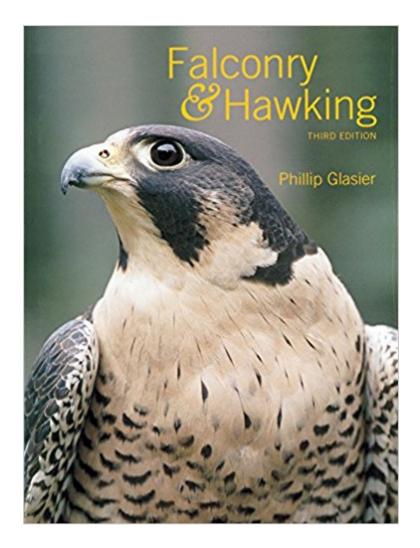


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Synopsis

In this third edition of his classic guide to training, caring for, and hunting with falcons and hawks, Phillip Glasier, an experienced teacher of falconry, continues to provide the best, most detailed information available to the beginner. In conjunction with raptor specialist Greg Simpson, he presents completely new, fully up-to-date coverage of health and disease, as well as in-depth advice on keeping birds of prey loose in an aviary. Both newcomers and those familiar with the sport will find invaluable knowledge.

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Masterly written in an easy to understand for non-experts and experts. The flow of writing covering topics to topics is able to facilitate a newbie's learning about the world and art of falconry in a natural way. The salient points are revealed free of jargons and complicated explanations as author don't beat around the bush. Topics dealt with are also quite wide, from understanding of the birds' needs to recommendations of making and building one's own aviary and falconry equipment, with diagrams to help and tips from the author's personal set up and preference for doing things the way that are best based on his extensive years of experience. Before training the birds, the basic tip on choice of which kind of raptor is also important to match the falconer's temperament and capability, and this provides an interesting information on the birds' habit and flying capabilities. Also where ever it differs, author gives comparisons with the sport in the USA, which contrast with England in terms of vast expanse of land that suit certain kinds of falcons or hawks, such as the larger ones. Book is in great clean condition and arrived well.

This book contains practically everything you need to know about flying long wings, short wings, and ways to hunt many different kinds of game. It's got sections on how to make your own equipment, information about raptor diseases, and how to train your falcon/hawk from the moment you first capture it to a lean mean hunting machine(just an expression of course). This was an enjoyable book to read and it's going to serve as a useful reference to read for a long time. I bought this book as a way to have as much information as posssible in one location, and the price I got it at made this a valuable book.

This book is definitly not for North American falconers. Many topics seem out dated. This book does have some interesting information on glove making and bell making.

Fantastic book packed with both beginner info as well as some more advanced stuff. Illustrations throughout. Even if you are only interested in exploring/learning more of the art of Falconry... a great addition to your personal library.

My husband was interested in eventually getting into falconry. This book was a good way for him to learn more about what he hopes to get involved in some day. It was a great resource to see where he would need to start and what falconry would entail.

My son aho is 17, loves this book. He said it's amazing!!

Really in depth book with tons of information in it on falconry lots of patterns and how too's for equipment and training aids and instructions

Best book on the market for falconry education. I feel that this book is classroom quality and provides all answers to any questions concerning the art of falconry!

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