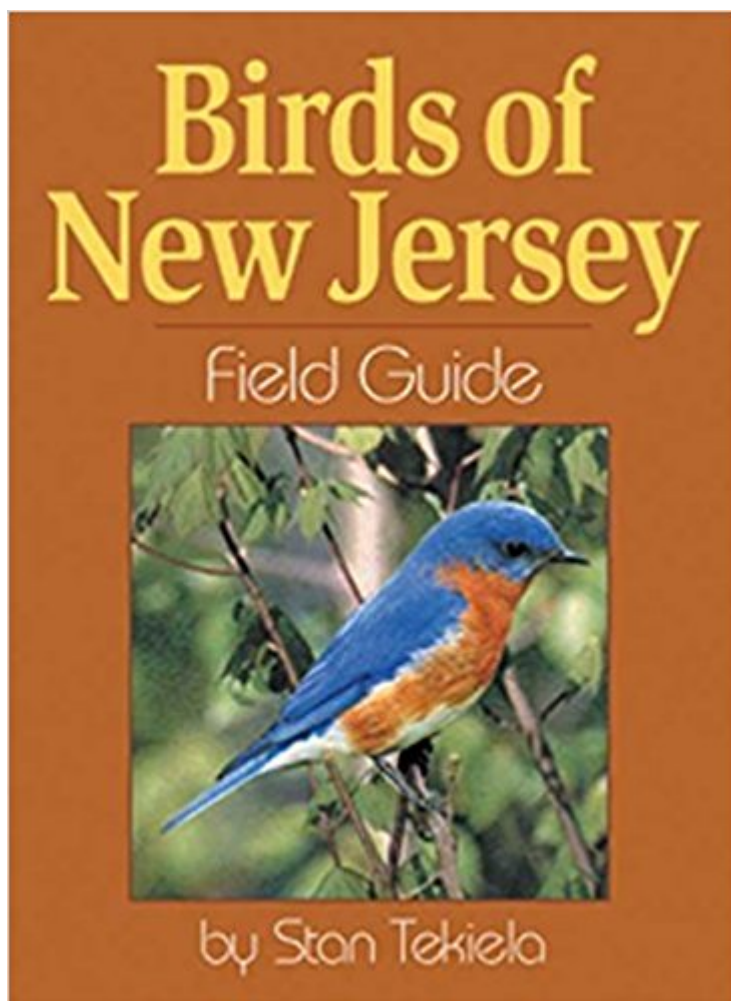




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Birds Of New Jersey Field Guide



Synopsis

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The Birds of New Jersey Field Guide is a great little book and a must have for identifying birds that visit your backyard or birds you might see while out sightseeing. I live in a very scenic area that is rather dense with forestry so we get a lot of different birds with the changes in seasons, many of which I have no idea what kind of bird they are, so I thought it would be a good idea to pick up a book to identify the unknown birds and to learn about our feathered friends so I know what kind of food to provide them. I have to say that I am glad I purchased this particular book because it provides full-page, color photos of the birds which makes it easy to identify birds. What I enjoy the most about this book is its easy to use format. You do not need to know the birds classification to look it up to identify it, rather, you simply turn to the color tabs to search for the bird in question. For example if you see a yellow bird and would like to know what kind of bird it is, all you need to do is search through the yellow tabbed pages to identify the bird. The book is 324 pages, with gloss cover/binding, and it gives good basic details on the birds listed such as their classification and nesting

habits. It is a pocket sized book, measuring 4" x 1" x 6". It is a bit dated, published in 2000 so I am sure there are some newer species missing (also you might want to know that the author did not include ALL birds in this book, only the most common species found in NJ) but its still worth picking up especially if you are birdlover or new to birding!

What a great book for bird watching novices. Our backyard in NE New Jersey had the usual sparrows, blue jays, mourning doves, etc. But when we added a bird feeder and suet feeder to our yard, this book helped us identify some new feathered friends - grosbeaks, juncos, house finches, woodpeckers and more! And the book provided helpful information as to what to feed them as well as which birds are ground feeders or those who will visit a bird feeder. I borrowed this book from my library but founds it so helpful, I purchased one for myself!

I have now brought 4 copies of this book from . com and I treasure and use almost daily my own copy, which was a housewarming gift from a friend. I moved into New Jersey in 2004, and hung up a bird feeder, which was also a gift. Birds responded aplenty but I knew only a few of them. My friend had this guide written and illustrated for the birds of her state, but she knew there was one that cover other states so she sent me the one for my area. She also knew that I didn't know a lot about birds so she sent me the guide she knew even I could use. You don't need to know anything about a bird, all you have to do is see it. This guide is devided by colors, so if the bird you're looking for is mostly gray, just open to the illustrations of mostly grey birds, find a picture of yours and start reading about it. All birds are shown in color photos and both males and females are shown. Same goes for any color bird from mostly white to mostly black and every color in between. The book is spacific to the state you're in so it's small, and can be kept quite handy by a window or door or any other observation point. It is also well constructed, mine is still in good shape after 8 years and heavy use by myself and many visitors. It, or the same book for a different region, has become my favorit house warmingpresent for relocating friend and family.

I keep this by my patio to look up birds showing up at my bird feeders. Small enough to take on hikes. Colorful full page pictures and easy to look up by the color of the bird. Males and females are also cross referenced if they differ in color.

I just started birdwatching and this has become my go-to guide. It is organized by bird color (I.e. Black, black and white, blue etc.). Within each bird description there is a 'compare to' section to help

you determine if you are confusing it with a similar bird. Excellent photos and concise yet detailed descriptions. For me, it is just perfect!

Love this book- This is my 3rd one - keep misplacing

Love these books by Stan Tekiela. He has them for many (all?) states. We started off with the one for Massachusetts - our home state. Have now bought them for our children in Kentucky and NJ. The book makes it easy to identify birds by giving you the list of most commonly seen birds, and arranging them by color. Much easier to use than a Petersen's Guide.

Good book....easy to use, well made, small and simple to keep by the window. Thick, sturdy pages, nice colorful pictures. Since the birds are grouped by color, it is simple to find what you are looking for quickly.

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