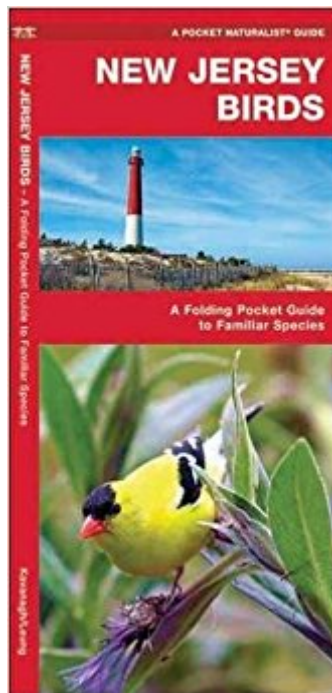




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# New Jersey Birds: A Folding Pocket Guide To Familiar Species (A Pocket Naturalist Guide)



## Synopsis

Cape May in southern New Jersey hosts one of the world's most prominent birding events &#150; The World Series of Birding. The Garden State is the permanent or migratory home of 465 species of birds, including the state bird &#150; the American goldfinch. This beautifully illustrated guide highlights over 140 familiar and unique species and includes an ecoregion map featuring prominent bird-viewing areas. Laminated for durability, this lightweight, pocket-sized folding guide is an excellent source of portable information and ideal for field use by visitors and residents alike. Made in the USA.

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## Customer Reviews

New Jersey Birds, An Introduction to Familiar Species, is a must-have, reference guide for beginners and experts alike. Whether you're on a nature hike or in your own backyard, you'll want to take along a copy of this indispensable guide. The Pocket Naturalist(tm) series is an introduction to common plants and animals and natural phenomena. Each pocket-sized, folding guide highlights up to 150 species and most feature a map highlighting prominent sanctuaries and outstanding natural attractions. Each is laminated for durability. (3 1/2 X 8 1/4 folded, opens to 22 X 8 1/4, color illustrations, map)

Zoologist Jim Kavanagh has made a career out of introducing novices to plants, animals, the sciences and world cultures. In addition to creating over 500 simplified nature guides, he has also authored guides to languages, cities and outdoor skills. An avid traveler and backpacker, Kavanagh's path has taken him around the world to many remote destinations including the upper , Africa, Australia, and the Arctic Circle (and this is just the As). He is also the author of a series of state-specific guides to common species and natural attractions and a children's book on evolution.

This is very handy to keep by the bird feeder. I bought a book first, but it had hundreds of birds and I couldn't page through and find what was perching at the feeder. This small pocket guide shows what will most likely turn up at my feeder, and it's easy to take along on a hike. It arranges them by woodlands, meadow, shore, another useful feature.

A bit pricey, but also very handy. I purchased this guide for my grandson who loves the pictures and reading about each bird with his parents and grandparents.

Every year, a group of birders go to Cape May, New Jersey. This booklet helps great! I'm great with the birds but some are very hard to identify and New Jersey is well known for "Birds of Prey" (Hawks, etc) which in flight, all look alike. This booklet is great to practice with and also if taking photographs, to later look at your photos and then identify the photos as to what bird you photographed. That way you do not interrupt with your birding. In between birdwatching, you can take a close-up photo, and continue watching birds. There are many of these guides out for different places. I would recommend this one to anyone going to New Jersey and wants to really see the birds!

I'm an armchair bird watcher and I have been amazed at how many birds I have seen in my backyard. I only wish the guide told where there were differences where the male and female look different.

I just retired and I'm getting really interested in the birds I see in my backyard. This little fold-out gives you the information you need to classify the birds by shape of beak, length, etc. Excellent for a beginner like me. I highly recommend it if you're impatient as I am and want to get into all the

beautiful birds near the NJ Turnpike. (Kidding). I follow up by using The Birds of New Jersey Field Guide.

A compact guide containing lots of information in an easy to carry form for those who study birds in their native habitat.

Nice simple guide to help me identify birds in my backyard. I would definitely recommend it.

This is an excellent "quick" reference guide to NJ birds...a good introduction to familiar species.

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