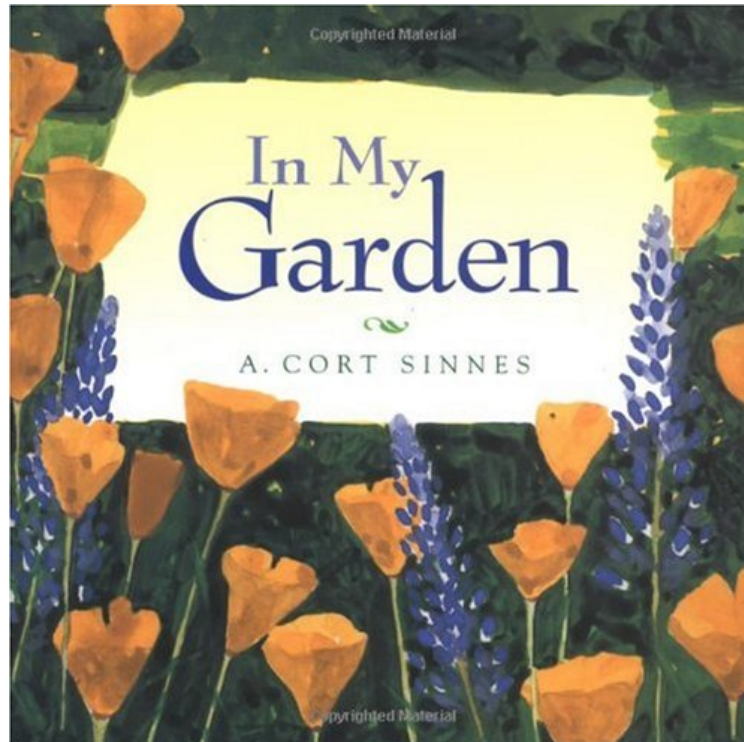


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About the AuthorCort Sinnes is an award-winning artist, illustrator, editor, and author, who has authored or illustrated more than 20 books on gardening, outdoor living, and grilling. He is the founding editor of Gardening How-To magazine and makes frequent contributions to numerous national and regional cooking publications. Cort hosted a video series for the Home Gardener's Library and has been a spokesperson for KitchenAid, John Deere, and other specialty food and outdoor product companies.