



Nestmates Anonymous

This service is to match unmated birds, to bring joy to forlorn single birds and their discouraged owners, and to broaden the gene pool in needy species.

To list a bird give as much of the following as you can: English name or names by which it is known, Latin name and sex; your name, address and phone number; one dollar for up to four birds.

To answer a listing send a separate letter for each bird sought (each one goes to a different source), including your name, address and phone number; enclose a dollar for each bird sought (to cover mailing your response).

Address all communications to Ms. Cathy Grosse, 3120 Epworth Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45211. Do not write to the *Watchbird!*

I am re-listing the birds that were listed since January 1987 and adding some new hopefuls to the list. If you recognize your request in this list and no longer need a mate, please let me know, so I can update my files.

Wanted:

- Female Jameson's Finch
(*Lagonostica jamesoni*)
- Female Plumhead Parakeet
(*Psittacula cyanocephala*)
- Male Jacarini finch
(*Volatinia jacarina*)
- Pair Jacarini Finches
(*Volatinia jacarina*)
- Male Green Cheeked Conure
(*Molina restricta*)
- Male Pearly Chested Owllet

- Male Triton Cockatoo (*Cacatua galerita triton*)
- Female Umbrella Cockatoo
(*Cacatua alba*)
- Female Senegal (*Piocephalus senegalus senegalus*)
- Female Black Headed Caique (*Pionites melanocephala*)
- Male Lesser Vasa Parrot (*Coracopsis vasa drouhardi*)
- Female White Browed Laughing Thrush (*Gurrallax chinesis*)
- Female White-Lined Tanager
(*Trachyphonus rufus*)
- Female Palm Tanager
(*Thraupus palmeria*)
- Female Jacarini Finch,
Blue Black Grassquit
- Either sex Crimson Seedcracker
(*Pyrenestes sanguineus*)
- Female Red-capped Parrot
(*Purpureicephalus spurius*)
- Female White Bellied or Apricot Headed Caique (*Pionites leucogaster*)
- Male Hyacinth Macaw
- Male Patagonian Conure
(*Cyanoliseus patagonus*)
- Male Red Vented Cockatoo
(*Cacatua heamaturopygia*)
- Female Green-cheeked Amazon
(*Amazon viridigenalis*)
- Female Hispaniolan Amazon
(*Amazona ventralis*)
- Female Sulphur-crested Cockatoo
(*Cacatua galerita*)
- Either sex Blue-crowned Chlorophonia
(*Chlorophonia occipitalis*)
- Either sex Rusty Collared Seedeater
(*Sporophila collaris*)
- Either sex Lavendar Finch (acclimated)
(*Estrilda caerulescens*) ●



Eclectus Society Formed

Dear fellow eclectus enthusiast,

Finally, an Eclectus Society! A society whose sole consideration is the promotion of the eclectus species through education.

As an eclectus owner, you are aware of the special needs of this enchanting species. You have probably read everything you could get your hands on in an attempt to understand and meet the eclectus' special requirements. Unfortunately, there isn't much literature available on eclectus care. Until now.

The Eclectus Society publishes a bi-monthly newsletter which is stuffed full of information on the eclectus' dietary needs, behavior, nesting habits, and more! We are dedicated to helping fellow enthusiasts learn more about the eclectus species. Laurella Desborough, co-author of the new *Eclectus Book*, will be a contributing writer to the newsletter. Lin Bouet, a breeder of eclectus, will address members' questions regarding all aspects of the eclectus, and Bob Stonebreaker, DVM, will teach you about the medical side of caring for eclectus. These are just a few of the individuals who will be educating you on the eclectus species.

Anyone who owns an eclectus or aspires to own an eclectus will benefit from the valuable information in the Eclectus Society newsletter.

For more information about the Society, please contact Eclectus Society, 215 Lilac Drive, El Cajon, CA 92021 or phone (619) 588-6254. ●

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