

# Download Extinct Birds : And Those In Danger Of Extinction

The dodo (*Raphus cucullatus*) is an extinct flightless bird that was endemic to the island of Mauritius, east of Madagascar in the Indian Ocean. The dodo's closest genetic relative was the also-extinct Rodrigues solitaire, the two forming the subfamily Raphinae of the family of pigeons and doves. The closest living relative of the dodo is the Nicobar pigeon. A white dodo was once thought to have ...Extinct Birds is a sad roll call of those birds we have lost throughout mankind's existence and those that petered out before we got here. Each of the species is given in typical field guide manner with name in English and Latin with status, range, description, if available, habits and extinction. Even familiar birds at risk of extinction, new study finds The 2018 State of the World's Birds report, which provides a comprehensive look at the health of bird populations globally, has found that the extinction crisis has spread so far that even some well-known species are now in danger. Mass Extinction Underway, Majority of Biologists Say Washington Post Tuesday, April 21, 1998 [Note: scroll down this page for HUNDREDS of links to updates about the current mass extinction.