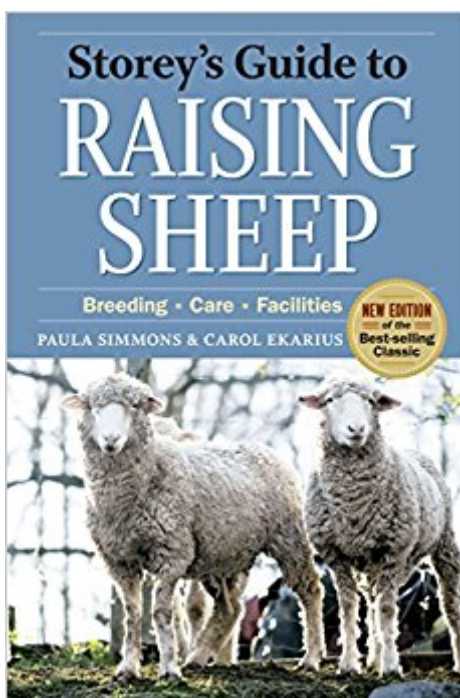


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I found this book to be thorough in its content and what you need to know to raise any kind of sheep. Complete span of necessary information for the professional with a large flock, or for those who want to start and raise just a few. Filled with terrific information. I currently have 80 ewes and 4 rams of Barbado. Based on information I gained from this book I will be introducing rams and ewes from two different breeds, to create a blood-line that will be optimal for production in my geography and climate, and on my acreage. I'm looking to eventually have maximum flock size of 280. I am very grateful to the two authors for sharing their knowledge and all this information.

In the past, I have purchased other Storey's Guide books and found them to be excellent resources. The Raising Sheep version of the guide book series I found too general. The book appears to be written for individuals considering raising sheep in the future. For those current raising sheep, the book falls short on detail. Books by Laura Lawson or the Web site Sheep 201 provide much more detail on raising sheep.

The definitive work on raising sheep. I am reading it cover to cover and will also keep it for a future reference guide. I got it both in paperback and Kindle versions, that's how good it is.

I live in town and have no aspirations to take up shepherding. However, if you (like me) write fiction, this is a GREAT reference. I found a wealth of easy-to-understand information to enhance the realism of the ancient sheep herder in my next novel. Although my reason for purchasing the book is not exactly mainstream, I enjoyed and highly recommend it.

As somebody who is new to sheep, but has extensive experience in other livestock, this book helped me have the confidence to start my flock. A lot of good information on diseases, breeding, lambing, shearing as well as breeds and guardian animals. Even has information on fencing, handling and housing. If you have some experience or are a total novice this book is great and a fantastic price point and place to get started.

As someone who knows nothing about sheep, this book was extremely helpful. I am excited about applying this knowledge when I get sheep later this year.

You cant go wrong when you by Storey's guide to anything, great book!

I'm very much pleased about this very good guide for raising sheep. All my question have a answer and so much more then I ever tink about. I'm Italian and my english is poor, but in any case the easy way to write it, made me able to understand everything well.

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