

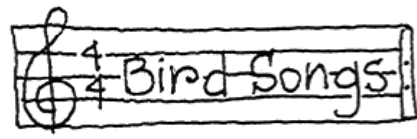
BIRD SEED by Brod Bagert

It didn't work!
I planted birdseed
in the ground
And weed seeds sprouted
all around.
I know it sounds a bit absurd
But I couldn't grow a single bird!

zinnias provide nectar for bees and monarch butterflies. In the fall and winter, birds will enjoy their SEEDS.

Kids' Page!

by Jeannie McDermott



Birds make both calls and songs.
CALLS are usually short, simple sounds —
A baby peeping "Feed Me!" or the squawking sound of a distress call, indicating danger is present.

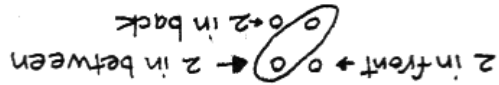
SONGS are longer, more complicated and melodic. Most singing birds are male. During breeding season a male may spend half of his day singing to attract a mate. Most songbirds have a couple of different songs they sing over and over. In some species males and females sing duets.

Each bird species has a different song. Some songs sound like words we speak.



for these songs
✓ THE SONGS YOU HEAR

- ▷ Teacher... teacher
(CAROLINA WREN)
- ▷ cheerily... cheerily
(ROBIN)
- ▷ phe.. be... be
(CHICKADEE)
- ▷ sweet... sweet... sweet
(JUNCO)
- ▷ Who cooks for you?
(BARRED OWL)



ANSWER: FOUR DUCKS

ZINNIAS ARE EASY TO GROW • FAST GROWING TOO!