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Subject: Birds In The City

Posted by [Nouri](#) on Wed, 29 Apr 2020 01:20:17 GMT

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Big metropolitan areas have noise pollution. Some more than others. There are also birds in these big cities. We hear them, but don't think much about it.

Lately though, it seems as if I hear them more and their calls and songs are clearer somehow.

Do you think the lack of noise pollution helps their sound carry in a clearer way since human made noise has subsided greatly?

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Subject: Re: Birds In The City

Posted by [Kingfish](#) on Mon, 18 May 2020 10:51:15 GMT

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Any sound will carry farther and be heard better if there are no audible interference's getting in the way. I'm thinking an end of the world scenario where all you hear are birds in a city with their songs and chirps echoing off the vacant buildings.

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Subject: Re: Birds In The City

Posted by [Miami](#) on Mon, 25 May 2020 01:49:48 GMT

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It's a shame in a way that businesses and such are opening back up. The bird songs are going to get a bit drowned out again. I'm sure they were relieved for a few weeks that they didn't have to compete with all that noise in order to be heard.

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Subject: Re: Birds In The City

Posted by [Rusty](#) on Mon, 25 May 2020 14:39:17 GMT

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I saw this series when the pandemic shut down started. Sort of a prophetic take on the unknown we were embarking on. But an interesting study of how the world would adapt to our dominating presence. Without us around, nature would take over and balance out the ecosystem. Our relics would be absorbed relatively quickly by the biodiversity of the planet.

Life After People:

<https://play.history.com/shows/life-after-people#episodes>

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Subject: Re: Birds In The City

Posted by [Concorde](#) on Mon, 16 Nov 2020 02:05:47 GMT

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Kingfish wrote on Mon, 18 May 2020 05:51 Any sound will carry farther and be heard better if there are no audible interference's getting in the way. I'm thinking an end of the world scenario where all you hear are birds in a city with their songs and chirps echoing off the vacant buildings. And now I'm picturing "I Am Legend".

I don't think it's going to come to that with this pandemic, especially with talk of the President elect ordering another shut down because of the recent rise in cases everywhere.

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Subject: Re: Birds In The City  
Posted by [MRikki](#) on Mon, 02 Aug 2021 03:28:08 GMT  
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I think birdsong is one of the easiest ways to connect people to nature. It's such a shame that noise pollution makes it difficult to appreciate these beautiful songs that the birds are singing.

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Subject: Re: Birds In The City  
Posted by [Acacia](#) on Sat, 07 Aug 2021 09:09:29 GMT  
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I agree. The birds might be feeling more at ease now with the minimal movement in the cities. Noise pollution has decreased more than ever, which may have also attracted more birds into the area.

Nouri wrote on Tue, 28 April 2020 20:20

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Subject: Re: Birds In The City  
Posted by [Beck](#) on Sat, 18 Sep 2021 12:23:24 GMT  
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It's no doubt that too much noise pollution will drive the birds away. They probably won't even bother to settle near crowded places. That's why you'll only be able to hear birds if you're living in a more secluded neighborhood.