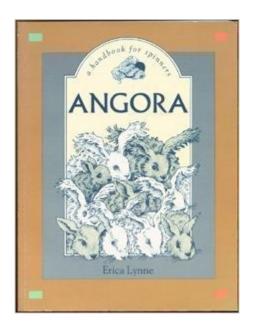
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This book is absolutely outstanding for the serious spinner and for those who raise angora rabbits for their wool. There is much information I was unable to find anywhere else.

I checked this out of the library 5 times before I finally bought it. It's very informative for anyone interested in raising and spinning the four breeds of angora rabbit.

This book was recommended to me by a fellow spinner. If you plan to spin your own angora, this would be a good investment.

Erica Lynne's knowledge on the subject is encyclopedic. Each chapter provides in-depth detail that I have not been able to find anywhere else. I should have bought this book sooner and skipped some cheaper books that missed the mark.

A lot of great information in this small book. It is an older book, the styles and some tips outdated, however the backbone information is timeless. The author goes into great deal about the different types of fiber found on the angora rabbit, and how it is best used. A lot of information that has to be consumed in small increments so as not to miss anything.

If you're raising angora, this is the bible. It's different from the farming or rabbit breeding books. I read it while visiting my favorite, most knowledgeable angora loving friend in Kansas City, MO. She told me about her correspondence with one of the authors. She discussed with them about buying the copyright and updating it with some of her own knowledge and research. What I admired the most about this book is the careful scientific research that Lynne and Wackett did. They had to have a huge herd of rabbits to research on this scale! They're sympathetic towards angora behaviors, like pet owners would be. It's organized and readable with illustrations. The price may seem high, because no more copies are being printed. If you're new and committed to angoras, find this book however you can and enjoy! If you want to do your own research, this is a good jumping off place.

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