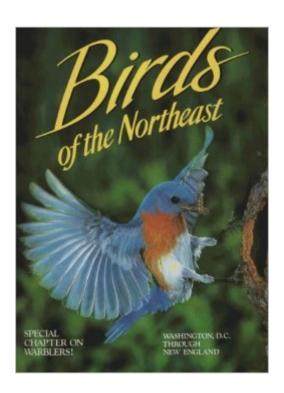
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I love this book! Even my non-birding friends sit enthralled by it. The photographs are arresting - colors, composition, action - and the text is substantive and charming. Also, the pictures are big enough to see details. They make the "LBJ's" (little brown jobs) of the Northeast distinct, highlighting their individual characteristics. Photographs of showier species such as the bluebird on the cover are simply stunning.

I was impressed upon receiving this book, as I had no idea of its size. The book is large in dimension- which is a nice change from all the field guides to birds whose pictures make bird identification challenging. Beyond the visual effects, the author seems to have a bit of wit as exemplified in his writing style. This is not one of the best reference books, as it lacks specific detail on habitat, migration, species, etc. I don't think the author intended to compete in that forum anyway; however, I do wish there was an index for quick reference. All in all, a book displaying good writing with moderate description- but with stunning photography.

By limiting the birds to species in this area and by including photographs that make identification easier, this book has always been the first one I reference when a newcomer enters my backyard.

The photos are clear and sharp and the descriptions are brief and informative. I have given it as a gift and often recommended it to others. It is pretty enough to keep on your coffee table. I only wish I could find it in hardcover!

A very well layed out and informative publication ideal for all ages. With many beautiful pictures and a lot of useful information about habitat and behavioral patterns of many species I find it to be informative and enjoyable to read and share with my grandchildren.

I was looking for more of a "field guide," and what I ended up with was what looks to me to be a childs picture book. The descriptions of the birds are simplistic: "Grouse are like jumbo-sized quail with broad, turkey-like tails." Types of birds are listed alphabetically rather than by type. Photographs are large and full color, with many taking up 1/4 to 1/2 of the page. I would recommend the book for older children (maybe 7-12ish?) but not for anyone looking for more scientific information on our avian friends.

I am very impressed with this book. Not only are the pictures beautiful, but all of the descriptions of each bird are very interesting. I couldn't put the book down. It also had every northeast bird that I was interested in, and more! I am very happy that I purchased this book, and will always keep it for reference.

THE BOOK IS ABSOLUTELY GORGEOUS! THE PHOTOS ARE WONDERFUL! AS A TEACHER, I LOVE THE LITTLE FACTOIDS THAT ARE INCLUDED THAT NOT ONLY TEACH AMAZING FUN FACTS BUT ALSO REALLY USEFUL INFO. LOVE IT!

The pictures are beautiful and the information helpful. I enjoy reading and re-reading the info. This book is what I expected.

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