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Finding Birds in Australia's Northern Territory 1997-07-01 Birds are a prominent feature of the Northern Territory environment, with almost half of Australia's bird species found there in spectacular landscapes ranging from the tropics. This guide will lead you to the Northern Territory's best birdwatching areas and help you find the birds. It is designed to be used in conjunction with one of the Australian field identification guides. The book has four habitats, areas, special birds and a checklist. The text does not discuss every bird likely to be found in every area, instead it points out interesting species found at each site. The special birds section covers birds considered Northern Territory and includes tips on finding the birds and local identification hints.

A Field Guide to the Birds of Peninsular Malaysia and Singapore by Jayasingam 2012-03-22 A fully comprehensive, modern field guide to all of the bird species in Peninsular Malaysia and Singapore. Featuring numerous colour illustrations and detailed descriptions of the key identification features, the book will be equally valuable for ornithologists and birdwatchers.

Nature Conservation on Farms by David George 2016-05-26 Nature conservation can improve the productivity and appeal of your farm. This book shows how to use a conservation policy with your farming practices to increase the beneficial plants and animals. Use simple techniques of observation and measurement to achieve a productive resource for future generations. TABLE OF CONTENTS Acknowledgments Learning outcomes Introduction Chapter 1 of nature conservation on your property Chapter 2 What is an ecosystem? Chapter 3 Describing the flora and fauna in your area Chapter 4 Agriculture—the quiet invasion of changing succession Chapter 5 Where have all the birds (species) gone? Chapter 6 Measuring the health of a habitat Chapter 7 Managing flora and fauna on your farm Glossary

The Rough Guide to Australia by Diana Boyle 2011-09-01 "Great drives, endless beaches, outback adventures"--Cover.

First Field Guide to Australian Birds by Peter Slater 1997 Beginners' pocket guide for children to identifying around 50 Australian birds. Each entry includes information on size, distribution, habitat, habits, nesting and similar species. Includes colour photos throughout, glossary and index. Photographer has produced several books and assorted stationery items with an Australian theme.

Australian Bird Names by Fraser 2019-09-02 This second edition of Australian Bird Names is a completely updated checklist of Australian birds and the meanings behind their common and scientific names, which may be useful or downright misleading! For each species, the authors examine the many-and-varied common names and full scientific name, with derivation, translation and a guide to pronunciation. Stories behind the name are included, as well as aspects of biology, conservation and history. Original descriptions, translated by the authors, have been sourced for many species. As well as being a book about names, this is a book about the history of the ever-developing birds, about the people who contributed to this understanding and, most of all, about the birds themselves. This second edition has been revised to follow current taxonomy and understanding of the relationships between families and species. It contains new taxa, updated text and new vagrants and will be interesting reading for anyone with a love of birds, words or the history of Australian biology and bird-watching.

The Shorebird Guide by Michael O'Brien 2006 Utilizing a holistic approach to identifying different birds, a guide to shorebirds explains how to use such characteristics as general color patterns, size, structure, and behavior to determine species, in a handy resource that includes more than 870 full-color captioned photographs.

Birds of Prey of Australia by Stephen Debus 2019-07-01 Raptors are popular and iconic birds, and are important ecologically, with some species listed as threatened. Yet they are among the most difficult birds to identify. This fully illustrated Edition of the popular and award-winning field guide Birds of Prey of Australia contains two sections: a field guide with distribution maps, detailed illustrations and information on identification; and a handbook which includes the current knowledge about raptors, including their biology, ecology and behaviour. An illustrated section on difficult-to-distinguish species pairs is also included, along with new photographs. Birds of Prey of Australia will appeal to a range of readers, including ornithologists, raptor biologists, birdwatchers, wildlife rescuers/carers, raptor rehabilitators, zookeepers, naturalists, bushwalkers, ecological consultants, fauna authorities, park rangers, state forest officers and students.

Illicit Love by Ann McGrath 2015-12-01 Illicit Love is a history of love, sex, and marriage between Indigenous peoples and settler citizens at the heart of two settler colonial nations, the United States and Australia. Award-winning McGrath illuminates interracial relationships from the late eighteenth to the early twentieth century through stories of romance, courtship, and marriage between Indigenous peoples and colonizers in times of nation formation. Relationships of well-known and ordinary interracial couples provide the backdrop against which McGrath discloses the "marital middle ground" that emerged as a primary threat to European colonial and racial supremacy in the Pacific Worlds from the Age of Revolution to the Progressive Era. These relationships include the controversial courtship between white, Connecticut-born Harriett Gold and southern Cherokee Elias Boudinot; the Australian man Gribble and his efforts to socially segregate the settler and aboriginal population, only to be overcome by his romantic impulses for an aboriginal woman, Jeannie; the irony of Cherokee leader John Ross's marriage to a white woman, Brian Stapler, despite his opposition to interracial marriages in the Cherokee Nation; and the efforts among ordinary people in the imperial borderlands of both the United States and Australia to circumvent laws barring interracial marriage. Illicit Love reveals how marriage itself was used by disparate parties for both empowerment and disempowerment and came to embody the contradictions of imperialism. A tour de force of settler colonial history, McGrath demonstrates vividly how interracial relationships between Indigenous and colonizing peoples were more frequent and threatening to nation-states in the Atlantic and Pacific worlds than historians have previously acknowledged.

De genialiteit van vogels by Jennifer Ackerman 2017-06-28 Vogels zijn verbluffend intelligente wezens. Diezelfde papegaaien die ons het woord 'papegaaien' hebben bezorgd, praten ons niet alleen na, maar blijken te kunnen antwoorden en spellen. Sommige kraaiensoorten lossen ingewikkelde puzzels op en maken ingenieuze werktuigen. Vogels vertonen indrukwekkende sociale vaardigheden. Ze bedriegen en manipuleren. Ze spelen luistervink. Ze hebben een groot rechtvaardigheid. Ze geven cadeautjes. Ze spelen. Ze plagen. Ze delen. Ze onderhouden sociale netwerken. Ze rivaliseren om status. Ze troosten elkaar. Ze onderrichten hun jongen. Ze chanteren hun ouders. Ze waarschuwen elkaar. Ze verzamelen zich bij een dode soortgenoot. En misschien rouwen ze zelfs. Baanbrekend nieuw onderzoek heeft niet alleen aangetoond dat sommige vogels zich kunnen meten met de hogere primaten en zelfs de mens, maar ook over geheel eigen vormen van genialiteit beschikken: wie van ons heeft het imitatietalent van de spijljerster van de roodborst? Veel vogels hebben net als wij een relatief groot brein voor hun lichaams grootte. De genialiteit van vogels wordt steeds meer erkend. Het is een nieuw licht werpen op de essentie van intelligentie. Haar verhaal, wetenschappelijke verkenning van de genialiteit van vogels, is een verrassende en wonderlijke feiten uit op te pikken. The Times

A Field Guide to Australian Birds: Non-passerines: Volume 1: Non-passerines: Volume 2: Passerines by Peter Slater 1970 Albatross - Brolga - Cassowary - Cockatoo - Cormorant - Cuckoo - Emu - Gull - Owl - Parrot - Pigeon - Penguin - Plover - Mutton bird - Shearwater - Teal - Tern - Pelican - Kingfisher - Dove - Ibis: Volume 1: Non-passerines: Volume 2: Passerines

Pollyanna the Pied Currawong by Maxine Pitts 2012

The Australian Bird Watcher by Peter Slater 1997

Grassfinches in Australia by Joseph Michael Forshaw 2012 An up-to-date, fully illustrated monograph on all Australian species of grassfinches.

Wildlife of Australia by Ian Campbell 2013-05-21 The go-to introductory guide to Australia's diverse wildlife and habitats ideal for the nature-loving traveler, Wildlife of Australia is a handy photographic pocket guide to the most visited tourist destinations. Accessible species accounts are useful for both general travelers and serious naturalists, and the invaluable habitat section describes the Australian bush and its specific wildlife. Animal species with similar characteristics are placed on the same plates in order to aid identification. Wildlife of Australia is an indispensable and thorough resource for any nature enthusiast interested in this remarkable continent. Easy-to-use pocket guide More than 400 photographs Accessible text aids identification Habitat guide describes the Australian bush and its specific wildlife Coverage includes the 350 birds, 70 mammals, 30 reptiles, and 16 frogs most likely to be seen on a trip around Australia Parrots by Mike Parr 2010-07-30 This is the first book created primarily for the field identification of parrots, one of the most familiar and colorful groups of birds. From the mighty macaws to the diminutive pygmy parrots, the parrots include cockatoos, parakeets, lovebirds, and Budgerigar. Most are brightly colored or even gaudy, but a few are drab, and some are nocturnal and flightless. Parrots, found throughout most of the warmer regions of the world, are the greatest numbers in Australasian and South America. This book includes 88 superb color illustrations of every species and most identifiable subspecies of parrot, as well as range maps of their locations. It offers many first-hand observations of each species, vocalizations, life cycle characteristics, and geographical variation. It also provides up-to-date information on the conservation status of those species of parrots that are threatened or endangered.

Meanderings in the Bush by Richard MacMillan 2009-07-15 The Channel Country is of special interest because its extreme aridity is disrupted unpredictably by summer monsoonal rains, causing massive flooding, and is followed by growth of plants and reproduction of animals, before returning to daunting conditions of drought. Yet, it is a region teeming with life, both plant and animal, possessing unusual capacities for existing there. It is also a region of pastoralists and their livestock, who have learned to coexist with this harsh climate. In Meanderings in the Bush, the authors describe their many adventures and misadventures in the region, with its climate, its animals and its inhabitants. They also discuss results of their research which reveals some of the secrets for survival of many of the native animals, including marsupials, rodents, birds and the remarkable desert crab. These studies are cast against the prehistoric and historic records of the Lake Eyre Basin, including the probable impacts of changing and/or stable climates, Aboriginal occupation, later European pastoral development and the influences of introduced exotic species.