

Doves



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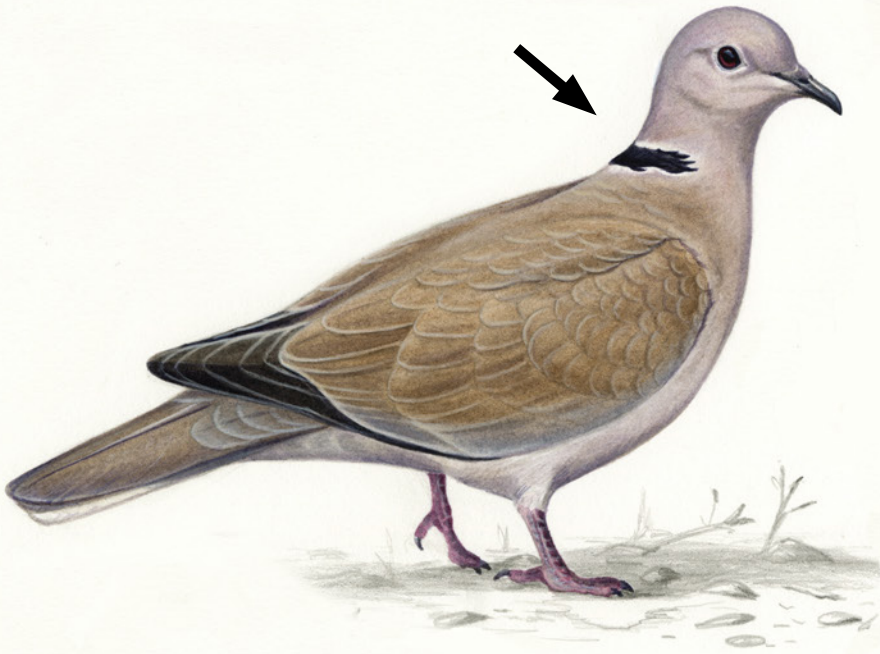
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Identification tips

Eurasian Collared-Dove

- Distinct black ring around back of neck
- Song is a rapid, three-part cooing, “koo-KOO-kook”



Mourning Dove

- Distinctly long, tapered tail that comes to a point
- Vocalization is an emphatic “coo-oo” often followed by two or three louder “coos”
- Wings make a whistling sound when the bird takes flight



White-winged Dove

- Large, white patch along the edge of the wing that is visible when the bird is at rest
- Vocalizations include a variety of elaborate cooing sounds with multisyllable phrases

Find a discussion of the three species as well as photos in the 2011-12 Winter Bird Highlights, pages 4 and 5, found in the News section of the FeederWatch website at www.FeederWatch.org.

