

For all the times you need a helping hand in the barn, *Storey's Barn Guide to Sheep* provides visual, step-by-step explanations of the basic procedures of keeping sheep. Complete with a unique rotating calendar to help plan your lambing season, an illustrated gallery of toxic plants, and dozens of helpful tips, this book will guide you through all the tasks of a sheep-owner's year.

Helpful charts, illustrations, and common care procedures cover:

Getting Acquainted

- ▶ Basic Sheep Anatomy
- ▶ Estimating Weight
- ▶ Determining Age
- ▶ A Shepherd's Calendar

Basic Care

- ▶ Catching a Sheep
- ▶ Trimming a Hoof
- ▶ Docking a Tail
- ▶ Giving Injections

Feeding

- ▶ 10 Toxic Substances
- ▶ Feed Requirements
- ▶ Toxic Plants
- ▶ Pasture Rotation

Lambing

- ▶ Assisting with Lambing
- ▶ Abnormal Births
- ▶ Resuscitating a Lamb
- ▶ Raising an Orphan

Wool Production

- ▶ Shearing
- ▶ Hand-Carding
- ▶ Fiber Structure
- ▶ Evaluating Wool

Record Keeping

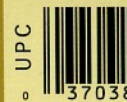
- ▶ Marketing Considerations
- ▶ Meat Cuts
- ▶ Ewe Record Chart
- ▶ Lambing Schedules

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And when your chores are done and you're ready to read more about sheep, take a look at this companion volume, *Storey's Guide to Raising Sheep* by Paula Simmons

