

**2004 IPS Biennial - Hawaii**

To include the islands of Oahu and Hawaii  
May 9-15, 2004

**2004 IPS Post Tour - Hawaii**

To include the islands of Hawaii, Kauai &  
Oahu  
May 16-22, 2004

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**NEWS FROM AFFILIATES AND  
MEMBERS**

**Palm and Cycad Societies of Australia  
(PACSOA)**

Information from individual branches of PACSOA is given under separate headings below, when such information on local branch activities has been provided to the *Supplement* editor. PACSOA has the following branches:

- Within Queensland:
  - Brisbane Palm & Cycad Society
  - Sunshine Coast Branch
  - North Queensland Group
  - Palm & Cycad Society of Mackay
  - Rockhampton Palm & Cycad Society
- Other Australian States:
  - Northern Territory Palm & Cycad Society
  - Palm & Cycad Society of South Australia
  - Palm & Cycad Society of Western Australia, Inc.

The PACSOA 2004 Dinner and Show was held on March 13-14<sup>th</sup> at Mt. Coot-tha Botanic Gardens in Brisbane.

For information on *Palms and Cycads Magazine* write to Palm & Cycad Societies of Australia, P.O. Box 1134, Milton, QLD 4064 or email <[enquiries@pacsoa.org.au](mailto:enquiries@pacsoa.org.au)>. Also be sure to visit the PACSOA website, [www.pacsoa.org.au](http://www.pacsoa.org.au).

**Brisbane Palm and Cycad Society,  
Branch of PACSOA,**

The Brisbane Palm and Cycad Society (BPACS) quarterly newsletter has articles about the local society and other items that may be of interest to other palm enthusiasts. There are always photographs in color.

For more on the Brisbane Palm and Cycad Society branch of PACSOA, write Secretary, PACSOA - BPACS, P. O. Box 376, Ashgrove, 4060, Australia, or email Secretary Mervyn Ballans <[aiph@ecn.net.au](mailto:aiph@ecn.net.au)> or President Hugh Kunze <[hugh.kunze@uq.net.au](mailto:hugh.kunze@uq.net.au)>.



## Sunshine Coast Branch, PACSOA

For more on the Sunshine Coast Branch, write the Secretary, Palm & Cycad Society - Sunshine Coast Group, P. O. Box 1007, Nambour, QLD 4560, Australia or email Jeanne Price <pacsoap@spiderweb.com.au>.

## Far North Queensland Palm & Cycad Society News

The Far North Queensland Palm & Cycad Society (FNQPACA) met on September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2003, featuring a talk by Niels Lunoe on his search for three allied species of *Livistona*. Niels described his visits to view groups of *Livistona australis*, *L. sp.* "Paluma Range" and *L. sp.* "Bluewater Range." He discusses the groups, making a comparison chart of their characteristic features. He further discussed the scientific disagreement as to whether these were all simply different morphologies of *L. australis* or truly different species. Seems (at least to Niels) that the jury is still out, and further studies are needed to resolve this issue.

The second 2003 issue of *Wodyetia* featured several nice color photographs of *Dypsis acuminum* as well as a series of beautiful palms in the garden of Jill Goetz (*Kerriodoxa elegans*, *Chelyocarpus chuco*, *Dypsis faneva*, *Zombia antillarum*, and an attractive *Arenga* species. There was an interesting article by Niels Lunoe describing the trips and palm examinations leading to his September talk (described above) on *Livistona*. There was also an article on *Dypsis acuminum* by Bill Beattie, who also took the referenced photos of this palm. Doug and Peg Falconer wrote "Looking for an umbrella and finding *Licuala ramsayi*" and there was an "Interview with Jill Goetz." There were also several cycad articles.

Cairns Palm & Cycad Expo 2003 was quite a success, in spite of the three-year drought still gripping the Cairns area. About 400 people attended (at A\$2 each entry fee.) Buyers bought most of the plants by early afternoon. There was a good selection of *Cyrtostachys renda* (from A\$35 to A\$400). Other palms available included *Sommieria leucophylla*, *Licuala cordata*, *L. mattanensis* "Mapu" (very mottled), *Pelagodoxa henryana*, *Asterogyne martiana*, *Itaya amicornum*, *Mauritiella sp.*, and a nicely mottled *Pinanga disticha*. [Information on plants at the show is courtesy of Ian Edwards.]

For information on the FNQPACA or the society journal, *Wodyetia*, send an email to <gardens@cairns.qld.gov.au> being sure to mark your email to the attention of David Warmington. You may also get membership rates, an application and additional information from website [www.geocities.com/fnqpaca/](http://www.geocities.com/fnqpaca/).

## News from the Tropical Garden Society of Sydney (IPS Chapter)

At the meeting on October 25<sup>th</sup> the group changed its name from Sydney Branch of PACSOA to the **Tropical Garden Society of Sydney (Incorporating the Palm and Cycad Society)**. In a separate motion, the group voted to no longer be a branch of PACSOA although many members will continue their individual PACSOA memberships (this is encouraged.) The Society will continue to be a Chapter/Affiliate of the International Palm Society, since this "reflects our original and continuing interest in palms, helps people find us on the Internet, and costs us nothing." At this meeting, Fred Moody gave an interesting slide presentation on tropical plants and supplemented it with a huge collection of interesting plant material, all of which he later donated to the Raffle Table. Many members went home with an armful of cuttings!

The November 2003 color issue of *Principes Minor* magazine featured companion plants that make a garden look tropical (plus palm and cycad information and pictures, of course). This is in keeping with the new name.

Norma and Ian Edwards hosted the 2003 Christmas Party on Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> in Cronulla. All enjoyed the year-end Break-Up party.

The society met on January 27<sup>th</sup> to hear Werner Raff speak on "Bromeliads for Beginners." Werner brought along plants.

For additional information contact Paul Anderson (Secretary), Sydney Branch of PACSOA, P. O. Box 2, Empire Bay, NSW 2257. Ph. (02) 4369-1422 after hours, or send an email to Editor Ian Edwards at <ianse@ozemail.com.au>

## Rockhampton Palm & Cycad Society, PACSOA Branch

For information, write to the Rockhampton Palm & Cycad Society, P. O. Box 6394, Central Queensland Mail Centre, QLD 4702, Australia, or call 61+(07) 49-26-1283 [do not dial the leading '0' from USA] or email to <licorice@cqnet.com.au>.



## **The Palm & Cycad Society of Mackay, PACSOA Branch**

The October 26<sup>th</sup> PACSOM meeting and garden visit in Andergrove, hosted by Jacquie Bennett, was a success. The meeting was held in the outdoor courtyard overlooking the rear garden; this proved to be a pleasant setting on the hot morning. Garden tours followed the meeting, competition and tea. It was a very pleasant suburban vista.

PACSOM's Annual "Break-Up" was held on November 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Farleigh Mill Palm Gardens Club House, followed by a luncheon break-up at the Farview Tavern in Farleigh.

For more information, write to The Palm & Cycad Society of Mackay, P. O. Box 6639, Mackay Mail Centre, West Mackay, 4741, Queensland, Australia.

## **Northern Territory Palm & Cycad Society, PACSOA**

For more information, write the Secretary, Northern Territory Palm & Cycad Society, P. O. Box 37979, Winnellie, N. T., 0821, Australia. You can also contact the President, Peter Thomas by telephone at 61+(08)-8927-5344, or send an email to Dr. H. Ottley at <HARVEY@octa4.net.au>.

## **Palm & Cycad Society of Western Australia News**

Thanks to Barry Shelton for putting the finishing touches to the Perth Zoo's plant palm and cycad map, to which the Society contributed in developing earlier in the year. This has been now presented to the Zoo authorities and will be used by them as an official guide for their future works in the gardens there.

The Cannington Sale and Display saw plants sales and for the canteen and raffle well up on last year and the Society has made a good profit. It was a great success. Special thanks to the coordinator, Gerard Wani. Thanks also to John Banasiewicz and the Fern Society who shared the event with PACSOWA and helped make the exhibition an interesting one for the public.

A busy bee was held on December 14th, 2003. Additional busy bees were scheduled for:

- January – Sunday 25
- February – Sunday 22
- March – Sunday 21

PACSOWA's Christmas party was held on December 14<sup>th</sup> at Norm and Gwen Patterson's home in High Wycombe. There were guided tours of the garden all afternoon, followed by the Christmas raffle.

The January 27<sup>th</sup> meeting featured Joe Froudish, experienced landscape gardener, who spoke about landscaping with palms and cycads, including transplanting techniques. The Bring 'n' Buy Bench and Library were also open. For the short talk, Don Clemkey talked about the genus *Brahea*.

The February 25<sup>th</sup> meeting featured Don Woods talk and slide presentation on his 2003 trip to South America to collect bromeliads. The slides included some great palm pictures as well. For the short talk, Gerard Wani spoke on how to grow *Rhapis* palms using hydroponics.

PACSOWA has increased subscription fees for the 2003-04 financial year to A\$20 for single and A\$25 for family membership. The new fees took effect from July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2003.

For more information on The Palm & Cycad Society of Western Australia (PACSOWA) or on their *PalmsWest*, visit <http://www.wawebsite.com.au/palmswest> or if you wish you may send an email to Ann Pike <sales@peptransport.com.au>.

## **North Queensland Palm Society, PACSOA Branch News**

For information on the North Queensland Palm Society, write the Secretary, North Queensland Palm Society, P. O. Box 1731, Aitkenvale, Queensland 4814, Australia.

## **Pacific Northwest Palm & Exotic Plant Society News**

The Pacific Northwest Palm & Exotic Plant Society (PNWP&EPS) upcoming meetings for 2004 include:

On March 29<sup>th</sup>, the Society will meet at Van Dusen Gardens in Vancouver. This meeting will feature a discussion of Society news by President Nick Parker, a raffle including a number of exotic plants, and a presentation to be announced at [www.hardypalm.com](http://www.hardypalm.com) shortly.

The Annual Pacific Northwest Palm & Exotic Plant Society Plant Sale - May 12 to 16, 2004: The annual plant sale has become one of the most anticipated events on the club's calendar. Join us for 2004's annual sale at Lansdowne Centre in Richmond, BC



On May 31st, there will be a General Meeting. See the Society's website.

For additional information on the Pacific Northwest Palm & Exotic Plant Society or its journal, *Hardy Palm International*, see <http://www.hardypalm.com/> or email Nick Parker, <parkern@groupwise.douglas.bc.ca>.

### **Association Chambeyronia New Caledonia**

At their General Assembly in August 2003, *Association Chambeyronia* elected a new President, Jean PIERSON.

*Association Chambeyronia* meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month. For any information on the society, please contact Jean Pierson, <pierson@socatrans.nc>, new President of the association.

### **Fous de Palmiers The French Palm Society**

For more information about *Fous de Palmiers*, contact Steve Swinscoe at <manatte@libertysurf.fr> or check out the new Fous website at [www.fousdepalmiers.fr.st](http://www.fousdepalmiers.fr.st).

### **News from Manureva**

For information on *Manureva*, please contact René Coativy via fax 33 (0) 4 94 64 74 71 or email to <manurevah@aol.com>.

### **European Palm Society**

*Chamaerops* is published (both as a printed journal and on-line) with many full color pictures. Visitors can download selected articles from *Chamaerops* without cost to check out the online journal. Membership and online upgrades from are available on the EPS website [www.palmsociety.org/join/english1.shtml](http://www.palmsociety.org/join/english1.shtml).

Tobias Spanner (Germany) is editor of *Chamaerops*. Tony King (United Kingdom) continues as Membership Organizer. Yann Corbel (France) is the French translator; Jörg Witticke (Germany) is the German translator. Lauri Coulombe (USA) is Language Editor.

### **"Palmenfreunde" in Germany**

*Palmenfreunde* publishes a journal entitled *Palmen und Mehr* (in German, of course.) It runs about 20 pages (A5) with many photographs of palms in color.

For more about this new group, contact Jörg Witticke <Palmenfreunde@aol.com>

### **Palmeraie-Union, La Réunion Chapter**

For more information, email Chairman Thierry Hubert: [palmeraie.union@wanadoo.fr](mailto:palmeraie.union@wanadoo.fr) or to the Corresponding Secretary Philippe De Vos <de-vos.denis@wanadoo.fr>

### **La Asociación Española de Amigos de las Palmas [Spain]**

For more about the Spanish Palm Society, *La Asociación Española de Amigos de las Palmas*, please email the President, Tomás Font <T.Font@ono.com>

### **New Zealand Palm & Cycad Society**

The December 2<sup>nd</sup> Rare Palm Auction was held at the Auckland College of Education.

The February 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting featured John Pettit and Sue Schatzdorfer speaking about their separate trips to Rarotonga, sharing numerous beautiful photographs.

Gerald Endt, from Landsend, gave a presentation on March 2<sup>nd</sup> about Lotusland in Santa Barbara, California.

The Society also puts out the quarterly *NZ Palm and Cycad Magazine* featuring palm and cycad articles.

For more on the New Zealand Palm and Cycad Society, email IPS Affiliate Correspondent Colin Ferguson at <colferg@xtra.co.nz>

NZPACS maintains a Society listserver. To subscribe to this group, send an email to: <nzpalmcycad-subscribe@yahoogroups.com>. Most of the information in this write-up was taken from nzpalmcycad listserver messages.

### **South African Palm Society**

For information on the South African Palm Society, visit <http://www.sapalm.co.za> or contact the Secretary, Louise van Rensen, telephone +27 12 3762733 business and +27 12 3762413 home. You may also write for information to The South African Palm Society, PO Box 48309, Hercules 0030, South Africa. Alternately, you can send an email to Peter Wunderlin at <pmdes@iafrica.com>.



## The Palm Society of Maui

For further information on the *Maui Palm Society*, contact Sunya Echternach, P.O. Box 790893, Paia, Maui, HI 96779 (or telephone messages to 808-280-0788).

## Hawaii Island Palm Chapter

For more information on the Hawaii Island Palm Society, contact HIPS President Alan Young <alyguy@hotmail.com> or HIPS Sec. Jenny Johnson <johnsons@hawaii.rr.com>.

*The Hawaii Island Palm Society will host the IPS Biennial in 2004 and this post-tour. More information on this major event is located in Supplement B with the prior Palms 47(3).*

## Gulf Coast Chapter, IPS, News

For information about the Gulf Coast Chapter, contact chapter President, Thomas G. Mignerey, 3947 Hwy 297 A, Cantonment, FL 32533. Dues for the local chapter should be sent to Maxwell Stewart, 2557 West Road, Mobile, AL 36693.

## Northern California Chapter, IPS

In mid-January 2004, Dan Sekella made a palm presentation to the parent organization of the Lakeside Palmetum, hoping to get more people interested in growing palms in Northern California.

For information about the Northern California Chapter, contact Dan Sekella, <sekella@pacbell.net>.

## Palm Society of Southern California

According to the Palm Society of Southern California (PSSC) website:

The March meeting of the Palm Society of Southern California will be March 20, 2004, at the Mildred E. Mathias Botanical Garden (MEMBG) at UCLA, corner of Hilgard and Le Conte. Dr. Arthur Gibson, Director of the MEMBG will greet and welcome the membership and inform us of new developments at The Plant Growth Center Greenhouse, which was completed since the last PSSC meeting held at the Garden and follow-up to the planting of donated palms by our Society two years ago. A series of workshops on green and shade house designs, costs and considerations will start at 1:15 followed by our raffle and auction.

Meetings are generally held on the third Saturday, every other month. The schedule for 2004 includes:

January 17, 2004	July 17, 2004
March 20, 2004	September 25, 2004
May 15, 2004	November 20, 2004

As stated on the PSSC website, each meeting consists of a tour of two or three private gardens, sometimes a slide presentation and always a palm raffle and auction. The meetings are the best way to meet others interested in palms and exchange growing experiences.

Visit the PSSC website on <http://palms.org/socal/> for more information on the Southern California Palm Society.

## South Florida Palm Society News

The South Florida Palm Society held their holiday meeting on December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2003. At the meeting, gifts were collected for the University of Miami School of Laws H.O.P.E. Program for local children in need.

The SFPS held a field trip for January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2004, starting at Jeff Chiat's garden and then moving on to view other garden locations. The second garden visited was Dean and Sue Campbell's. This garden was previously owned by the Montgomery family.

The February 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting featured Murray Cormann discussing his travels to Brazil and attendance at the meeting of the InterAmerican Society of Tropical Horticulture

Don't miss the South Florida Palm Society's Palm & Cycad Show and Sale on March 27-28, 2004 at Fairchild Tropical Garden.

The South Florida Palm Society "*Palm Report*" will be online to view at <http://groups.yahoo.com/groups/southfloridapalmsociety/>.

For more on the South Florida Palm Society, write Corresponding and Recording Secretary Adrienne Gricius by email to <palmgod@earthlink.net>.

## Palm Beach Palm & Cycad Society

The Palm Beach Palm and Cycad Society met on November 5<sup>th</sup> to hear Dale Holton's presentation on cycads, from "*Bowenia to Zamia*." Per Dale, there are some eleven cycad genera and around 293 known species. Plants for the meeting auction were donated by Dale, Jack Dewey and Don Bittel.



On October 19<sup>th</sup>, the group held a volunteer workday at the Ann Norton Sculpture Garden in Palm Beach (<http://www.yp.bellsouth.com/sites/annnorton/>). Many of the workers are featured in the *Palm & Cycad Times*, Vol. 7 (6) that also has articles on the October and November meetings. Additional workdays were planned for January 24<sup>th</sup> and March 21<sup>st</sup> to help the garden maintain its large palm and cycad collection.

This year, the PBP&CS will be meeting the first Wednesday of February, April, June, August, October and December, keeping the annual picnic in September. The *Palm & Cycad Times* has also gone to a quarterly this year, with issues planned for February, May, August and November.

The February 4<sup>th</sup> meeting featured a presentation on "Landscaping with Palms and Cycads" by Laura Parrot, of Sanctuary Landscape Design.

The Palm Beach Tropical Flower and Garden Show was held on February 19-22.

The PBP&CS meeting on April 7<sup>th</sup> is tentatively scheduled to be a presentation by Dr. Peter Mayotte.

The PBP&CS Spring Plant Sale will be held April 24-25<sup>th</sup> at Mounts Botanical Garden. PBP&CS members free, \$5 for non-members.

For information on the Palm Beach Palm and Cycad Society, contact President Mike Harris <palmsz@gate.net>, Membership Chair Susan Cioci <d.cioci@att.net>, or Secretary Ruth Salenbach <diznee920@aol.com>.

*Thanks to PBP&CS Editor Dennis McKee <nugget@pb.quik.com> for making the above information available for the Supplement.*

### **Palm & Cycad Society of Southwest Florida News**

On October 3<sup>rd</sup>, the Marie Selby Botanical Garden in Sarasota hosted the Suncoast Palm and Cycad Symposium. There were a number of interesting talks on palms and cycads, with more of a focus on palms. In addition to the symposium, a self-tour of Selby Gardens was included with speakers and county extension agents stationed to answer specific questions.

For more information on the Southwest Florida Palm & Cycad Society, email Geri Prall at <SW\_FL\_PalmCycad@hotmail.com>.

### **News from the Central Florida Palm & Cycad Society**

Diana and Mark Grawboski hosted the Central Florida Palm and Cycad Society (CFPACS) "beach-style" Christmas Social & Plant Sale at their beachfront home on Atlantic Avenue on December 13<sup>th</sup> in Cocoa Beach. There were door prizes, auction plants donated by the Montgomery Botanical Center and great food. The property is planted with palms and cycads with high tolerances for salty conditions.

Flamingo Gardens in Davie will hold their Palm & Cycad Expo and Sale on May 15-16.

*Palmeteer*, the newsletter of the Central Florida Palm and Cycad Society (CFPACS) has been in color since the March 2002 issue. If you have not seen it recently, be sure to do so. Each issue averages over 30 (8.5X11") pages.

CFPACS makes seeds available over the Internet, relying strictly on donations. All net sales proceeds go the CFPACS Treasury and all distributed seeds are from cultivated plants. If you are not receiving palm seed availability notices and wish to do so, please contact CFPACS Seedbank Director Charlene Palm by email at <seedbank@cfpacs.org> or <BeachPalms@cfl.rr.com>.

For more on CFPACS, check out the website at [www.cfpacs.com/](http://www.cfpacs.com/), or contact Membership Chair Karen Barresse <cfpacsmbrship@aol.com> or Secretary Chuck Grieneisen <chuckfg@mpinet.net>.

### **News from the Southeastern USA (non-Florida) Chapter**

They held their 2003 fall meeting on October 11 at the Birmingham Botanical Garden, Birmingham, AL. The day began with a plant tour, with Fred Spicer providing a tour of the garden's wide variety of plantings. The meeting then moved to the nearby garden of SPEPS member Richard Bray, who has packed a city lot sized garden with an amazing number and variety of palms. Fifty-four people attended the meeting. Officers were elected, as follows:

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The Winter meeting returned to Bamboo Farm and Coastal Gardens in Savannah, GA on February 28<sup>th</sup>. Carl Shoenfeld, horticultural explorer and owner of YuccaDo Nursery in Hempstead, TX, spoke on "Palms and Palm-Like Plants of Northeastern Mexico." The talk was followed by the regular SPS annual auction and the members' plant sale.

The Summer 2004 meeting is tentatively planned for July 2004 in Jacksonville, FL.

*Rhapidophyllum*, the quarterly journal of Southeastern Palm and Exotic Plant Society (SPEPS) is included with membership. Publication dates are September, December, March and June.

For more information, visit the SPEPS web site at [www.speps.net](http://www.speps.net) or contact Kathy Denton, <palmlady@gte.net>, Secretary.

### Florida First Coast Chapter

For information regarding the Florida First Coast Chapter, please contact Ed Brown by email at <edbrown\_3@hotmail.com>

### Louisiana Palm and Cycad Society

For information regarding the Louisiana Palm and Cycad Society, please contact Joe Baucum (Secretary/Treasurer) by email at <theanchorage@worldnet.att.net> or by telephone at (504) 689-4243.

### Houston (Texas) Area Chapter News

For more on the Houston Chapter of the IPS, visit the chapter's website [www.palms.org/houston/index.htm](http://www.palms.org/houston/index.htm) where Mike Burnett has done a good job of posting Chapter information and photographs of prior meetings. You may also email or telephone me for additional information.

Paul Norris, President,  
<poollovers@pdq.net>

## News from the Palm Society of South Texas

The Palm Society of South Texas has the following additional 2004 meetings scheduled at this time:

- February 28, 2004. Victoria
- March 20, 2004. Jon and Suzie Watson in Corpus Christi
- April 2004. Glyn Whiddon in Harlingen
- May 2004. Romeo and Linda Montalvo in Brownsville.

Be sure to check the website before making plans to attend, as the PSST schedule has been known to change on just short notice: <http://www.raingardens.com/psst/>. You may also send an email to John "Jv" Volk <iamjv@yahoo.com>, Lloyd Van Epps <Leeve3311@aol.com> or Jana Meiser <jbmeiser@raingardens.com>.

### Asociación Venezolana de Palmas (Venezuelan Palm Society)

For more information on AVEPALMAS, Asociación Venezolana de Palmas, contact: <avepalmas@cantv.com> or Sven Nehlin.

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## CALENDAR of

### Upcoming Palm Tours and Travels

**March 27-28, 2004:** The South Florida Palm Society's Palm & Cycad Show and Sale at Fairchild Tropical Garden

**April 17-18, 2004:** 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Palm & Cycad Show & Sale, Caloosa Park, Boynton Beach, FL

**April 24-25, 2004:** Spring Plant Sale at Mounts Botanical Garden, West Palm Beach, FL. PBP&CS members free, non-members \$5.

**May 8-16, 2004: IPS Biennial in Hawaii, May 17-22 IPS Post-Tour to additional destinations in Hawaii.** See additional write-up in this Supplement. Full information was in the separate Biennial *Supplement* with the *Palms* 47(3) issue.

**May 15-16, 2004:** Flamingo Gardens in Davie will hold their Palm & Cycad Expo and Sale

Send additional *Supplement* news input by email to Jim Cain <palm\_dude@pobox.com>.



# International Palm Society Bookstore Update — Summer 2004

## NEW TITLES NOW AVAILABLE

<b>AN ENCYCLOPEDIA OF CULTIVATED PALMS</b> (Riffle and Craft, 2003, 528pp., 929 color photos, hardcover) Definitive account of 890 species of palms. Excellent!.....	\$40.00
<b>A FIELD GUIDE TO TROPICAL PLANTS OF ASIA</b> (Engel and Phummai, 2000, 280pp., 390 color photos, softcover) .....	\$20.00
<b>THE CYCADS</b> (Whitelock, 2002, 532pp., 505 color photos, hardcover) .....	\$45.00
<b>PALMERAS</b> (del Canizo, 2002, 709pp., 600+ color photos and over 80 illus. - in Spanish, hardcover) Reviewed in the journal <i>Palms</i> 3/03. A must-have for any serious collector!.....	\$95.00
<b>PALMS WON'T GROW HERE and other myths</b> (Franco, 2003, 308pp. 78 color photos, hardcover) .....	\$25.00
<b>THE TROPICAL LOOK</b> (Riffle, 1998, 524 pp., 409 color photos, hardcover). Award-winning book covering a wide variety of palms and tropical and subtropical companion plants.....	\$40.00
<b>TROPICAL ORNAMENTALS</b> (Whistler, 2000, 542 pp., 458 color photos, softcover). Covers 400+ cultivated ornamental tropical plants.....	\$30.00

<b>PALMS FOR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA: A QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE</b> (3rd Ed., Osborne, Reynoso & Stein, 2000, 44 pp., softcover) Valuable cultural information on 350+ palm species.....	\$10.00
<b>BETROCK'S GUIDE TO LANDSCAPE PALMS</b> (Meerow, 1992, 153pp., color photos, hardcover) .....	\$30.00
<b>CHAMADOREA PALMS</b> (Hodel, 1992, 350pp., color photos, hardcover) Excellent!.....	\$30.00
<b>COCONUT RESEARCH INSTITUTE, MANADO</b> (Davis, Sudasrip & Darwis, 1985, 165pp., many color photos, soft cover) .....	\$30.00
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