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Tea Plant Groves

Tea Street Valley: *Part One*

It seems to me that people have lots in common no matter if you are from West or the East. With the weekend, lots of city people in the USA will go to the beach or countryside. It is the same in China. With all the economic development, Chinese families are looking for places to spend their weekends.

Tea Street Valley is located at the outskirts of Shenzhen City. It has a beautiful lake, tea plant groves, and a reservoir. It took five years to build and was founded by government.

At Tea Street Valley, there are over a dozen tea shops located along the main street. Each tea shop has a tea house where you can sample the tea for free. I especially enjoyed tasting the "Tea Wine". These are major brands of tea from China. There are restaurants, snack shops, specialty food stores, a performance stage, train tours and gift shops.

We also went for a sightseeing ride on a small tour train. With a nice breeze, we saw beautiful tea groves, bridges, water reservoirs, and a train stop at the "Tea Wine" pavilion. We ordered a bottle of tea wine with some roasted salt peanuts. Tea wine tastes very good with its tea flavor and smell. It is a little bit strong. It is perfect with roast salt peanuts. Tea Street Valley is a good combination between "West" and "East". **Bob**

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Summer Specials:
Windows & Window Planters
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Kim's Recipe: "Wave Your Flag Cake"

"This all-American flag cake is delicious and easy to assemble. A pound cake and gelatin base is frosted with whipped topping and decorated with blueberries and strawberries."

INGREDIENTS

- 1 quart strawberries, divided
- 1 1/2 cups boiling water
- 1 pkg. (8 serving size) JELL-O Brand Gelatin, any red flavor
- Ice cubes
- 1 cup cold water
- 1 (12 ounce) package pound cake, cut into 10 slices
- 1 1/3 cups blueberries, divided
- 1 (8 ounce) tub COOL WHIP Whipped Topping, thawed

Directions

1. Slice 1 cup of the strawberries; set aside. Halve remaining strawberries; set aside.
2. Stir boiling water into dry gelatin mix in large bowl 2 minutes until completely dissolved. Add enough ice to cold water to measure 2 cups. Add to gelatin; stir until ice is melted. Refrigerate 5 minutes or until slightly thickened (consistency of unbeaten egg whites). Meanwhile, line bottom of 13x9-inch dish with cake slices. Add sliced strawberries and 1 cup of the blueberries to thickened gelatin; stir gently. Spoon over cake slices.
3. Refrigerate 4 hours or until firm. Spread whipped topping over gelatin. Arrange strawberry halves on whipped topping for 'stripes' of 'flag.' Arrange remaining 1/3 cup blueberries on whipped topping for 'stars.' Store leftover cake in refrigerator.



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Metal Fish 09" [Pack01]

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-04055

Stars & Stripes Pot 5" (2Asst)
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Square Planter 5.5" (2Asst)

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New Ideas from DecoGallery



Desert Roses

Advantages of Houseplants

Most people are aware that houseplants provide us with cleaner air by helping to remove dust, pollens and other allergy triggers from the air and help keep humidity at healthful levels. Did you know that Nasa has ongoing studies involving houseplants and have found that people exposed to greenery may have decreased pain levels and improved healing? Researchers have found that having plants around has reduced blood pressure and productivity was increased. Workers in these conditions also were more attentive. Plants also soothe the soul. So bring nature into your home and enjoy. You will do yourself a favor by making plants part of your interior space.

Donna



Money Trees



Bio Pots



Brighten up your Garden

Do you have extra saucers stored in your garden supplies? Use them to make decorative birdfeeders/rain catchers for small birds and butterflies to eat or drink out of. Use some epoxy to attach dowels or bamboo stalks to the saucers. If you like you can paint your saucers. Add them to the garden area for a touch of color and watch the birds and butterflies visit. **Donna**

Summer and the Beach

It is summer and we naturally head to the beach. most of us gather seashells and then are not sure what to do with them. Collect shells, pieces of coral, sand and a hurricane vase. Assemble the sand and shells inside the vase for a centerpiece on the lanai. What a nice reminder of a day at the beach. You can also glue shells to a picture frame and keep a photo from your beach visit in the frame. **Donna**



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Ocean Life Brush Holder (6Asst)[Pack36]
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DB100-40001
Wood Desk [Pack01](FO87)

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Magazine Holder [Pack01](MO427)

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DB100-40003
Wood Cabinet [Pack01](25F733)

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DB100-40004
Wood Stand [Pack02](FO95)

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75% OFF \$58.00 Sale Unit Price



DB100-40005
Metal Cabinet [Pack01](MO431)

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75% OFF \$36.25 Sale Unit Price



DB100-40006-L
Metal Stand Large [Pack01]

WAS \$68.60 Retail Unit Price
75% OFF \$17.15 Sale Unit Price



DB100-40006-M
Metal Stand Medium [Pack01]

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Metal Stand Small [Pack01]

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DB100-40007-L
Metal Stand Large [Pack01]

WAS \$57.40 Retail Unit Price
75% OFF \$14.35 Sale Unit Price



DB100-40007-M
Metal Stand Medium [Pack01]

WAS \$44.40 Retail Unit Price
75% OFF \$11.10 Sale Unit Price



DB100-40007-S
Metal Stand Small [Pack01]

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75% OFF \$7.17 Sale Unit Price



DB100-40008
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DB100-40009
Metal Desk [Pack01](MO483)

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75% OFF \$29.00 Sale Unit Price

Summer Specials: Floral Furniture

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Metal Chair [Pack02](MO482)

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DB100-40012-L
Metal Flower Stand Large [Pack01]

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DB100-40012-M
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DB100-40012-S
Metal Flower Stand Small [Pack01]

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DB100-40014-L
Wood Chest Large [Pack01]

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75% OFF \$27.13 Sale Unit Price



DB100-40014-M
Wood Chest Medium [Pack01]

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75% OFF \$20.95 Sale Unit Price



DB100-40014-S
Wood Chest Small [Pack01]

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DB000-70142
Hot Colors Baskets 5" (4Asst)[Pack24]

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DB000-70146
Spring Baskets 4" (4Asst)[Pack24]

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Basket Clearance

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