



Getting Friendly with Fungi

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*I recommend checking items with **bold** entries first.*

Some books are "out of print," but if you can find a used copy reasonably priced, you'll be delighted!

Field Guides

California Mushrooms, Dennis Desjardin et al., 2015 See californiafungi.com All you need for local fungi.

Mushrooms of North America, OK, Jr. and Hope Miller, 2006 - essential for USA fungi study

Mushrooms Demystified, David Arora, 2nd ed., 1986

Scheduled to be republished in 2016. Worth the wait, if you can, or pick up a used copy 'till then.

Background Books

The Complete Mushroom Hunter, Gary Lincoff, 2010

A Separate Kingdom, L Parker, DT Jenkins, 1979

The Romance of the Fungus World, Rolie and Rolie, 1925 (Dover, 1974), quite artful and inexpensive

Toxic and Hallucinogenic Mushroom Poisoning, Gary Lincoff, & DH Mitchel, 1977, medical/technical

Mushrooms for Color, Miriam Rice * D. Beebee, 1980 regarding dying textiles

Cookbooks

Joe's Book of Mushroom Cookery, Jack Czarnecki, 1986 (has since been updated) - my favorite

The Joy of Truffles, Pub: Benedikt Taschen Veriag Gmbit, 1998

Organizations

Los Angeles Mycological Society - our local club with outings, lectures, sometimes a February Festival

<http://www.lamushrooms.org>

North American Mycological Society - see their Photography Contest entries

<http://namyco.org>

San Diego Mycological Society

<http://www.sdmyco.org>

WEB Sites

Natural History of Orange County (Fungi Page) - best resource for all living things in OC, including some fungi

<http://nathistoc.bio.uci.edu/Fungi/index.htm>

Mushroom Observer, International mushroom ID with location <http://MushroomObserver.org>

Mykoweb - The Fungi of California - descriptions and photos <http://www.mykoweb.com/CAF/index.html>

Encyclopedia of Life - the world of Life <http://eol.org/>

Mushroom Expert - info on studying fungi, keys and photos <http://www.mushroomexpert.com/index.html>

Article by David Arora on **edible Calif. Porcini** species, commercial & private collecting

http://www.davidarora.com/uploads/arora_california_porcini.pdf