

# THE WONDROUS WORLD OF BIRDS

Characters:

- 1.Nick
  - 2.Sally
  - 3.Bird Expert
  - 4.Narrator
  - 5.Swan
  - 6.Robin
  - 7.Cardinal
  - 8.Golden Finch
  9. Blue jay
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Narrator- Today Nick and Sally are going to a bird exhibit to see different birds. They also are meeting up with a bird expert to give them facts.

(kids walk to bird expert)

Bird Expert – Hi kids. We have five birds to show you. The first one is a robin.

Nick – I love robins! Let's go now.

Sally – What are the other birds?

Bird Expert – We have bluejays, golden finches, cardinals and trumpeter swans.

Nick – I want to see the robins!

(Bird expert sighs)

Bird Expert – Sally, do you think we should go to the robins first for Nick?

Sally – OK, but I get to pick the next bird.

(They walk to the robin room).

Narrator – Sally, Nick and the Bird Expert walk to the robin room. In there, they see a red and brown bird. Next to it, there is a piece of cardboard with writing on it.

Nick – What's that say?

Bird Expert – That's information about the robin. It says....

Robin – I am a bird with flapping wing. Strong and bold. I am brown and red, eating seeds and berries. I lay turquoise eggs. A strong sharp beak helps me gobble up worms. I dig and claw them with my feet. I am an amazing Robin.

Sally – Wow! I never knew robins eat that stuff.

Nick – I did. Robins also fly fast...

Robin – I fly fast. I fly at least 10 miles per hour. In attack mode, I fly more like 30.

Bird Expert – That's right. I won't forget that.

Narrator – Sally gets to choose the next bird.  
But she didn't know what to choose.

Sally – I pick, uh, uh....I pick, uh, swans.

Bird Expert – Follow me then. This way.

Narrator – I believe in the next room a white trumpeteer swan glides on the water. His name is Lewis.

Sally – I know facts about them....

Swan – I am a water bird who swims with skin between my toes. I show up in the book Trumpet of the Swan. I love water! I am a Trumpeter Swan.

Nick – I knew that.

Sally – OK, do you know this?

Swan – I love flying too. In time, swans fly high, sometimes to a peaceful lake to give birth.

Nick – Yes, I did know that.

Bird Expert – Nick, it's your turn to pick the bird.

Nick – I want to see the blue jays.

Bird Expert – Sally, is that OK?

Sally – Yes, let's go and see them.

Narrator – What Sally and Nick didn't know was the rest of the birds were in the same room. That's a surprise.

(they walk to another space)

Nick and Sally – Wow! Cool! Awesome!

Bird Expert – I knew my surprise was a good one.

Narrator – What Nick and Sally saw was a room filled with color. There were goldfinches and cardinals and blue jays.

Nick – There's a blue jay and a cardinal.

Sally – And there's a golden finch!

Bird Expert – Here are some facts...

Blue jay – I am blue and purple. I eat berries and leaves. Also, I eat nuts. Some birds, but not all, eat nuts.

Cardinal – Red, Red. I am Red. I like Red. I eat red and blue berries. Red is mine. Red I love. I hide in red leaves to camouflage. Red! RED! RED!!

Golden Finch – I eat seeds. My feathers are half black and half yellow. I live in low places, mostly bushes and the ground.

Cardinal – We are birds and we live in different places and eat different foods.

(Cardinal, Golden Finch and Blue Jay fly to each other)

Cardinal/ Blue Jay / Golden Finch together – We like flying and nests. We are birds.

Bird Expert – Do you want to help me set them free?

Sally – yeah, yeah, yeah!

Nick – Yes, I really want to.

Bird Expert – OK. Let's do it then.

(they open up the cages and the birds fly out)

Cardinal – It feels great to be free!

Blue Jay – It really is great!

Golden Finch – You two are right!

Robin – Ahhh, I love the fresh air!

Swan – Kah-hoo, kah-hoo!

All the birds – it feels great to be free in the  
Wondrous World of Birds!

The End.