

# Celebrate Urban Birds Focal Species

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Citizen Science

## Accurate Data are Important!



Look at the bird!

Where did I see the bird?  
Does it remind me of any other birds?

- Size & Shape
- Color Pattern
- Behavior
- Habitat
- Field Marks
- Songs & Calls



# All About Birds

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The advertisement features a smartphone on the left displaying the app's interface. The screen shows a navigation bar with 'Back' and '3 of 5', a location 'CHATTANOOGA, TN | DEC 30', and the question 'What size was the bird?'. Below the question are four bird silhouettes of increasing size, each with a radio button underneath. To the right of the phone, the text reads 'Download the Free Merlin Bird ID App' and 'Free, Instant Bird ID Help for 400 North American birds'. Below this text are two buttons: 'Download on the App Store' and 'ANDROID APP ON Google play'. On the right side of the advertisement is a photograph of a yellow and black Prairie Warbler perched on a green leafy branch with its beak open.

Prairie Warbler © Gerrit Vyn

Youtube demo: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OkH11ZiIL9E#t=38>

# Peregrine Falcon

## Halcón Peregrino



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# American Crow

## Cuervo Americano



By Kevin McGowan

# European Starling

## Estornino Europeo



By Sam Crowe



# American Robin

## Mirlo Primavera



By Errol Taskin

# American Robin

(nest and juvenile)



# Mallard

## Pato de Collar



By Deanna Taylor

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# Mourning Dove

## Paloma Huilota



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# Rock Pigeon

## Paloma Doméstica



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# House Sparrow

## Gorrión Doméstico



# House Sparrow (female)



By Marian Mendez

# Brown-headed Cowbird

Vaquero de Cabeza Café



By Judy Howle

# Brown-headed Cowbird

(female)



by Judy Howle

# Barn Swallow

## Golondrina Tijereta



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# Killdeer

## Chorlo Tildío



by Paul Rentz



# Baltimore Oriole

## Bolsero de Baltimore



By Victor Loewen

# Baltimore Oriole (female)



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# Bullock's Oriole

**Bolsero de Bullock**



By Matt Hysell

# Bullock's Oriole (female)



Tom Grey





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# Black-crowned Night-Heron

**Pedrete de Corona Negra**

# Cedar Waxwing

## Ampelis Chinito



By "Jupiter Saturn"



# Thank you for sending us your observations!



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