

BIRDSONG OF SOUTHERN AFRICA

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GALP 1501

Side I

- Band 1 Eagles:**
Crowned Eagle
(*Stephanoaetus coronatus*) R143
Fish Eagle
(*Haliaeetus vocifer*) R149
- 2 Plovers:**
Blacksmith Plover
(*Hoplopterus armatus*) R244
Wattled Plover
(*Afribyx senegallus*) R247
- 3 Loeries:**
Livingstone Lourie
(*Turacus corythaix livingstonii*) R336(d)
Purple-crested Lourie
(*Gallirex porphyreolophus*) R337
- 4 Cuckoos:**
Red-Chested Cuckoo
(*Cuculus solitarius*) R343
Black Cuckoo
(*Cuculus cafer*) R344
- 5 Cuckoos:**
Jacobin Cuckoo
(*Clamator jacobinus*) R348
Klaas's Cuckoo
(*Chrysococcyx klaas*) R351
Diederik Cuckoo
(*Chrysococcyx caprius*) R352
- 6 Robins:**
Cape Robin
(*Cossypha caffra*) R581
White-throated Robin
(*Bessonornis humeralis*) R582
White-Browed Scrub Robin
(*Erythropgyia leucophrys*) R588
- 7 Robins:**
White-Browed Robin
(*Cossypha benglini*) R580
Bearded Robin
(*Erythropgyia quadrivirgata*) R585
Thrush Nightingale
(*Luscinia Luscinia*) R592

Side II

- Band 1 Boubou Shrikes:**
Tropical Boubou
(*Laniarius ferrugineus mossambicus*) R709(g)
Swamp Boubou
(*Laniarius ferrugineus sticturus*) R709(h)
Southern Boubou
(*Laniarius ferrugineus*) R709(a)
- 2 Shrikes:**
Crimson-Breasted Shrike
(*Laniarius atro-coccineus*) R711
Black-Crowned Tchagra
(*Tchagra senegala*) R715
- 3 Shrikes:**
Long-tailed Shrike
(*Urolestes melanoleucus*) R724
Red-billed Helmet Shrike
(*Sigmodus retzii*) R728
- 4 Shrikes:**
Olive Bush Shrike
(*Chlorophonius olivaceus*) R717
Orange-breasted Bush Shrike
(*Chlorophonius sulphureopectus*) R719
- 5 Shrikes:**
Grey-headed Bush Shrike
(*Malacoonotus poliocephalus*) R723
Bokmakierie
(*Telophorus zeylonus*) R722
- 6 Hornbills:**
Grey Hornbill
(*Lophoceros nasutus*) R424
Red-billed Hornbill
(*Lophoceros erythrorhynchus*) R425
Yellow-billed Hornbill
(*Lophoceros flavirostris*) R426
- 7 Hornbills:**
Ground Hornbill
(*Bucorvus leadbeateri*) R430
Crested Hornbill
(*Bycanistes brevis*) R423

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