

Bushtit <i>Aegithalidae</i>		Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
Bushtit		FC	U	C	C
Creepers <i>Certhiidae</i>					
Brown Creeper				R	R
Wrens <i>Troglodytidae</i>					
Cactus Wren		C	C	C	FC
Rock Wren		C	FC	C	C
Canyon Wren		R		R	U
Bewick's Wren		C	C	C	C
House Wren		FC		U	
Winter Wren					R
Marsh Wren		R		U	
Kinglets <i>Regulidae</i>					
Golden-crowned Kinglet		R		R	
Ruby-crowned Kinglet		C		C	C
Gnatcatchers <i>Sylviidae</i>					
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher		C	FC	FC	FC
Black-tailed Gnatcatcher		FC	U	C	FC
Thrushes <i>Turdidae</i>					
Western Bluebird		R			U
Mountain Bluebird			U		
Townsend's Solitaire		U			FC
Swainson's Thrush		R			
Hermit Thrush		R		U	U
American Robin		C	U	FC	C
Thrashers <i>Minidae</i>					
Northern Mockingbird		FC	FC	U	
Sage Thrasher		U			
Bendire's Thrasher		R			
Crissal Thrasher		U	U	C	U
Starling <i>Sturnidae</i>					
European Starling		C	FC	A	C
Pipit <i>Motacillidae</i>					
American Pipit		U		FC	C
Waxwings <i>Bombycillidae</i>					
Cedar Waxwing		FC		U	U
Silky Flycatcher <i>Ptilogonatidae</i>					
Phainopepla		FC		U	U
Warblers <i>Parulidae</i>					
Tennessee Warbler		R			
Orange-crowned Warbler		U		FC	R
Nashville Warbler		R		U	
Virginia's Warbler		U		U	
Lucy's Warbler		C	C	C	
Yellow Warbler		C	FC	FC	
Yellow-rumped Warbler		C		C	U
Black-throated Gray Warbler		U		U	
Townsend's Warbler		R		R	
American Redstart		O			
Northern Waterthrush		O			
MacGillivray's Warbler		U		FC	
Common Yellowthroat		R	U	U	
Wilson's Warbler		C		FC	
Yellow-breasted Chat		U	R		

Tanagers <i>Thraupidae</i>		Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
Summer Tanager		U	C	C	
Western Tanager		C	R	FC	
Grosbeaks & Buntings <i>Cardinalidae</i>					
Rose-breasted Grosbeak		O			
Black-headed Grosbeak		FC	U	FC	
Blue Grosbeak		U	FC	FC	
Lazuli Bunting		C	R	FC	
Indigo Bunting		O			
Towhees & Sparrows <i>Emberizidae</i>					
Green-tailed Towhee		FC		R	
Spotted Towhee		FC			FC
American Tree Sparrow				R	
Chipping Sparrow		FC		FC	
Brewer's Sparrow		U		FC	
Vesper Sparrow		U		U	
Lark Sparrow		FC	U	FC	
Black-throated Sparrow		C	FC	FC	
Sage Sparrow		R			
Savannah Sparrow		C	U	FC	R
Song Sparrow		FC		C	C
Lincoln's Sparrow		C		FC	U
White-throated Sparrow		R			R
White-crowned Sparrow		C	R	A	A
Harris' Sparrow				R	
Dark-eyed Junco		FC		FC	C
Blackbirds & Orioles <i>Icteridae</i>					
Bobolink		R			
Red-winged Blackbird		C	U	C	FC
Western Meadowlark		FC		FC	FC
Yellow-headed Blackbird				R	
Brewer's Blackbird				U	
Great-tailed Grackle		R			
Brown-headed Cowbird		C	C	FC	
Hooded Oriole		C	FC	R	
Bullock's Oriole		C	C	C	
Scott's Oriole			FC	U	
Finches <i>Fringillidae</i>					
House Finch		C	C	A	A
Pine Siskin		U		FC	
Lesser Goldfinch		C	FC	C	
American Goldfinch		U		FC	U
Evening Grosbeak		R			
Weaver Finches <i>Passeridae</i>					
House Sparrow		C	C	C	C

The abundance and occurrence codes pertain only to birds found within the boundaries of Lytle Ranch, not to Beaver Dam Wash in its entirety nor to the surrounding ranches. The majority of the codes are based on frequent visits I made to the ranch from 1974 to 1999. Additional information from visitors that would update the codes for various species is welcomed. Please send information to Merrill Webb, Provo High School, Provo, Utah 84604.

Birds of Lytle Ranch Preserve

Field Checklist

Compiled by Merrill Webb, 1999



Observer _____

Date _____ No. of Species Seen _____

Notes _____

Abundance and Occurrence Codes:

- A - Relatively Abundant, always in numbers
- C - Common, always to be seen but not in large numbers
- FC - Fairly common, very small numbers or not always seen
- U - Uncommon, seldom seen but not a surprise
- R - Rare, always a surprise but not out of normal range
- O - Occasional, out of usual range, few sightings in past 50 years
- E - Escapée, escaped from hunting preserve downstream
 - Spring (March, April & May)
 - Summer (June & July)
 - Fall (August, September, October & November)
 - Winter (December, January & February)

Names and sequences according to the Forty-First Supplement to the A.O.U. Checklist of North American Birds. Auk 114 (3):542-552, 1997

GREBES <i>Podicipediformes</i>		Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
Pied-billed Grebe		R		R	
Eared Grebe		U			

HERONS & EGRETS <i>Ciconiiformes</i>		U	FC	U	FC
Great Blue Heron		U	FC	U	FC
Great Egret		O			
Snowy Egret		U		U	
Cattle Egret				U	
Green Heron			U	R	
Black-crowned Night Heron				R	
White-faced Ibis		R			
Turkey Vulture		U	U	U	

WATERFOWL <i>Anseriformes</i>		R			R
Canada Goose		R			R
Wood Duck		R			
Gadwall				R	
American Wigeon		R			
Mallard		FC	U	FC	FC
Cinnamon Teal		FC	U		U
Northern Shoveler		R			
Northern Pintail				R	
Green-winged Teal		FC		FC	FC
Redhead		R			
Ring-necked Duck		U		R	
Common Goldeneye					R
Common Merganser		R			R
Red-breasted Merganser		R	R		

HAWKS & EAGLES <i>Falconiformes</i>		R			
Osprey		R			
White-tailed Kite		O			
Bald Eagle		R			
Northern Harrier		U			U
Sharp-shinned Hawk		U		U	U
Cooper's Hawk		U		FC	U
Common Black Hawk		U	R	R	
Swainson's Hawk			R		
Red-tailed Hawk		C	C	C	C
Rough-legged Hawk			R		
Ferruginous Hawk		O		R	
Golden Eagle		U	U	U	FC
American Kestrel		C	C	C	C
Peregrine Falcon		O			
Prairie Falcon		R			

GROUSE & QUAIL <i>Galliformes</i>		E	E	E	E
Ring-necked Pheasant		E	E	E	E
Gambel's Quail		C	A	A	C

RAILS & COOTS <i>Gruiformes</i>		Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
American Coot		R		R	

SHOREBIRDS & GULLS <i>Charadriiformes</i>		C	FC	C	C
Killdeer		C	FC	C	C
Black-necked Stilt		R		R	
American Avocet		R			
Solitary Sandpiper		U			
Willet		R			
Spotted Sandpiper		FC	U	U	
Marbled Godwit		R			
Western Sandpiper		R			
Least Sandpiper		R			
Common Snipe		U		U	FC
Ring-billed Gull		R			
California Gull		R			

DOVES & PIGEONS <i>Columbiformes</i>				R	
Rock Dove				R	
Band-tailed Pigeon			R		
White-winged Dove		C	FC	U	
Mourning Dove		C	FC	C	
Inca Dove				O	
Ruddy Ground-Dove				O	

CUCKOO, ROADRUNNER <i>Cuculiformes</i>			R		
Yellow-billed Cuckoo			R		
Greater Roadrunner		U	U	U	U

OWLS <i>Strigiformes</i>		U	U		
Barn Owl		U	U		
Flammulated Owl		R			
Western Screech Owl		FC	FC	FC	FC
Great Horned Owl		FC	FC	FC	FC
Long-eared Owl		R			

GOATSUCKERS <i>Caprimulgiformes</i>		U	FC		
Lesser Nighthawk		U	FC		
Common Nighthawk			R		
Common Poorwill		U	FC	FC	

SWIFTS & HUMMINGBIRDS <i>Apodiformes</i>		FC	FC	U	
White-throated Swift		FC	FC	U	
Black-chinned Hummingbird		FC	U		
Costa's Hummingbird		FC	U		
Calliope Hummingbird		R			
Broad-tailed Hummingbird		FC			
Rufous Hummingbird				R	

KINGFISHERS <i>Coraciiformes</i>		U	U	C	U
Belted Kingfisher		U	U	C	U

WOODPECKERS <i>Piciformes</i>		Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
Red-naped Sapsucker		U		FC	U
Ladder-backed Woodpecker		C	C	C	C
Downy Woodpecker		U			U
Hairy Woodpecker		R			
Northern Flicker		U		FC	C

PERCHING BIRDS <i>Passeriformes</i>		U		U	
Flycatchers <i>Tyrannidae</i>					
Olive-sided Flycatcher		U		U	
Western Wood-Pewee		FC	U	U	
Willow Flycatcher		U			
Hammond's Flycatcher		U			
Dusky Flycatcher		U		U	
Gray Flycatcher		U			
Cordilleran Flycatcher		U		R	
Black Phoebe		C	FC	FC	U
Eastern Phoebe		O			
Say's Phoebe		C	C	C	C
Vermilion Flycatcher		U	R		
Ash-throated Flycatcher		C	FC	U	
Brown-crested Flycatcher		U	U	R	
Cassin's Kingbird		U		R	
Western Kingbird		C	U	FC	

Shrikes <i>Laniidae</i>		C	FC	C	U
Loggerhead Shrike		C	FC	C	U

Vireos <i>Vireonidae</i>		C	FC	U	
Bells Vireo		C	FC	U	
Gray Vireo		R			
Plumbeous Vireo		C			
Warbling Vireo		FC			

Jays & Crows <i>Corvidae</i>		U		R	FC
Western Scrub Jay		U		R	FC
Pinyon Jay		R	R	U	
American Crow				R	R
Common Raven		C	U	C	C

Larks <i>Alaudidae</i>					U
Horned Lark					U

Swallows <i>Hirundinidae</i>		O			
Purple Martin		O			
Tree Swallow		R		R	
Violet-green Swallow		C	U	U	
Northern Rough-winged Swallow		C	C	U	
Bank Swallow		R		R	
Cliff Swallow		U	U	U	
Barn Swallow		U		U	

Chickadees <i>Paridae</i>		R			R
Mountain Chickadee		R			R
Juniper Titmouse		R			

Verdin <i>Renizidae</i>		C	C	C	C
Verdin		C	C	C	C