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## THE VICTORY GARDEN



## Paul Epsom

### GARDENING CORRESPONDENT

Paul Epsom brings a delightful blend of humor and expertise as gardening correspondent on *The Victory Garden*, providing viewers with indispensable advice and gardening guidance. More than a traditional English gardener, Epsom's love of gardening combined with his creative energy creates segments that appeal to amateur and experienced gardeners alike.

In addition to *The Victory Garden*, Epsom has been featured on more than 400 episodes of *Home and Backyard*, a successful television program on Pennsylvania's ABC affiliate WNEP. In 2003, 2004 and 2005, Epsom won Garden Globe awards for his work as an on-air gardening correspondent. The award is given by the Garden Writer's Association for exceptional work in gardening in the media. In 2006, he received the Gold Award for Best Talent on Air, in 2007 he collected a silver award for a local TV gardening special.

Much of Epsom's childhood was spent in the garden. As the son of a very keen gardener and an apprentice for Shaftesbury Society School, Epsom has worked as both a landscaper and a gardener. In addition, Epsom owns and runs Greystone Gardens, a specialized garden center nestled in the heart of scenic Clarks Summit, Pennsylvania.

Born in London, England, Epsom attended Warwick University and London University. He holds a joint honors degree in psychology and post-graduate studies in education, and has taught in public and private schools in both England and the U.S. A longtime resident of the U.S., Paul lives in Pennsylvania with his wife, two sons, and Irish terrier.

### ABOUT THE VICTORY GARDEN

*The Victory Garden* is a production of WGBH Lifestyle Productions. Funding is provided by Subaru. The series is closed-captioned for deaf and hard-of-hearing viewers by the Media Access Group at WGBH. Laurie Donnelly is executive producer. Hilary Finkel Buxton is series producer. For more information on *The Victory Garden*, visit [www.pbs.org/victorygarden](http://www.pbs.org/victorygarden).

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