



Sea and Sage Audubon Society

More Land Birds of Coastal Southern CA

An Intermediate-Advanced Visual Workshop

presented by Sylvia R. Gallagher

Starting March 23-26, 2026, Sylvia Gallagher will present a continuation of her annual fall series, BIRDS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. In this Zoom workshop, we'll study additional land birds (mainly Passerines) in nearly all of the families covered in that intro. workshop plus a few new ones. Most are birds that are fairly common, but for which there just wasn't enough time in the introductory workshop. A few are Endangered, Threatened, or Special-Concern species that you need to be aware of. We'll also deal with additional plumages of a few species from the fall workshop, such as female and immature orioles.

The prerequisite to this workshop is BIRDS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA--and you will be referring to your worksheets regularly. If you have not done that workshop, but have visual familiarity with the birds in it, you may enroll in this one.

Four sections of this workshop will be offered, each meeting via Zoom once a week including holidays. The workshop will end when the material has been covered. I do not want to rush through this material. Let's say ten to twenty weeks. The material is modular, so missing a group now and then will probably not be too much of a handicap to learning other groups. The starting dates and times are:

Mon. mornings, 9:00 am - ca. 12:00 noon, March 23.
Tues. mornings, 9:00 am - ca. 12:00 noon, March 24.
Wed. evenings, 7:00 - ca. 10:00 pm, March 25.
Thurs. evenings, 7:00 - 10:00pm, March 26.

There will also be a large number of field trips. The schedule will be announced later.



The maximum enrollment for each section is 21. If any section does not have at least 12 people enrolled (reservation received) by March 13, it will be canceled. Late reservations will be accepted until the remaining sections are filled. Reserve early though, because some sections may fill rapidly. A donation of \$200.00 or more is requested, if you can afford it.

The recommended books are:

Dunn and Alderfer. *National Geographic Field Guide to the Birds of North America*, 7th ed.

Sibley. *The Sibley Guide to Birds*, 2nd ed.

Specialty books on various types of birds are nice, too.

Send your reservation for this workshop, **postmarked no earlier than March 2** (2-day penalty for early reservations), To LMCLB Workshop, Sylvia Gallagher, 21562 Kaneohe Ln, Huntington Beach CA 92646. Placement in sections will be based on postmark date. **Enclose a long (4" x 9.5") self-addressed stamped envelope (SASE)**.

Confirmations will be mailed March 16, including preliminary information and assignments to do before the first class session. For further information, contact Sylvia at sjrgallagher@yahoo.com (preferred) or (714) 962-8990.

Enrollment Form – Learning More California Land Birds (2026)

Names of all participants _____

Address(es) _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone(s) _____ SASE enclosed? _____

E-mail(s) _____

Rank (check only if your preferences are strong) at least two choices of section:

Mon. am _____ Tues. am _____ Wed. pm _____ Thurs. pm _____

