

The Audubon Birds Coloring Book

By John James Audubon

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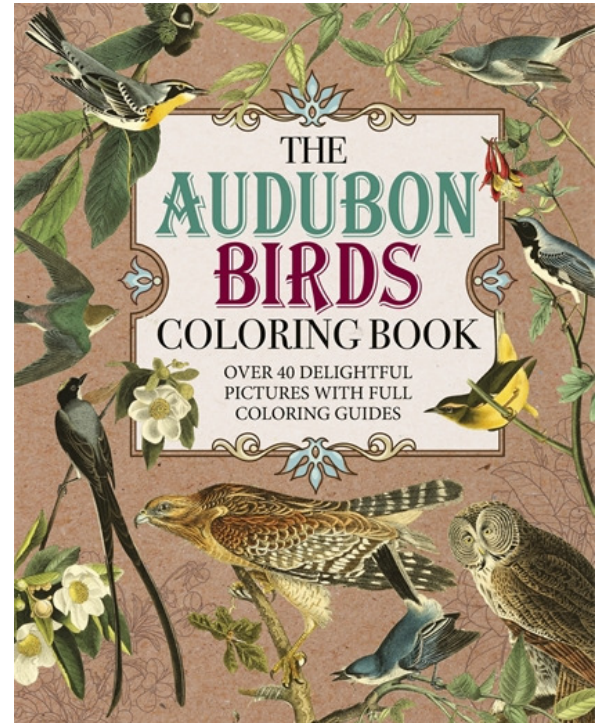
This beautiful, innovative coloring book is a celebration of the superb artistry of John James Audubon's depictions of the birds of North America. Over 40 color plates from his famous work are shown opposite full page coloring guides for readers to complete themselves.

Key Selling Points

- First published in the early 1800s, Audubon's work became famous for its exquisite, life size portraits of birds. As well as being accurate ornithological images, the birds are also full of life and character.
- Readers can enjoy Audubon's work at leisure, while creating beautiful artworks of their own.
- Perfect for bird lovers and coloring enthusiasts alike.
- Includes an introduction and a key to identify the birds.
- Estimated word count: 350 words

Author Information

John James Audubon (1785-1851) was born in Haiti and raised in France, emigrating to North America when he was 18 years old to avoid conscription into the Napoleonic wars. For many years he worked as a trading merchant, before turning to his true passion: ornithology. Audubon spent many years traveling the North American continent, identifying and recording bird species. The Birds of America was an immediate success, with Audubon becoming a household name in the nineteenth century. It is still considered to be one of the greatest works of ornithology ever created.



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