



## Stalking the Ghost Bird: The Elusive Ivory-Billed Woodpecker in Louisiana

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By Michael K Steinberg

Louisiana State University Press. Hardback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Stalking the Ghost Bird: The Elusive Ivory-Billed Woodpecker in Louisiana, Michael K Steinberg, Unseen for more than sixty years and thought to be extinct, interest in the Ivory-Billed Woodpecker exploded in 2004 when two birders reported capturing the bird on film while searching a bottomland forest in Arkansas. STAKING THE GHOST BIRD examines the lengthy debate over the ivory-bill's status by examining the reported sightings and extensive efforts to find the rare bird in Louisiana. In this absorbing study, author Steinberg turns his lifelong interest in the majestic ivory-billed woodpecker into a tale that encapsulates both the mystery and intrigue surrounding the legendary bird and our fascination with it.



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