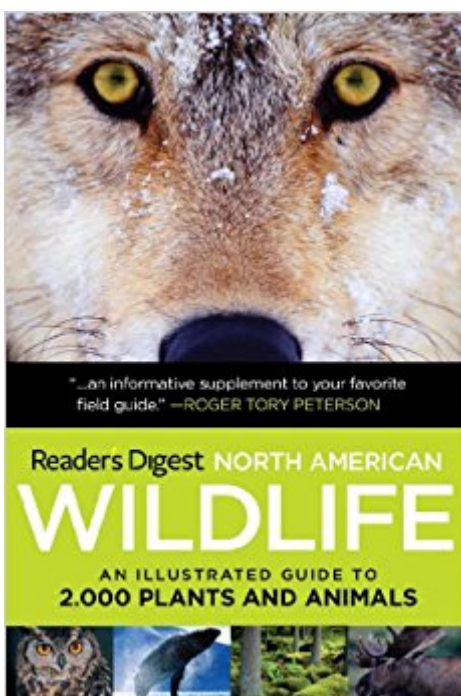


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# North American Wildlife: An Illustrated Guide To 2,000 Plants And Animals



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North American Wildlife is a valuable reference guide to the most common and conspicuous wild plants and animals in North America. Birds and butterflies, ferns and frogs, mushrooms and mantr rays, seashells and salamanders---this 576 page book includes more than 2,000 plants and animals of all types. Spanning the land from Florida to the Northwest Territories, it embraces field forest, pond, and prairie--all the natural communities that make our North American flora and fauna so splendidly diverse. North American Wildlife is both a valuable at-home reference and an extraordinarily usable guide to the most common and conspicuous wild plants and animals of our continent. Specially planned for quick and easy identification, it far surpasses other guides in so many ways.

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I purchased this as a gift for family, I personally have an older edition and find it invaluable for recognizing plants and animals. It is usually quicker and easier to find an animal or plant in this book

than to try and wade through the results from an internet search engine. The book is very well organized and usually quickly leads to an illustration of the plant, bug or animal your searching for and the short overview usually includes the important details I recommend grabbing this book first before trying internet searches because the idealized illustration makes for easier identification than actual pictures and the short overview included with each entry gives the information you need to narrow down any internet search results to the more useful links.

Overall it seems to cover all the wildlife in North America quite well. The only thing that I didn't like is the pictures inside are actually mediocre illustrations like you would find from reference books in the 1950's. Yes its kinda classic retro, but I was hoping for something more modern, if not actual pictures of the plants/animals. But it still gets the job done.

I have had this book for about 40 years and have really enjoyed it. I got this one for my daughter. It helps to identify wild flowers, bugs, birds, trees and much more.

Great for the kids and family. We have fun using this book. nice to have a book in our hands and not an electronic.

Clear and concise guide. Perfect for nature studies!

This book is a must for curious minds! We refer to it all the time and our 5-year-old grandson won't be caught outside without it! We had the original green hard-cover book and thought our grandkids would enjoy it as much as their parents did-it was spot-on the perfect gift!

My teens have used this as a reference for every single report they have had to do in the Classical Conversations High school program this year. We were using the Library edition, but ran out of renewals, so I broke down and purchased it. I am so glad I did!

This is my third copy of this book. I love the tips about what is a must have item to properly identify a bird or snake. The drawings are easier to see and understand than real photos, and both male and female, young and adult are shown for the birds. I used this when teaching and lost one copy there. My son borrowed the second, so I bought him his own.

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