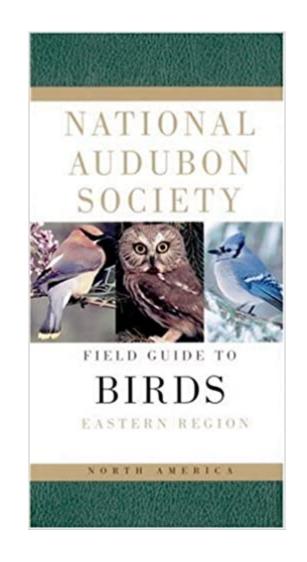


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National Audubon Society Field Guide To North American Birds: Eastern Region, Revised Edition





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collection. --Gregory McNamee

Introduced in 1977 and completely revised in 1994, these bestselling photographic field guides have become the birding bibles of more than four million enthusiasts. Virtually every bird found in North America is brought to life in a full-color photograph and with textual information on the bird's voice, nesting habits, habitat, range, and interesting behaviors. Accompanying range maps; overhead flight silhouettes; sections on bird-watching, accidental species, and endangered birds make these the most comprehensive field guides to birds available. Note: the Eastern Edition generally covers states east of the Rocky Mountains, while the Western Edition covers the Rocky Mountain range and all the states to the west of it.

I have had this book for years and bought this one for my daughter. We love the layout of the book and the ease with which we can find the picture of the bird we want to identify.

This is the definitive bird book. Amazing photographs. Effective, lucid narrative. If you have any interest in birding at all, you must have this field guide.

This is a practical and informative guide. It has a small profile and rugged cover. It is meant to be taken into the field. My kids bring it with us on walks and identify birds from it. Very handy guide.

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This is a very comprehensive guide to birds. I bought one for my parents and they liked it so much, they had me order one for my great aunt and uncle. They travel in an RV frequently and this book always goes with them.

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