



April  
 Full Moon 1  
 Last Quarter 10  
 New Moon 17  
 First Quarter 23  
 Day's Length  
 12h 32m-13h 25m

Growing Up  
 Vertical

Growing plants up vertical supports is an easy way to get more food out of a smaller space. Pole beans, for example, will produce a larger yield per square foot than their compact counterparts, bush beans. Vegetables that grow vertically have fewer insect and disease problems than do vines that are left to sprawl on the ground, and they are much easier to harvest.

Vining crops also add visual interest to the garden.

A wide assortment of structures can be used to support climbing vegetables. We have two large A-frame trellises for pole beans, cucumbers, gourds, and winter squash.

Our peas scramble up netting stretched between wooden supports, and two pole bean tepees hold court in the center of each garden. We even grow baby melons and winter squash on a sturdy trellis, with the heavy fruits supported in cloth or pantyhose slings.



Transform any unsightly view into a lush screen with vertical crop-growing. Easy and effective!

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
			All Fool's Day 1 Pink Moon Passover Begins	2	Good Friday 3 	4 
Easter Sunday 5	6 Holocaust Remembrance Day Tom Jefferson's Birthday	7	8	9	10	11
12 	13 	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 	Earth Day 22 	23	Arbor Day 24	25
26 	27	28	29	30 		