



Birds I

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Two Canada Geese ...
... flying off into the wild blue yonder

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Robin (*Turdus migratorius*)
Robin and hatchling -
back yard, 1996



Nest (*Aves Nestorus*) in a
meadow near
Almonte, ON.



Chickadee
(*Poecile*
atricapillus)
at a
Handy
Feeding
Station





Northern Gannet
(*Morus bassanus*)







Canada Geese
(*Branta canadensis*)





Cormorants (*Phalacrocoracidae*)
Trinity Bay, Newfoundland



Ring-billed Gulls (*Larus delawarensis*)
Ottawa River
The top-left gull scored a tea biscuit.



A seriously grey and lonely day in
Nova Scotia, 1995



A gull (***Larus delawarensis***) escaping from two fierce
Mallard drakes (*Anas platyrhynchos*)



Black Crowned Heron
(*Nycticorax nycticorax*)
Brittannia, Ottawa

Great Blue Heron
(*Ardea herodias*)
Just north of Newmarket
ON on the 2nd Concession.
This fellow caught my
attention because its right
foot had lost it's rear talon.





Mallard (*Anas platyrhynchos*)
and her brood of seven.
Alert (up) and Adoze (down)
Britannia, Ottawa



Mallard (*Anas platyrhynchos*)
preening.
Britannia, Ottawa



Four Mallards dabbling;
one gull bemused.
Britannia, Ottawa



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