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QUIZ 179

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What is the only aquatic songbird in North America?

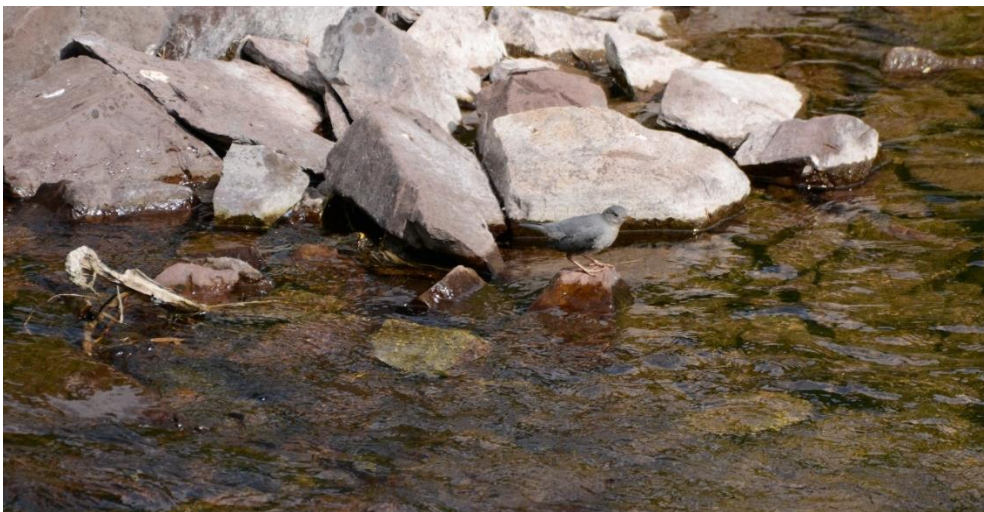


It isn't the northern waterthrush.

Link to ponder: Tide tables for [New Jersey](#).

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American Dipper



It all depends, of course, on how you understand “aquatic.” A great many passerines—from waterthrushes to yellow-headed blackbirds—are intimately dependent on water, but the dippers are the only songbirds that regularly submerge to hunt their prey.

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Southwest Wings

