



## Wayne Drop Reconnects with Impatient Fourth Grader!

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Wayne Drop here with a wonderful story that floods my heart. Way back in 2009 (when I was a slimmer water drop), I received a brave letter from little 4<sup>th</sup> grader Mya Oleksiak who wrote about her passion for water conservation. She dared to share her ideas and love for the water we cherish! At the time, she described herself as “an impatient fourth grader,” and her letter brilliantly captured...[Read More](#)



## PLANT OF THE MONTH: LEUCOPHYLLUM OR TEXAS SAGE

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plants available in Arizona. In the past twenty years, many new species and varieties have been brought into cultivation. These evergreen shrubs are native to Texas and Mexico, and perform well in our desert with very little maintenance. These shrubs require full sun and good...[Read More](#)



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Overwatering is more common than many realize and can cause weed growth, plant disease, and runoff that carries fertilizers and pesticides into local water bodies. Installing water-saving outdoor products and choosing native or drought-tolerant plants are great practices to be water-efficient outdoors. Unfortunately, the ground under your landscape could be contributing to water