

Learning the Birds: A Midlife Adventure By Susan Fox Rogers **Book Learning the birdsong** In middle age a beautiful birdsong coming in her window caught her attention and sent her down the road to discovering not only the source of that particular song (a veery) but also to developing a deep interest in all birds. **Learning the Birds pdf** Susan writes a series of vignettes about simultaneously falling in love with a birder and falling in love with birding interspersing snippets of the history of birding and famous birders with compelling nature writing about her trips from Paris to Alaska to learn the birds. **Learning the Birds pdf** I picked up this book after seeing her speak near my home in the Hudson Valley it was especially enjoyable because she wrote often about the environment and birds in my area. **Learning the birdshack fried** While it felt a little long and overly descriptive in parts each chapter is a contained vignette and if you're interested in learning more about birding it's a wonderful way to dive in. **Learning the Birds booklet** If at times one feels a little trapped in the privilege of Rogers' ability to pursue birding as a balm for her midlife crisis she is such a beautiful craftsperson of words and images when seized by avian passion and gosh knows the birds need all the help they can get. **Book Learning the birds** I found myself totally identifying with the writer as she recounts the excitement of seeing a particular bird and the nervousness of sending a message to other birds about a rare sighting. **Learning the Birds pdf** In addition to MY REACH I am the editor of eleven book anthologies including Solo: On Her Own Adventure Going Alone: Womens Adventures in the Wild and Alaska Passages: 20 Voices from Above the 54th Parallel and Antarctica: Life on the Ice. **PDF Learning the birds eye** I teach creative writing at Bard College the creative essay nature writing and a course on the Hud I am the author of MY REACH: A HUDSON RIVER MEMOIR to be published by Cornell University Press in September 2011. **Book Learning the birds** In addition to MY REACH I am the editor of eleven book anthologies including Solo: On Her Own Adventure Going Alone: Women's Adventures in the Wild and Alaska Passages: 20 Voices from Above the 54th Parallel and Antarctica: Life on the Ice. **Book Learning the birds eye** It was the song of a thrush that reawakened Rogers sparking a long-held desire to know the birds that accompanied her as she rock climbed and paddled to know the world around her with greater depth. **Learning the birdsboro pa** Along on the journey are birders and estimable ornithologists of past generations—people like Franklin Delano Roosevelt and Florence Merriam Bailey—whose writings inspire Rogers's adventures and discoveries. **Learning the Birds booking** Definitely a book that a diverse audience would enjoy! 1501762249 Susan Fox Rogers begins her book with a quote from Aristophanes: "You have learnt from the birds and continue to learn. **Book Learning the birds** Thompson Pond here I come! 1501762249 A truly charming account of how the author became passionate about birding without quite making it past the line into obsession as it often happens with this hobby. **Learning the birdshack fried** Deeply personal and full of intimate details about her relationship with Pete with whom she blossomed as a birder even if their relationship didn't eventually work out Rogers brings the reader into the field and her heart with contagious enthusiasm about birds.

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For most of Susan Fox Rogers' life she had noticed birds in the way that many people do peripherally paying little attention unless they were bright and close and loud, **Learning the Birds booklet** Told in essays this is the story of her first few years as a birder. **Learning the birdshack fried** 1501762249 I listened to the audiobook of this delightful birding memoir told in essay format, **Book Learning the birds** As a birder I found it easy to relate Rogers' gradual transformation from casual birdwatcher to hard-core bird nerd, **Learning the birdshot** I also really enjoyed all the ornithological history peppered throughout the book, **Learning the birdshot vs** It left me wanting to know more and wishing I had a hard to copy to use as a reference for all the notable birders Rogers mentions, **Learning the birds by susan fox rogers** 1501762249 A beautiful immersive look at the depth and power of birding: **Learning the birdseye architects** Reading Learning the Birds it

has fundamentally changed the way I see hear and experience birds in my environment—which I imagine is the ultimate goal of Susan's empathetic stories, **Learning the birdshack fried** 1501762249 Some lovely writing some lovely birds - a great read for anyone who is looking for inspiration on finding new love new pursuits new knowledge of themselves, **Learning the birdsboro pharmacy** I did learn quite a bit and am full of admiration for her remaking a passing interest into a virtual obsession that makes her happy - may that be available for all, **Learning the Birds kindle cloud** She shares how birds have disappear how we impact the birds as well as anecdotes of how passionate birders can be. **Learning the Birds kindle cloud** 1501762249 I am the author of MY REACH: A HUDSON RIVER MEMOIR to be published by Cornell University Press in September 2011: **Book Learning the birds** As I encounter snapping turtles and great blue heron visit crumbling ice houses and cement factories you will learn about the rich natural and built history of this river: **Learning the birdshack fried** In the process I also tell my own story of family and loss: **Learning the Birds ebookers** As I encounter snapping turtles and great blue heron visit crumbling ice houses and cement factories you will learn about the rich natural and built history of this river: **Learning the birdshack fried** In the process I also tell my own story of family and loss: **Learning the Birds book** I teach creative writing at Bard College the creative essay nature writing and a course on the Hudson: **EBook Learning the birds** Learning the Birds is the story of how encounters with birds recharged her adventurous spirit. **Learning the Birds booklet** When the birds first called Rogers was in a slack season of her life: **Book Learning the birds** The woods and rivers that enthralled her younger self had lost some of their luster: **PDF Learning the birdsong** Energized by her curiosity she followed the birds as they drew her deeper into her authentic self and ultimately into love. **Learning the birdshack fried** In Learning the Birds we join Rogers as she becomes a birder and joins the community of passionate and quirky bird people: **Book Learning the birds eye** We meet her birding companions close to home in New York State's Hudson Valley as well as in the desert of Arizona and awash in the midnight sunlight of Alaska, **Learning the birdshack fried** A ready knowledgeable and humble friend and explorer Rogers is eager to share what she sees and learns, **Learning the Birds pdf** Learning the Birds will remind you of our passionate need for wonder and our connection to the wild creatures with whom we share the land: **Book Learning the birds** Learning the Birds: A Midlife AdventureAll around beautiful worthwhile book, **Learning the Birds kindle reader** Studded with moments of profundity carried on the through-line of birds and the world, **Learning the Birds book** but that doesn't change the fact that I love her writing, **PDF Learning the birdsong** The beautiful way that memoir and research are intertwined in this book made for a captivating read. **Learning the Birds booking** " Well after reading this deeply personal engagement with birds and birders I steal from Aristophanes: I have learnt from Rogers and continue to learn: **Book Learning the birds** Sensing a gem I saved this book for a quiescent mid-summer spell and was so glad I did, **Learning the Birds kindle reader** Each essay felt like an updraft propelling me up and out of my life and into Susan's: **Learning the birdseye architects** She's a rare bird somehow able to live and analyze her life simultaneously, **Learning the Birds book** The result is a seamless narrative of humility insight and an incredible awareness to the birds and the curious people that obsess over them. **Learning the birdsall** Master of the essay Rogers left me staring into the middle distance rolling a new thought over while savoring a new factoid, **Learning the Birds kindle** " In this essay (my favorite) Rogers taught me about all about FDR a president I never knew beyond fireside chats and The New Deal, **Learning the Birds kindle direct** In just a few short pages Rogers made FDR relatable retracing his little-known presidential bird outing to Thompson Pond: **EBook Learning the birds eye** By the end I wanted to listen to sora buy an FDR biography and rise with the dawn: **Learning the birdshack fried** No European Starlings were reviled in the writing of this book! 1501762249 I never thought a book about birding would hold my attention but it did. 1501762249 This was such an enjoyable read. In this memoir I explore the Hudson River from my kayak. In this memoir I explore the Hudson River from my kayak. I live in the village of Tivoli. {site\_link} The thrill of quiet adventure. The constant hope of discovery. The reminder that the world is filled with wonder. When I bird life is bigger more

vibrant. That is why Susan Fox Rogers is a birder. 1501762249 I may be somewhat partial to this author . A case in point: "Dawn Chorus. Very well written. Lots of good historical details. 1501762249

