers how

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to use the principles of natural selection to guide their practices, and he offers a new vision of how beekeeping can better align with the natural habits of honey bees. Engagingly written and deeply personal, *The Lives of Bees* reveals how we can become better custodians

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of honey bees and make use of their resources in ways that enrich their lives as well as our own.

With a Section on Meadmaking  
The Art & Adventure of Beekeeping  
The Barefoot Beekeeper  
Classic Queen Rearing Compendium  
Breeding the Honeybee

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HEATHER HONEY - An Anthology of  
Works

*HEATHER HONEY - An  
Anthology of Works by; Francis  
Sitwell The Rev. Bro. Adam  
Colin Weightman William  
Hamilton & Peter Schollick*

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*books have appeared at local associations either in their libraries or as occasional raffle prizes. Because I like 'making books' I have put them all together including one by Peter Schollick specially written for this*

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*book. by Ian Copinger*

*This guide is a diagnostic tool  
and an aide memoire for the  
hobbyist and for the professional  
beekeeper, who may know what  
to do but will at times need the  
information close to hand. It*

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*includes: - A troubleshooting  
guide to problems with colonies  
and queen bees - A guide to the  
field diagnosis, treatment and  
control of diseases - Seasonal  
apiary management checklists -  
Hive product harvesting*

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*checklists - The beekeeper's  
ready reckoner The second and  
revised edition of this fully  
illustrated and handy guide to the  
apiary brings the science and  
craft of beekeeping to  
beekeepers right where they*

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*need it - in the field with the bees. Contents: Preface; List of figures; List of photographs; List of tables; Picture credits; Introduction; Part A: Setting up an Apiary; Part B: Crops, Trees and Plants for Bees; Part C:*

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*Troubleshooting Guide to Field  
Operations; Part D: Swarm  
Prevention and Control; Part E:  
Queen Bees; Part F: Honey  
Harvest Procedures; Part G:  
Hive Checks; Part H: Pests and  
Diseases; Part I: A Beekeeper's*

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*Ready-reckoner; Part J.  
Beginning and experienced  
beekeepers are furnished with  
information on honeybee social  
order and communication,  
beekeeping equipment, and hive  
management*

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*For the Love of Bees*  
*Breeding Super Bees*  
*Bees and Beekeeping*  
*Bee-keeping at Buckfast Abbey*  
*How to Keep Bees and Sell*  
*Honey*  
*Beekeeping: A Beginner's Guide*

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*to Becoming a Successful  
Backyard Beekeeper (How to  
Start, Finance & Market a  
Beekeeping Business)  
Bee-keeping at Buckfast Abbey With a  
Section on Meadmaking Lightning  
Source Incorporated*

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*"Brother Adam draws on his life-time experience of beekeeping to explain why Buckfast Abbey has been so successful at beekeeping for so many years. This 4th updated edition also contains a section on mead making."--Provided by publisher.  
This influential guide by "the father of*

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*modern beekeeping," originally published in 1853, constitutes the first descriptive treatise of modern bee management. Its innovations allowed people to engage in actual beekeeping, rather than simply handling bee domiciles and extracting the honey. The techniques*

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*it explains and illustrates are still employed 150 years later--including the author's patented invention, a movable frame hive. In a reader-friendly, enthusiastic style, Langstroth addresses every aspect of beekeeping: bee physiology; diseases and enemies of bees; the life-cycles*

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*of the queen, drone, and worker; bee-hives; the handling of bees; and many other topics. Unabridged republication of the classic 1878 (fourth) edition.--Publisher description.*

*The Story of Brother Adam of  
Buckfast Abbey*

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*Honey Farming*

*A Journey Through Seasons and  
Centuries*

*The American Beaver and His Works*

*The World History of Beekeeping and  
Honey Hunting*

*Start Beekeeping*

Across the country, honey bees gather

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nectar and pollen from a wide variety of plants. However, the specific plants a hive uses depends on its location. Some plants only grow in certain parts of the country. Other plants grow across a wide range, but honey bees may use them more in some states than in others. Plants

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Honey Bees Use in the Ohio and Tennessee Valleys is the first book to focus on the plants used by honey bees in this area. Written by a beekeeper and wildlife biologist, Plants Honey Bees Use in the Ohio and Tennessee Valleys contains full color pictures and

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descriptions of over 175 plants organized by when they bloom. Also included are chapters about honey bees and their plight, honey bee foraging behavior, factors that influence nectar and pollen production throughout a plant's range, and planting for honey bees. Plants

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Honey Bees Use in the Ohio and Tennessee Valleys was written as a guide for anyone who is interested in honey bees. Whether you are a beekeeper who wants to know what flowers your bees are visiting, or a homeowner who wants to know what you can plant for honey

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bees, this book is for you.

A beautifully illustrated and thoroughly engaging cultural history of beekeeping - packed with anecdote, humour and enriching historical detail. The perfect gift. Beekeeper and garden historian Lotte M ö ller explores the activities

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Swedish by Frank Perry - Sweden's  
Gardening Book of the Year 2019,  
shortlisted for the August Prize 2019  
The Barefoot Beekeeper is a book about  
chemical-free beekeeping, showing how  
it can be made accessible for all including  
those with disabilities. No heavy lifting is

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required. The author advocates small-scale, low-impact beekeeping with minimal disturbance to the bees and more time spent observing and learning from them. He shows how to make everything you need to keep bees yourself using recycled materials and

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simple tools.

Raise Your Own Queens by the Punched  
Cell Method

Interviews With Beekeepers

The Beekeeper's Field Guide

In Religion, Revolution and Evolution

A Comprehensive Guide

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The Guide to Caring For Honey Bees