These books focus on all things birds—from birdwatching, to building a birdhouse, to the history of birds and humans.



Audubon Birdhouse Book: Building, Placing, and Maintaining Great Homes for Great Birds by Margaret A. Barker, Elissa Wolfson (Adult Nonfiction–728.927 Bar)

Birders know you need the right house to attract the right bird. An entrance hole that's 1/8 inch too big or too small or a roof that leaks can spell trouble. Learn to build safe, species-appropriate houses for your favorite birds.



Birdgirl: Looking to the Skies in Search of a Better Future by Mya-Rose Craig (Adult Nonfiction–921 Craig Cra)

Birdgirl follows Mya-Rose and her family as they travel the world in search of rare birds and astonishing landscapes. In times of difficulty, the Craigs turn to nature again and again for comfort and meaning. Each bird they see brings a moment of joy and reflection, instilling in Mya-Rose a deep love of the natural world.



The Backyard Bird Sanctuary: A Beginner's Guide to Creating a Wild Bird Habitat at Home by Alan Baczkiewicz (Adult Nonfiction-639.978 Bac)

Create a bird-watching paradise with this accessible guidebook that teaches everything you need to know about welcoming your new feathered friends and how to care for them while they're visiting. Backyard Bird Sanctuary helps you attract 50 of the most common and sought-after birds in the United States.



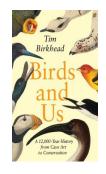
Birding Basics: Tips, Tools, & Techniques for Great Birdwatching by Noah Strycker (Adult Nonfiction–598.0723 Str)

Targeted to beginners and beyond, this inspiring guide combines the art, craft, and science of bird-watching with practical know-how and expert knowledge, including new ideas for when, where, and how to get to know the birds in your world.



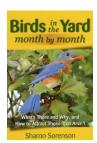
Bird: The Definitive Visual Guide by Dorling Kindersley (Adult Nonfiction–598 Bir)

This visual guide to every bird order and family profiles more than 1,400 species, photographed in their native environment by photographers around the globe. This title illustrates the full range of birds, bird behavior, and bird-watching locations.



Birds and Us by Tim Birkhead (Adult Nonfiction-598 Bir)

Award-winning writer and ornithologist Tim Birkhead takes us on a dazzling journey through our mutual history with birds, from the ibises mummified and deified by Ancient Egyptians to the Renaissance fascination with woodpecker anatomy—and from the Victorian obsession with egg collecting to today's fight to save endangered species and restore their habitats.



Birds in the Yard Month by Month by Sharon Sorenson (Adult Nonfiction-598.0723 Sor)

Get to know all the birds that will flock to a bird-friendly yard, and make your yard more attractive to those that require a little extra persuasion to visit. Sorenson offers tips and advice for every season, and explains how bird behaviors and needs change throughout the year.



Birds of Indiana: Field Guide by Stan Tekiela (Adult Nonfiction-598.09772 Tek)

Learn to identify birds in Indiana with this simple and informative book. Featuring 118 species of Indiana birds, this guide is organized by color for ease of use.



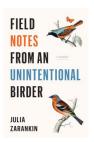
Compact Guide to Indiana Birds by Kenneth J. Brock (Adult Nonfiction-598.09772 Bro)

Veteran Indiana birder and retired professor Ken Brock has co-authored this handy guide to common and notable birds found in the state. Over 80 species of birds are presented with a color illustration, a photograph of the egg, and an extensive natural history.



Endangered and Disappearing Birds of the Midwest by Matt Williams (Adult Nonfiction–598.0977 Wil)

Sadly, many species of birds across the Midwest are in danger of extinction due to loss of habitat, agricultural expansion, changing forest conditions, and encounters with humans. This book profiles 40 of the most beautiful and fascinating birds who winter, breed, or migrate through the Midwest and whose populations are most in danger of disappearing from the region.



Field Notes From an Unintentional Birder: A Memoir by Julia Zarankin (Adult Nonfiction–921 Zarankin Zar)

Thoughtful and witty, this is the story of finding meaning in midlife through birds. The narrator learns more from birds than she ever anticipated and finds friends in the unlikeliest of places.



Indiana Bird Watching: A Year-Round Guide by Bill Thompson (Adult Nonfiction–598.09772 Th)

This title targets beginning and intermediate bird watchers from Indiana. It provides seasonal information about the migrating birds that can be seen each month, the foods that attract those birds, and the plants that can assist in attracting birds.



Secrets of Backyard Bird Photography by J. Chris Hansen (Adult Nonfiction–778.9328 Han)

This book covers all aspects of backyard bird photography, including the best camera equipment to use and the basics of attracting birds using bird feeders, perches, backgrounds, and photo blinds. You'll learn about the common camera settings and composition styles used to create outstanding backyard bird images.

