

# 99 MAGNIFICENT BIRDS OF GUYANA

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**The avifauna of Guyana includes a total of 796 species of colorful jewels that adorn the canopy with bloom and song that enriches and charms with sound and such delightful sight!**



**THE SCARLET IBIS- (*Eudocimus ruber*)**



**THE SCARLET MACAW (*Ara macao-scarlet*)**



**BLUE AND YELLOW MACAW (*Ara ararauna*)**





**YELLOW HEAD AMAZONA- (*Amazona ochrocephala*) is the best talker and identified by a little yellow on the head and dashes of crimson on the shoulders.**



**POWIS- (*Crax alector*) Bush bird**





**MAAM (*Tinamus*) Pump breast bush bird**



**MAAM (*Crypturus*) Bush bird**



**MARUDI (*Penelope marail*) - One of the earlier risers and call of the wild**



**RED BREAST ROBIN OF GUYANA (*Leistes militaris*)**





**CASHEW SACKI-(*Rhamphocelus carbo*)**



**BLUE SACKI (*Thraupis episcopus*) Amazing seed disperser**





**Ghost bird of the jungle night (*Nyctidromus albigolli*)**



**OLD WITCH (*Crotophaga ani*) Jumbie or tick bird**



**CARRION CROW** –Two species (*Coragyps feetens* and *Cathartes ruficollis*)



**CHICKEN HAWK**- The white breasted Chicken Hawk (*Herpetotheres cachinnans*)





**THE HARPY EAGLE (*Harpia harpyja*) “Flying wolf”**



**SANANNAH HAWK (*Buteogallus meridionalis*)**



**HOUSE WREN (*Troglodytes Clarus*) GOD BIRD**



**COCK OF THE ROCK (*Rupicola peruvianus*)**





**THE PURPLE THROATED FRUITCROW (*Querula purpurata*)**



**CRIMSON TOPAZ (*Topaza Pella*)**



**THE REDSISKIN (*Carduelis cucullata*)**



**BANANA BIRD- Bananaquit (*Coereba flaveola*)**





**RUFOUS WINGED GROUND CUCKOO (*Neomorphus Rufipennis*)**



**BUFF NECKED IBIS (*Theristicus caudatus*)**



**THE PARADISE TANAGER (*Tangara chilensis*)**



**TOWA- TOWA (*Oryzoborus angolensis*)**





**CANJE PHEASANT - (*Opisthocomus hoazin*) - The national bird of Guyana**



**THE GREAT KISSADEE (*Pitangus sulphuratus*)**



**CHESTNUT- TIPPED TOUCANET (*Aulacorhynchus derbianus*)**



**GREEN ARACARI (*Pteroglossus viridis*)**





**BLACK- NECKED ARACARI (*Pteroglossus aracari*)**



**TAWNY- TUFTED TOUCANET (*Selenidera nattereri*)**





**GUIANAN TOUCANET (*Selenidera culik*)**



**CHANNEL-BILLED TOUCAN (*Ramphastos vitellinus*)**





**THE RED-BILLED TOUCAN (*Ramphastos tucanus*)**



**TOCO TOUCAN (*Ramphastos toco*)**



**BLACK SPOTTED BARBET (*Capito Niger*)**



**THE HELMETED GUINEA FOWL (*Numidia meleagris*) originally out of Africa.**





**THRUSH (*Planesticus albiventer*)**



**SAVANNAH DOVE (*Columbina talpacoti*)**



**THE COMMON GROUND DOVE (*Columbina passerina*)**



**THE GUIANA BLACKBIRD (*Quiscalus lugubris*)**





**THE RED- CAPPED CARDINAL (*Paroaria gularis*)**



**THE VICISSI DUCK (*Dendrocygna discolor*)**





**WHITE CRANES (*Ardea cocoi*)**



**EGRETS (*Ardea Egretta*)**





**STORK** (*Mycteria Americana*)



**THE HERRING** (*Euxenura Maguari*)





**FLAMINGOS** (*Phaenicopterus ruber*)

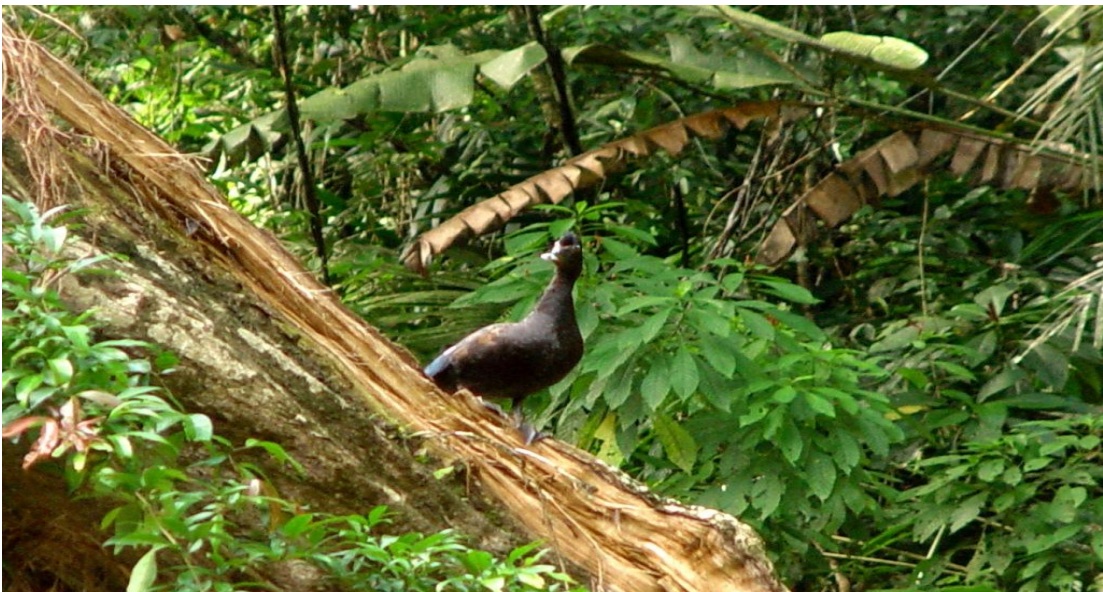


**LESSOR YELLOWLEGS** (*Tringa flavipes*) Migratory bird





**THE CURLEW (*Numenius Hudsonicus*)**



**THE MUSCOVY DUCK (*Cairina moschata*)**



**CRIMSON CRESTED WOODPECKER (*Campephilus melanoleucos*)**



**CHESTNUT WOODPECKER (*Celeus elegans*)**





**RED-NECKED WOODPECKER (*Campephilus rubricollis*)**



**THE GOLDEN-OLIVE WOODPECKER (*Colaptes rubiginosus*)**



**THE CRESTED OWL (*Lophotrix cristata*)**

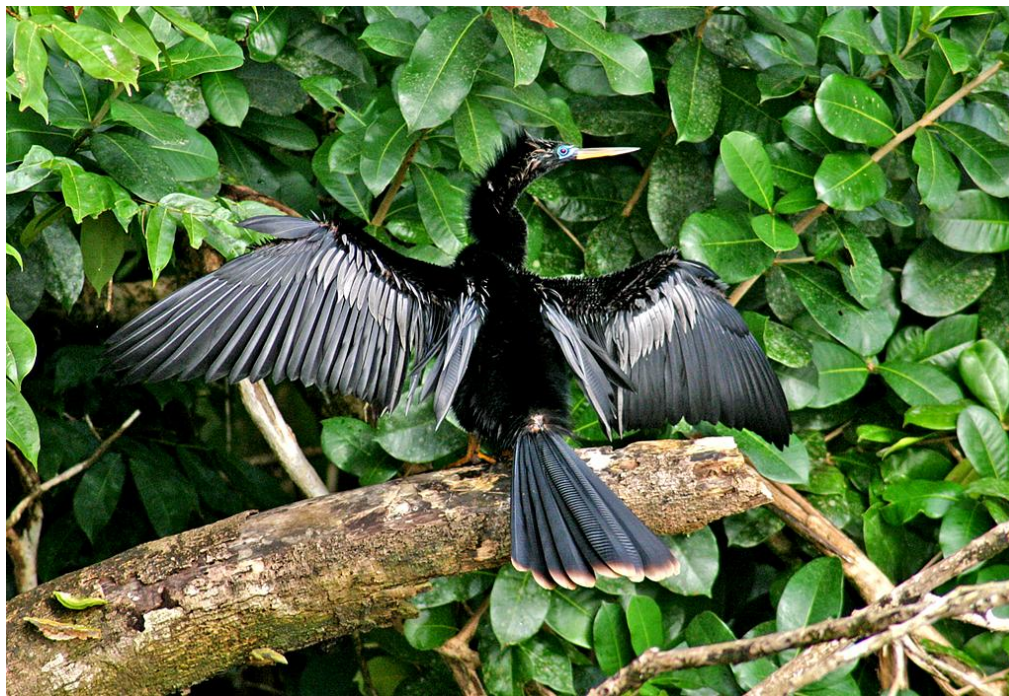


**OSPREY (*Pandion haliaetus*)**





**THE BROWN- CHESTED MARTIN (*Progne tapera*)**



**SNAKE BIRD (*Anhinga anhinga*)**





**THE MAGNIFICENT FRIGATEBIRD (*Fregata magnificens*)**



**GRAY-WINGED TRUMPETER (*Psophia crepitans*)**





**AMAZON KINGFISHER (*Chloroceryle amazona*)**



**MARbled WOOD- QUAIL (*Odontophorus gujanensis*)**



**CRESTED BOBWHITE (*Colinus cristatus*)**



**OILBIRD (*Steatornis caripensis*)**





**WATTLED JACANA** (*Jacana jacana*)



**PARADISE JACAMAR** (*Galbula dea*)



**VARIEGATED ANTPITTA (*Grallaria varia*)**



**BUFF-THROATED WOODCREEPER (*Xiphorhynchus guttatus*)**





**BLACK HAWK-EAGLE (*Spizaetus tyrannus*)**



**WHITE HAWK (*Leucopternis albicollis*)**



**BLUE-CROWNED MOTMOT (*Momotus momota*)**



**SUNBITTERN (*Eurypyga helias*)**





**YELLOW-BELLIED SEEDEATER** (*Sporophila nigricollis*)



**WHITE-SHOULDERED TANAGER** (*Tachyphonus luctuosus*)



**RED-BILLED PIED TANAGER (*Lamprospiza melanoleuca*)**



**FLAME-CRESTED TANAGER (*Tachyphonus cristatus*)**

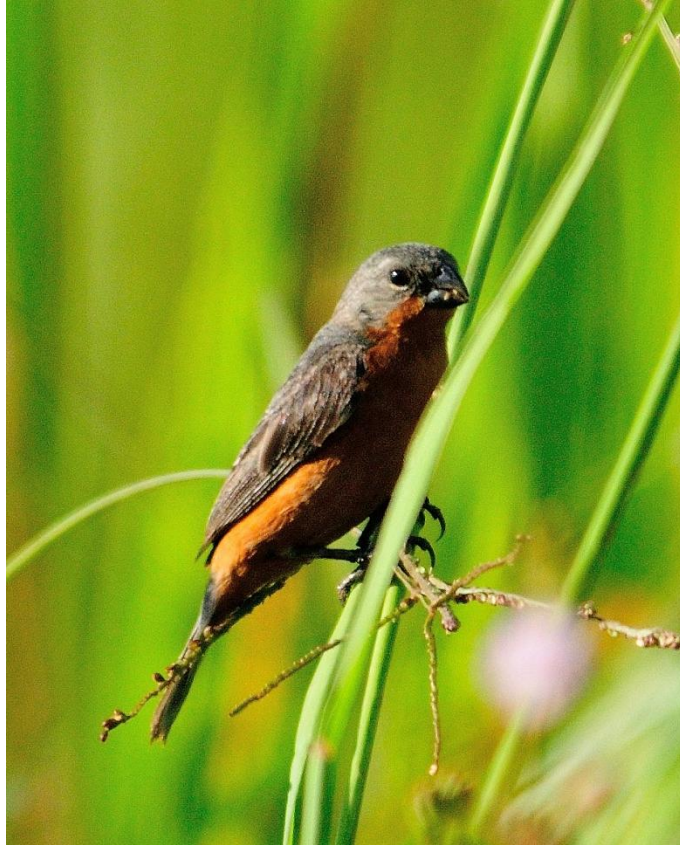




**BLACK AND WHITE BIRD- (*Dolospingus fringilloides*)**



**MASKED TANAGER (*Tangara nigrocincta*)**



**RUDDY-BREASTED SEEDEATER (*Sporophila minuta*)**



**WING-BARRED SEEDEATER (*Sporophila Americana*)**





**SAFFRON FINCH** (*Sicalis flaveola*)



**LARGE-BILLED SEED FINCH** (*Oryzoborus crassirostris*)



**GREEN HONEYCREEPER (*Chlorophanes spiza*)**



**PURPLE HONEYCREEPER (*Cyanerpes caeruleus*)**





**VIOLACEOUS EUPHONIA (*Euphonia violacea*)**



**SPOTTED TANAGER (*Tangara punctata*)**



**CHESTNUT-VENTED CONEBILL (*Conirostrum speciosum*)**



**LESSON'S SEEDEATER (*Sporophila bouvronides*)**





**BAY-HEADED TANAGER (*Tangara gyrola*)**



**SLATY FINCH (*Haplospiza rustica*)**



**YELLOW WARBLER (*Dendroica petechia*)**



**TROPICAL PARULA (*Parula pitiayumi*)**





**FLAVESCENT WARBLER (*Basileuterus flaveolus*)**



**AMERICAN REDSTART (*Setophaga ruticilla*)**



**TROPICAL GNATCATCHER (*Polioptila plumbea*)**



**VENEZUELAN TROUPIAL (*Icterus icterus*)**