

## Bird Bonanzas Tours

are ornithological tours — not "nature" or "natural history" tours. They are designed not by travel agents, or even by "birders," but by ornithologists with extensive experience in the areas of the tours.

All leaders of our coming spring tours have done advanced study, writing and teaching in the field of ornithology, and, in addition, have lived for extended periods of time in the areas of their tours.

For example, Dr. C. Hilary Fry of the Department of Zoology, University of Aberdeen, who will lead our WEST AFRICA tour has lived in Nigeria seven years. He inaugurated the Nigerian Ornithologists Society and edited its bulletin. His research has taken him to East, South and Central Africa, and he has participated in trans-African expeditions mapping out areas for faunal reserves. He has published numerous articles in the Ibis and other publications.

In designing our West African tour, he didn't think only of tourist attractions, but primarily of faunal and vegetation zones and an itinerary most productive for the visiting ornithologist.

West Africa has much to offer the ornithologist — a diverse fauna and geography and forest zones vastly more extensive than those in East Africa.

During our visit, March 24 - April 13, there will be much courtship activity and native and Palearctic migration will be

in full swing. We will visit exotic areas, such

as the great Congo, Volta and Niger Rivers,

Lake Chad and Timbuktu. If you are not

the typical tourist who merely wants

a few photos of elephants (though

you'll see as many mammals as

anywhere in Africa) think

about joining us in

West Africa for a

real ornithological adventure.



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WEST AFRICA

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West Africa, March 24 - April 13

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