

# ask the landscape professional

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## Welcome to my weekly series!

Feel free to send me questions you'd like to have me answer and I will do my best to address the ones of most general interest.

**Email or mail your questions to: [info@sprigsandtwigs.net](mailto:info@sprigsandtwigs.net) or Linda Lillie, Sprigs & Twigs Inc, PO Box 245, Gales Ferry, CT 06335**

**Question of the Week:** *I have seen a number of spectacular gardens that you have designed and installed and I am anxious to have you do my property as well in 2015. How do we get started?*

### Linda's Answer:

Now is a great time to begin the process to design and install a garden for 2015. Whether you have a small or large project in mind, my design team and I work through the fall and winter getting ready for next year. We are actually working now on projects for next year. The first step is to call me and I will set up a visit with you to go over your thoughts, preferences and space(s) involved for the project. If you aren't certain what you are looking for, that's not a problem; I can help guide you. We then make detailed site drawings and I develop the planting design. Plant choices that I recommend are based on 30+ years of experience in what works in this area and what doesn't. I have tried everything I plant and guarantee all of our plantings for a year. I know plants and specialize in native, low-maintenance landscapes. See [www.SprigsandTwigs.net](http://www.SprigsandTwigs.net) for hundreds of pictures of our work. Our planting season starts on May 15 (the date of the last frost in this area) and runs until late October every year.

We install gardens based on the order contracts are signed, so if you are thinking about doing a project, now is the time to let us know. If you wait until next spring, that's not a problem, but you will just be farther down the list. In addition to landscape services, Sprigs & Twigs offers high quality stonework and carpentry services; see our portfolios on [www.SprigsandTwigs.net](http://www.SprigsandTwigs.net). Whether your project is hundreds of dollars or tens of thousands of dollars, we provide the same high quality products and services and attention to detail. We look forward to working with you.

**Sprigs & Twigs is scheduling appointments now for Fall Garden Close-downs, Fall Leaf Cleanups and 2015 Garden Design. Call us for to discuss your landscape project.**

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