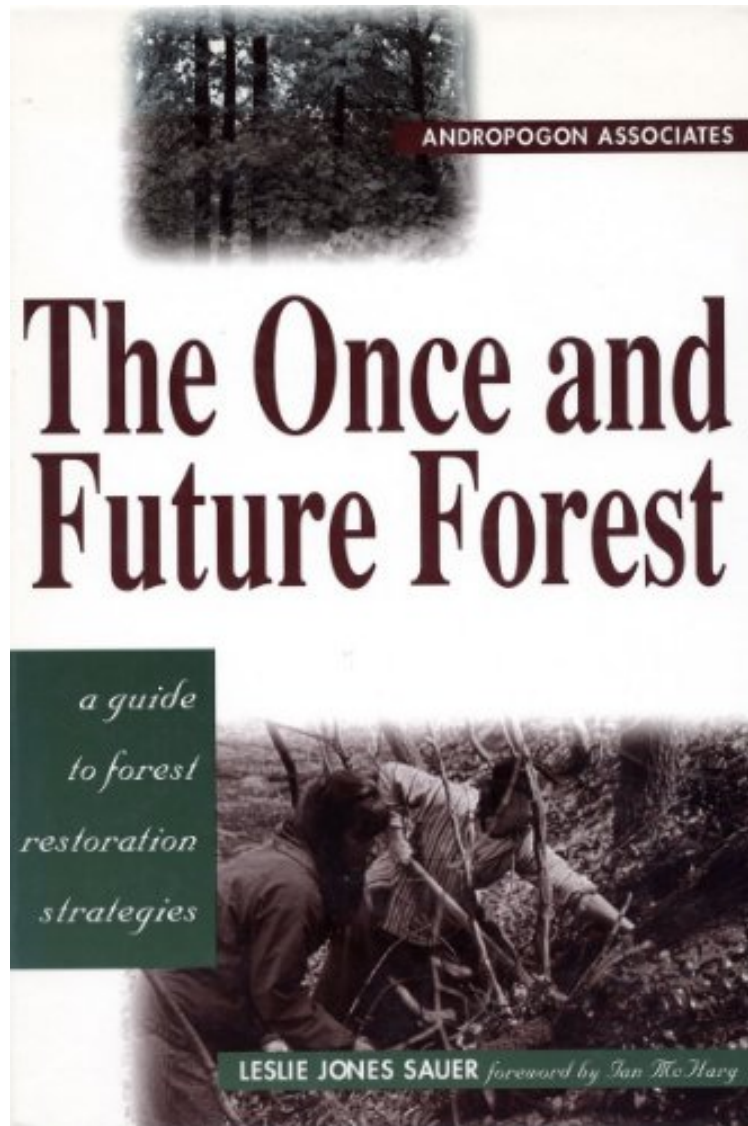


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Developed by the pioneering landscape design firm of Andropogon Associates, world-renowned for their innovative

approach to integrating environmental protection and restoration with landscape architecture and design, *The Once and Future Forest* is a guidebook for restoring and managing natural landscapes. Focusing on remnant forest systems, it describes methods of restoring and linking forest fragments to recreate a whole landscape fabric. The book begins by explaining the history and current situation of forest ecosystems in the eastern United States. Following that is an in-depth examination of the restoration process, with thorough descriptions of ecological strategies for landscape management along with specific examples of how those strategies have been implemented in various sites around the country. The final section provides hands-on information about the many specific details that must be considered when initiating and implementing a restoration program. All aspects of the restoration process are considered, including:

- Water -- opportunities for increasing infiltration, reducing pollutants, promoting habitat values
- Ground -- methods of protecting existing vegetation, removing fill, rebuilding soils
- Plants -- strategies and procedures for planting, maintenance, propagation
- Wildlife -- guidelines for preserving wildlife resources, management techniques to favor selected species.

The Once and Future Forest presents a comprehensive approach to assessing sites, detailed guidelines for determining management goals, and a thorough overview of appropriate management and restoration techniques. It is an important guide for professional planners and landscape architects, government agency personnel at all levels, land managers, scientists involved in restoration work, and citizen activists who wish to do something constructive about our deteriorating forest patches.