

Birds Around the World - Suzanne Dater

There are more than 10,400 species of birds around the world and many more subspecies. Suzanne has been fortunate to travel to all seven continents and take shots of 600 species. This presentation will be a select group of those birds taken in their natural environment.

Suzanne retired from the Organization of American States in 1996 as Senior Program Administrative Officer, managing economic and social development programs in Central and South America and the Caribbean. She took her first photography course in 2001 and has since been hooked on this art form, specializing in nature and travel photography to all seven continents.

She received the Master Photographer Award from the NIH Camera Club, awards from Nation Visions Exhibition, the International George W. Glennie Nature Exhibition, the Audubon Society and the National Wildlife Federation. She has served on the Boards of the Montgomery Bird Club, the NIH Camera Club, and the Summer Garden Club that has sold her photographs on note cards to help maintain community public gardens. She has shown her slide shows for these organizations on numerous occasions.

She has also been president of the Potomac Valley Dressage Association and a judge for the International Side Saddle Association. She also rode side-saddle in the Ronald Reagan Inaugural Presidential Parade.

