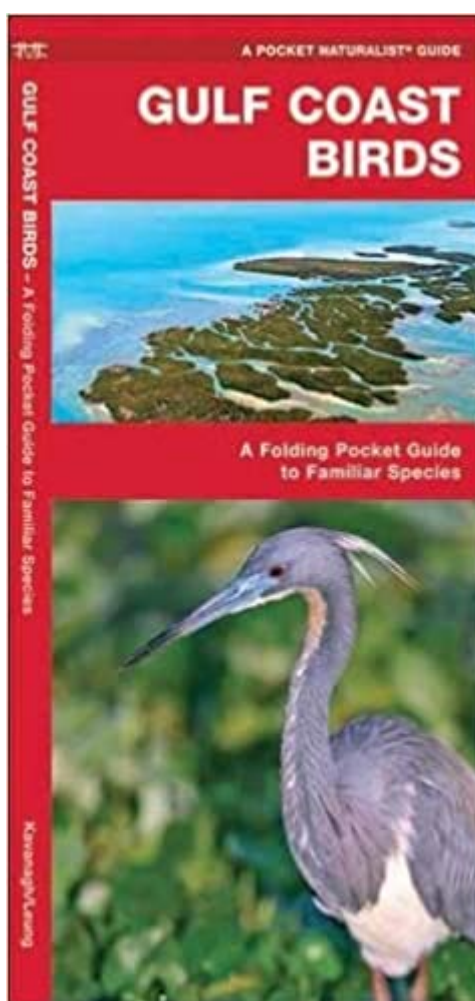


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# Gulf Coast Birds: A Folding Pocket Guide To Familiar Species (A Pocket Naturalist Guide)



## Synopsis

The coastal wetlands, mangrove forests and dune habitats are the permanent or temporary home of over 400 species of birds. This beautifully illustrated guide highlights over 140 familiar and unique species and includes a 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

Gulf Coast 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 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.

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 a basic birding guide for the most common types of birds of the Gulf coast. the pictures are bright and clear, the descriptions adequate. This will help a birder to separate the common from the uncommon, but doesn't help with identifying those uncommon birds. It is not designed to do this. The laminated heavy card-stock should hold up well.

For years, I collect this Field Guides wherever I travel. I'm a birder. This is easy to carry and also helps me when I take photos. If I photograph a bird I can always go to this guide and identify the exact bird I took a photo of. Great photos to help you identify the birds.

I love these guides! They are perfect for when you are not birding (sightseeing or at locations where birding is not your main focus). Lightweight, laminated so they don't get dirty, and fit into pockets or pocketbooks for ease of use.

This little laminated guide is wonderful to take with you on walks so you can identify the birds you may run across. As we just moved to Florida from up North we wanted to be able to understand and name the different birds in our new home.

I just love this easy to use guide. It is plastic coated so it doesn't tear. good pictures of all the birds. My grandchildren are learning different types of birds in our estuary backyard with this guide.

I love having this as I travel the Gulf Coast and identify the birds.

Very cool

I use this all the time to identify the birds I see here on the Gulf. Nice pictures, easy to get to, and quite comprehensive.

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