

Charles Sale

Charlie has been gardening seriously for more than fifty years. He has created two gardens from scratch, restored a third, and given a worn out old garden a new face and personality. He currently gardens with a super gardener, his wife of 23 years, Margaret Charlton, on over two acres of steep mountainside near Deep Cove in North Vancouver, BC. They are generalists with a love for any good plant.

Charlie was very active in Ontario Gardening circles, serving as President of the Toronto Chapter of the American Rhododendron Society, as District 12 Director on the Board of the American Rhododendron Society, and as President of The Rhododendron Society of Canada which awarded him the Leslie Hancock Memorial Board. He was also a member of Board of The Royal Botanical Gardens at Hamilton, Ontario, and Board member of the Mississauga, Ontario Garden Council.

Charlie is an active member of The Friends of the Garden at The University of British Columbia and has served on their Executive Committee. He also sat on the Advisory Committee to The Darts Hill Garden Conservancy Society, Surrey, BC.

Charlie was Vice-President of the North American Rock Garden Society and is currently on the Board of the Rhododendron Species Foundation in Federal Way, Washington, USA.

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