



Clark Creek Natural Area Bird Watching Possibilities

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| Acadian Flycatcher | European Starling | Red-headed- Woodpecker |
| American Crow | Fish Crow | Red-winged Blackbird |
| American Goldfinch | Gray-cheeked Thrush | Ruby-crowned Kinglet |
| American Restart | Great-crested- Flycatcher | Ruby-throated-Hummingbird |
| Barn Swallow | Hairy Woodpecker | Scarlet Tanager |
| Black Vulture | Hermit Thrush | Summer Tanager |
| Black-throated Green-Warbler | Hooded Warbler | Swainson's Thrush |
| Blue Jay | House Sparrow | Tennessee Warbler |
| Blue-gray Gnatcatcher | Indigo Bunting | Tufted Titmouse |
| Brown Thrasher | Louisiana Waterthrush | Turkey Vulture |
| Brown-headed Cowbird | Magnolia Warbler | White-eyed Vireo |
| Carolina Chickadee | Mississippi Kite | White-throated Sparrow |
| Carolina Wren | Mourning Dove | Wood Thrush |
| Cattle Egret | Northern Cardinal | Worm-eating Warbler |
| Chimney Swift | Northern Mockingbird | Yellow-Bellied-Sapsucker |
| Common Yellowthroat | Northern Parula | Yellow-billed Cuckoo |
| Downy Woodpecker | Orchard Oriole | Yellow-throated Vireo |
| Eastern Bluebird | Pileated Woodpecker | Yellow-throated Warbler |
| Eastern Kingbird | Pine Warbler | |
| Eastern Meadowlark | Purple Martin | |
| Eastern Towhee | Red-bellied Woodpecker | |
| Eastern Wood-Pewee | Red-eyed Vireo | |

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Yellow-bellied Sapsucker

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The **Natchez Trace Corridor Birding Trail** features six state parks and one natural area which offer great opportunities for bird viewing. The Natchez Trace Parkway is one of the most beautiful, scenic roads in the southeastern United States which connects Natchez, MS, with Nashville, TN. Numerous historic sites and picnic areas are located on the parkway.

Beginning in the Northeast corner of Mississippi, **J.P. Coleman State Park** is located on a high bluff overlooking Pickwick Lake on the Tennessee River. This state park has dramatic views of Pickwick Lake from all the developed park areas including the lodge, convention center, cabins, swimming pool, miniature golf, marina, RV campground, and tent campground. The shoreline has extensive rock formations and the lake provides excellent deep water fishing and boating.



Pine Warbler

Tishomingo State Park is approximately 30 miles south and can be accessed directly off the Natchez Trace Parkway or Hwy. 25. This park is located near the base of the Appalachian Mountains foothills and has large rock outcroppings. The deep forest includes many rare plants and an abundance of hardwood trees. This park has been designated a MS Historic Site because of the abundance of original Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) buildings constructed from local stone. The park has six unique cabins, group camp, lodge, RV campground, museum, suspended bridge over Bear Creek, seasonal canoeing and extensive nature trails. Tishomingo is named for the Native Indians who once resided here.

On the journey south, Trace and Tombigbee State Parks are found near Tupelo, with exits off the Natchez Trace Parkway.



Tufted Titmouse

Trace State Park is located west of Tupelo and has cabins; an RV campground; disc golf; a large, scenic fishing lake; and extensive trails (equestrian, mountain bike, nature/hiking, ATV/dirt bike). **Tombigbee State Park** is located east of Tupelo and features a visitor/activity building, group camp, cabins, RV campground, nature trail, disc golf and fishing lake. Tombigbee is one of the ten original CCC parks in MS. Nearby, Tupelo is the birthplace home of Elvis Presley.

As the Natchez Trace Parkway approaches Jackson, MS, scenic views are provided at the Ross Barnett Reservoir. **LeFleur's Bluff State Park** is located in the north center of Jackson with direct access from Interstate 55 at Lakeland Drive. This 300 acre state park includes an RV campground, tent camping, fishing lake, disc golf, 9-hole golf course with driving range and golf villas. The park is home to the MS Museum of Natural Science, a state-of-the-art, destination facility with fish aquariums, natural science exhibits and nature trails.

Traveling south, **Natchez State Park** is located north of historic Natchez with an exit off the Natchez Trace Parkway. This park features a large fishing lake, cabins, RV campground, tent camping, visitor/activity building, disc golf and nature trail. The state record largemouth bass was caught in this lake.

The **Clark Creek Natural Area** near Woodville, MS, features a scenic nature trail which drops dramatically in elevation to the creek bed below. The trail has numerous rock outcroppings, native plants, and is located in a heavily, wooded area. A comfort station with parking is provided.



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Natchez Trace Corridor BIRDING TRAIL

1. J.P. Coleman State Park • Iuka, MS • 662.423.6515
2. Tishomingo State Park • Tishomingo, MS • 662.438.6914
3. Trace State Park • Belden, MS • 662.489.2958
4. Tombigbee State Park • Tupelo, MS • 662.842.7669
5. LeFleur's Bluff State Park • Jackson, MS • 601.987.3923
6. Natchez State Park • Natchez, MS • 601.442.2658
7. Clark Creek Natural Area • Woodville, MS • 601.888.6040



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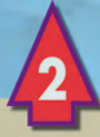


J.P. Coleman State Park Bird Watching Possibilities

Acadian Flycatcher
American Coot
American Crow
American Goldfinch
American Kestrel
American Redstart
American Robin
American Wigeon
Anhinga
Bald Eagle
Baltimore Oriole
Barn Swallow
Barred Owl
Bay-breasted Warbler
Belted Kingfisher
Black Vulture
Black & White Warbler
Blackburnian Warbler
Blackpoll Warbler
Black-throated Blue-
Warbler
Black-throated Green-
Warbler
Blue Grosbeak
Blue Jay
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
Blue-headed Vireo
Blue-winged Warbler
Bonaparte's Gull
Broad-winged Hawk
Brown Creeper
Brown Thrasher
Brown-headed- Cowbird
Brown-headed-Nuthatch
Bufflehead
Canada Goose
Canada Warbler
Cape May Warbler
Carolina Chickadee
Carolina Wren
Cattle Egret
Cedar Waxwing
Cerulean Warbler
Chestnut-sided- Warbler
Chimney Swift
Chipping Sparrow
Common Grackle
Common Nighthawk
Common Yellowthroat
Connecticut Warbler
Cooper's Hawk
Dark-eyed Junco
Double-crested-Cor-
morant
Downy Woodpecker
Eastern Bluebird
Eastern Kingbird
Eastern Phoebe
Eastern Screech-Owl

Eastern Towhee
Eastern Wood-Pewee
European Starling
Field Sparrow
Fish Crow
Forster's Tern
Gadwall
Golden-crowned-Kinglet
Golden-winged-Warbler
Gray Catbird
Gray-cheeked Thrush
Great Blue Heron
Great Egret
Great Horned Owl
Great-crested- Fly-
catcher
Green-winged Teal
Hairy Woodpecker
Hermit Thrush
Herring Gull
Hooded Merganser
Hooded Warbler
House Finch
House Sparrow
House Wren
Indigo Bunting
Kentucky Warbler
Killdeer
LeConte's Sparrow
Lesser Scaup
Lincoln's Sparrow
Loggerhead Shrike
Louisiana Waterthrush
Magnolia Warbler
Mallard
Marsh Wren
Merlin
Mississippi Kite
Mourning Dove
Mourning Warbler
Nashville Warbler
Northern Cardinal
Northern Flicker
Northern Harrier
Northern Mockingbird
Northern Parula
Northern Pintail
Northern Rough-Winged
Swallow
Northern Shoveler
Northern Waterthrush
Orange-crowned-War-
bler
Orchard Oriole
Osprey
Ovenbird
Palm Warbler
Philadelphia Vireo
Pied-billed Grebe

Piloted Woodpecker
Pine Siskin
Pine Warbler
Prothonotary Warbler
Purple Finch
Purple Martin
Red-bellied Woodpecker
Red-breasted Nuthatch
Red-eyed Vireo
Red-headed- Wood-
pecker
Red-shouldered Hawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Red-winged Blackbird
Ring-billed Gull
Ring-necked Duck
Rock Pigeon
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Ruby-crowned Kinglet
Ruby-throated-Hum-
mingbird
Savannah Sparrow
Scarlet Tanager
Sedge Sparrow
Sharp-shinned Hawk
Snowy Egret
Song Sparrow
Spotted Sandpiper
Summer Tanager
Swainson's Thrush
Swainson's Warbler
Swamp Sparrow
Tennessee Warbler
Tree Swallow
Tufted Titmouse
Turkey Vulture
Veery
Vesper Sparrow
Virginia Rail
White-breasted Nuthatch
White-crowned Sparrow
White-eyed Vireo
White-throated Sparrow
Wilson's Warbler
Winter's Wren
Wood Duck
Wood Thrush
Worm-eating Warbler
Yellow Warbler
Yellow-bellied- Sap-
sucker
Yellow-billed Cuckoo
Yellow-breasted Chat
Yellow-crowned Night-
Heron
Yellow-rumped Warbler
Yellow-throated Vireo
Yellow-throated Warbler



Tishomingo State Park Bird Watching Possibilities

Acadian Flycatcher
American Crow
American Goldfinch
American Restart
American Robin
Bald Eagle
Baltimore Oriole
Barn Swallow
Barred Owl
Bay-breasted Warbler
Belted Kingfisher
Black Vulture
Black & White Warbler
Black-billed Blackbird
Blackburnian Warbler
Blackpoll Warbler
Black-throated Blue-
Warbler
Black-throated Green-
Warbler
Blue Grosbeak
Blue Jay
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
Blue-headed Vireo
Blue-winged Warbler
Broad-winged Hawk
Brown Creeper
Brown Thrasher
Brown-headed-Cowbird
Canada Warbler
Cape May Warbler
Carolina Chickadee
Carolina Wren
Cattle Egret
Cedar Waxwing
Cerulean Warbler
Chestnut-sided- Warbler
Chimney Swift
Chipping Sparrow
Chuck-will's-widow
Common Grackle
Common Nighthawk
Common Yellowthroat
Connecticut Warbler
Cooper's Hawk
Dark-eyed Junco
Double-crested-Cor-
morant
Downy Woodpecker
Eastern Bluebird
Eastern Kingbird
Eastern Phoebe
Eastern Screech-Owl
Eastern Towhee
Eastern Wood-Pewee
European Starling
Field Sparrow
Golden-crowned-Kinglet

Golden-winged-Warbler
Gray Catbird
Gray-cheeked Thrush
Great Blue Heron
Great Egret
Great Horned Owl
Great-crested- Fly-
catcher
Green-winged Teal
Hairy Woodpecker
Hermit Thrush
Hooded Merganser
Hooded Warbler
House Sparrow
House Wren
Indigo Bunting
Kentucky Warbler
Killdeer
Lincoln's Sparrow
Loggerhead Shrike
Louisiana Waterthrush
Magnolia Warbler
Mallard
Merlin
Mississippi Kite
Mourning Dove
Mourning Warbler
Nashville Warbler
Northern Cardinal
Northern Flicker
Northern Mockingbird
Northern Parula
Northern Pintail
Northern Rough-Winged
Swallow
Northern Waterthrush
Orange-crowned-War-
bler
Orchard Oriole
Osprey
Ovenbird
Palm Warbler
Philadelphia Vireo
Pied-billed Grebe
Piloted Woodpecker
Pine Siskin
Pine Warbler
Prothonotary Warbler
Purple Finch
Purple Martin
Red-bellied Woodpecker
Red-breasted Nuthatch
Red-eyed Vireo
Red-headed- Wood-
pecker
Red-shouldered Hawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Red-winged Blackbird

Hooded Warbler



Trace State Park Bird Watching Possibilities

Acadian Flycatcher
American Crow
American Goldfinch
American Pipit
American Restart
American Robin
Baltimore Oriole
Barn Swallow
Barred Owl
Bay-breasted Warbler
Belted Kingfisher
Black & White Warbler
Blackburnian Warbler
Blackpoll Warbler
Black-throated Green-
Warbler
Blue Grosbeak
Blue Jay
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
Blue-winged Teal
Blue-winged Warbler
Broad-winged Hawk
Brown Creeper
Brown Thrasher
Brown-headed-Cowbird
Canada Goose
Canada Warbler
Carolina Chickadee
Carolina Wren
Cedar Waxwing
Cerulean Warbler
Chestnut-sided-Warbler
Chimney Swift
Chipping Sparrow
Cliff Swallow
Common Grackle
Common Loon
Common Yellowthroat

Cooper's Hawk
Dark-eyed Junco
Double-crested-Cor-
morant
Downy Woodpecker
Eastern Bluebird
Eastern Kingbird
Eastern Meadowlark
Eastern Phoebe
Eastern Towhee
Eastern Wood-Pewee
European Starling
Field Sparrow
Fish Crow
Golden-crowned-Kinglet
Golden-winged-Warbler
Gray Catbird
Gray-cheeked Thrush
Great Blue Heron
Great Horned Owl
Great-crested- Fly-
catcher
Green Heron
Hairy Woodpecker
Hermit Thrush
House Finch
House Sparrow
Indigo Bunting
Kentucky Warbler
Killdeer
Little Blue Heron
Louisiana Waterthrush
Mallard
Mississippi Kite
Mourning Dove
Mourning Warbler
Nashville Warbler

Northern Cardinal
Northern Flicker
Northern Mockingbird
Northern Parula
Northern Rough-Winged
Swallow
Northern Waterthrush
Orange-crowned-War-
bler
Orchard Oriole
Osprey
Palm Warbler
Philadelphia Vireo
Piloted Woodpecker
Pine Siskin
Pine Warbler
Prothonotary Warbler
Purple Martin
Red-bellied Woodpecker
Red-breasted Nuthatch
Red-eyed Vireo
Red-headed- Wood-
pecker
Red-shouldered Hawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Red-winged Blackbird
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Ruby-crowned Kinglet
Ruby-throated-Hum-
mingbird
Scarlet Tanager
Sedge Wren
Solitary Sandpiper
Spotted Sandpiper
Summer Tanager
Swainson's Thrush
Swainson's Warbler
Swamp Sparrow
Tennessee Warbler
Tree Swallow
Tufted Titmouse
Veery
Warbling Vireo
White-breasted Nuthatch
White-crowned Sparrow
White-eyed Vireo
White-throated Sparrow
Wild Turkey
Winter's Wren
Wood Duck
Wood Thrush
Worm-eating Warbler
Yellow-bellied- Sap-
sucker
Yellow-billed Cuckoo
Yellow-rumped Warbler
Yellow-throated Vireo



Anhinga chick

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Tombigbee State Park Bird Watching Possibilities

Acadian Flycatcher
American Crow
American Goldfinch
American Pipit
American Restart
American Robin
Baltimore Oriole
Barn Swallow
Barred Owl
Bay-breasted Warbler
Belted Kingfisher
Black & White Warbler
Blackburnian Warbler
Blackpoll Warbler
Black-throated Green-Warbler
Blue Grosbeak
Blue Jay
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
Blue-winged Teal
Blue-winged Warbler
Broad-winged Hawk
Brown Creeper
Brown Thrasher
Brown-headed Cowbird
Canada Goose
Canada Warbler
Carolina Chickadee
Carolina Wren
Cedar Waxwing
Cerulean Warbler
Chestnut-sided Warbler
Chimney Swift
Chipping Sparrow
Cliff Swallow
Common Grackle
Common Loon
Common Yellowthroat
Cooper's Hawk
Dark-eyed Junco
Double-crested-Cormorant
Downy Woodpecker
Eastern Bluebird
Eastern Kingbird
Eastern Meadowlark
Eastern Phoebe
Eastern Towhee
Eastern Wood-Pewee
European Starling
Fish Crow
Forster's Tern
Gadwall
Golden-crowned Kinglet
Golden-winged Warbler
Gray Catbird
Gray-cheeked Thrush

Great Blue Heron
Great Horned Owl
Great-crested Flycatcher
Green Heron
Hairy Woodpecker
Hermit Thrush
House Finch
House Sparrow
Indigo Bunting
Kentucky Warbler
Killdeer
Little Blue Heron
Louisiana Waterthrush
Magnolia Warbler
Mallard
Mississippi Kite
Mourning Dove
Nashville Warbler
Northern Cardinal
Northern Flicker
Northern Mockingbird
Northern Parula
Northern Rough-Winged Swallow
Northern Waterthrush
Orange-crowned Warbler
Orchard Oriole
Osprey
Palm Warbler
Philadelphia Vireo
Pileated Woodpecker
Prothonotary Warbler
Purple Finch
Purple Martin
Red-bellied Woodpecker
Red-breasted Nuthatch
Red-eyed Vireo
Red-headed Woodpecker

Red-shouldered Hawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Red-winged Blackbird
Ring-billed Gull
Ring-necked Duck
Rock Pigeon
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Ruby-crowned Kinglet
Ruby-throated-Hummingbird
Scarlet Tanager
Sedge Wren
Solitary Sandpiper
Spotted Sandpiper
Summer Tanager
Swainson's Thrush
Swainson's Warbler
Swamp Sparrow
Tennessee Warbler
Tree Swallow
Tufted Titmouse
Veery
Warbling Vireo
White-breasted Nuthatch
White-crowned Sparrow
White-eyed Vireo
White-throated Sparrow
Wild Turkey
Winter Wren
Wood Duck
Wood Thrush
Worm-eating Warbler
Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
Yellow-billed Cuckoo
Yellow-rumped Warbler
Yellow-throated Vireo



Northern Mockingbird and chicks

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LeFleur's Bluff State Park Bird Watching Possibilities

Acadian Flycatcher
American Crow
American Goldfinch
American Restart
American Robin
Anhinga
Bald Eagle
Baltimore Oriole
Barn Swallow
Barred Owl
Belted Kingfisher
Black Vulture
Solitary Sandpiper
Black & White Warbler
Blackpoll Warbler
Black-throated Green-Warbler
Blue Grosbeak
Blue Jay
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
Blue-headed Vireo
Blue-winged Warbler
Bonaparte's Gull
Broad-winged Hawk
Brown Creeper
Brown Thrasher
Brown-headed Cowbird
Brown-headed Nuthatch
Bufflehead
Canada Goose
Carolina Chickadee
Carolina Wren
Cedar Waxwing
Chipping Sparrow
Cliff Swallow
Common Grackle
Common Nighthawk
Common Yellowthroat
Cooper's Hawk
Dark-eyed Junco
Double-crested-Cormorant
Downy Woodpecker
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Eastern Kingbird
Eastern Meadowlark
Eastern Phoebe
Eastern Screech-Owl
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Great Blue Heron
Great Horned Owl
Great-crested- Fly-catcher
Greater Scaup
Green Heron
Hairy Woodpecker
Hermit Thrush
Hooded Merganser
Hooded Warbler
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House Sparrow
House Wren
Indigo Bunting
Kentucky Warbler
Killdeer
Lesser Scaup
Little Blue Heron
Loggerhead Shrike
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Mississippi Kite
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Northern Rough-Winged Swallow
Northern Shoveler
Northern Waterthrush
Orchard Oriole
Osprey
Painted Bunting
Philadelphia Vireo
Pied-billed Grebe
Pileated Woodpecker
Pine Siskin
Pine Warbler
Prothonotary Warbler
Purple Finch
Purple Martin
Red-breasted Nuthatch
Red-eyed Vireo
Red-headed- Wood-pecker
Red-shouldered Hawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Red-winged Blackbird
Ring-necked Duck

Rock Pigeon
Rose-breasted Grosbeak
Ruby-crowned Kinglet
Ruby-throated-Hummingbird
Scarlet Tanager
Sharp-shinned Hawk
Snowy Egret
Song Sparrow
Spotted Sandpiper
Summer Tanager
Swainson's Thrush
Swainson's Warbler
Tennessee Warbler
Tree Swallow
Tricolored Heron
Tufted Titmouse
Turkey Vulture
Veery
Virginia Rail
White Ibis
White-throated Sparrow
Wilson's Warbler
Winter Wren
Wood Duck
Wood Stork
Wood Thrush
Yellow Warbler
Yellow-bellied- Sapsucker
Yellow-billed Cuckoo
Yellow-breasted Chat
Yellow-crowned Night-Heron
Yellow-rumped Warbler
Yellow-throated Vireo
Yellow-throated Warbler

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American Crow
American Goldfinch
American Kestrel
Barn Swallow
Barred Owl
Belted Kingfisher
Black Vulture
Black & White Warbler
Blue Jay
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
Carolina Chickadee
Carolina Wren
Cedar Waxwing
Chipping Sparrow
Chuck-will's Widow
Common Grackle
Common Nighthawk
Dark-eyed Junco

Downy Woodpecker
Eastern Bluebird
Eastern Kingbird
Eastern Towhee
Eastern Wood-Pewee
European Starling
Fish Crow
Great Blue Heron
Great Egret
Great-crested- Fly-catcher
Hooded Warbler
Indigo Bunting
Kentucky Warbler
Mallard
Mississippi Kite
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Northern Cardinal

Northern Flicker
Northern Mockingbird
Northern Rough-Winged Swallow
Pied-billed Grebe
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Pine Warbler
Purple Finch
Red-bellied Woodpecker
Red-headed- Wood-pecker
Red-shouldered Hawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Red-winged Blackbird
Ruby-crowned Kinglet
Ruby-throated-Hummingbird
Sharp-shinned Hawk
Summer Tanager
Tufted titmouse
Turkey Vulture
White-eyed Vireo
White-throated Sparrow
Wood Duck
Wood Thrush
Yellow-bellied- Sapsucker
Yellow-bellied Cuckoo
Yellow-rumped Warbler



Carolina Wren



Owl chicks