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The Snow Goose and Other Legends Lulu.com

Deep in the Arctic north, an unlikely friendship hatches and grows between a fox cub and a little snow goose.

Song of the North Wind U of Nebraska Press

Recounts the authors' life with and observations of the great North American flock of lesser snow geese, the flock's autumn migration from Hudson Bay to the Gulf of Mexico, and the behavior of a group of imprinted young geese

The Biogeochemistry of Blue, Snow, and Ross' Geese Vintage Canada

Samilenko's *The Snow Goose Chronicles* describes what can only be called the genocide of the peasants. She includes the GULAGs, labor camps in Karelia, especially "Solovki" located in the former "Solovetsky" Monastery on a Northern island where inmates starved and froze to death. *The Snow Goose Chronicles* is must reading for anyone interested in the history of Ukraine its life and

fate of Ukrainian peasants during the Soviet period. Anyone interested in getting to know a simple, lovable, morally upright human being will reread this book time and again. A great read! -Helen Segall Professor Emerita of Russian Language and Literature В «Снежном гусе» автор в качестве скальпеля использует острый меч, чтобы без горечи или злобы, но решительно вскрыть гнойные раны, которые ее народу нанесла и надеялась навсегда скрыть под незажившими рубцами советская власть. И это бы ей удалось, если бы не Снежный гусь, который в качестве беспристрастного свидетеля и летописца присутствует в повествовании от начала до последней точки. -Владимир Войнович *The Snow Goose Chronicles* is a moving, well-paced story with living characters doing the best they can to survive Stalinism. Olya Samilenko takes us on a fascinating ride through twentieth-century Ukraine and its tragic history, as experienced by two Ukrainians and two Jews. -Professor Alexander Motyl, Rutgers University-Newark Absurdity and verisimilitude coexist in this fluid tale, whose frequent allusions to Gogol - there is even a Comrade Chichikov - serve both to heighten and to assuage the

tragedy of the romance. -Dr. Isaiah Gruber, Historian, Hebrew University of Jerusalem "Snow Goose" reads like a frightening mystery.... have to put it down and then rush back to read more.

-Ulana Mazurkevich President, Ukrainian Human Rights Committee

[Snow Goose Global Thanksgiving](#) Waterside Productions

Although there are lots of animals on Grandfather's farm, Anna wants a snow goose.

[The Private Eye](#) Oxford University Press on Demand

What's a friendly fox to do when he finds a lonely goose egg?

Deep in the snowy North, an unlikely friendship hatches and grows. Sparkling fun and a warm family tale await nature lovers of all ages in this adorably illustrated, beautifully embossed book. Full color.

Snow Goose Chronicles Crestwood House

For centuries the snow goose has signified the passing seasons to the Indians?its white feathers a symbol of the breadth of life and a reminder of the roles the birds played as messengers between heaven and earth. The importance of the geese in these roles is attested by their prominence in Indian lore and myth. ø As a boy growing up in North Dakota, Paul A. Johnsgard measured his winters not by conventional time units, but in the days it took for the snow geese to return from their wintering grounds to Lake Traverse. In this book he recounts the story of one year in the life of a pair of snow geese-the incubation and breeding of the young in the Arctic, their hazardous migration to winter quarters near the Gulf of Mexico, and the spring migration back to the Arctic.

[The North American Geese](#) Publishamerica Incorporated

Discusses the habits and behavior of North America's snow goose, a survivor of the Ice Age.

[Little Snow Goose](#) Dutton Juvenile

This is the original version first published in 1940 in The Saturday Evening Post, later expanded into a longer version and published in book form in 1941.

The Snow Goose Library and Archives Canada = Bibliothèque et Archives Canada

The eight currently recognized species of North American geese are part of a familiar group of birds collectively called waterfowl, all of which are smaller than swans and generally larger than ducks. They include the most popular of our aquatic gamebirds, with several million shot each year by sport hunters. Our two most abundant waterfowl, the Canada goose and snow goose, have populations collectively totaling about 15 million individuals. Like swans, the lifelong pairbonding of geese, their familial care, and prolonged social attachment to their offspring are legendary. Their seasonal migratory flights sometimes span thousands of miles, and the sight of their long, wavering flight formations are as much the symbols of seasonal change as are the spring songs of cardinals or the appearance of autumnal leaf colors. This book describes each species' geographic range and subspecies, its identification traits, weights and measurements, and criteria for its age and sex determination. Ecological and behavioral information includes each species' breeding and wintering habitats, its foods and foraging behavior, its local and long distance movements, and its relationships with other species. Reproductive information includes each species' age of maturity, pair-bond pattern, pair-forming behaviors, usual clutch sizes and incubation periods, brooding behavior, and postbreeding behavior. Mortality sources and rates of egg, young, and adult losses are also summarized, and each species' past and current North American populations are estimated. In addition to a text of nearly 60,000 words, the book includes 8 maps, 21 line drawings, and 28 photographs by the author, as well as more than 700 literature citations.

Influence of Sympatric Lesser Snow Geese (Chen Caerulescens

Caerulescens) on Reproductive Performance, Behavior, and Food Habits of Canada Geese (Branta Canadensis Interior) on Akimiski Island, Nunavut UBC Press

Review and synthesis of existing information were used to develop a habitat model for lesser snow geese. Model is scaled to produce an index of habitat suitability between 0 and 1.0 for lesser snow goose wintering habitat in Gulf of Mexico coastal areas of Texas and Louisiana. Guidelines for application of model are provided.

The Snow Goose and Other Stories Liberty Publishing House

In a debut of great delicacy and distinction, a young nature philosopher describes his journey as he follows the northern migration of the snow goose and reflects on the powerful attraction of home. Every spring, millions of geese embark on an arduous three-thousand-mile homeward journey from their winter quarters in the southern United States to their breeding grounds in the Canadian Arctic. One year William Fiennes, recovering from a long illness, decided to go with them. Intrigued by what he'd read about the birds' extraordinary annual journey, he was also desperate to escape the depression that had dogged his convalescence, and the belief that at age twenty-six, his life had ground to a halt. Part memoir, part nature study, part travelogue, the story of Fiennes's journey is not just about geese. It's about homecoming: the birds on their long trip home, the pull of nostalgia, the urge to leave home and the even stronger urge to return. Fiennes is a gifted natural writer with a distinctive voice that is deeply thoughtful, wry and keenly observant. His book vibrates with ideas, with stories and anecdotes, with humankind as well as wild fowl. The joy of being alive, being on the move and - above all - going home are poignantly captured in this intelligent, exuberant book.

[Journey of the Snow Goose](#) Dutton Children's Books

Every year the magnificent silver Snow Goose brings winter to the Magical Kingdom of Birds. But this year something is wrong: why hasn't he arrived? Lord Astor must be up to his tricks again. Can Maya and her friends uncover the mystery behind the missing snow goose, and bring winter to the kingdom?

[The Flight of the Snow Geese](#) HarperCollins Publishers

Part of the 'Penguin Active Reading' series, this book provides a range of integrated activities designed to develop reading skills and consolidate vocabulary, and offers personalised project work.

The Snow Goose Orchard Books (NY)

Journey of the Snow Goose chronicles the spiritual and physical sojourn of Barbary and Bill Chaapel, who leave land and everything it represents behind them to sail away in a tiny sailboat for 7 1/2 years. They leave the known luxury of home, career, friends and family for the vast and deep unknown, sailing long and hard on the wind, sea-salted eyes searching for glimpse of land]all for slowed moments together, challenging their hearts to grow. In the year before they left Cleveland, they read and studied every book on heavy weather sailing, navigation, tides and currents the Cuyahoga County Library system had to offer. Although they knew how to pour oil on troubled waters and trail a sea anchor in a storm, nothing prepared them for the solitude of two, anchoring off an isolated far-away island. Years ago, with the precision of sailorsa tools and compass rose, fate already had charted their course.

Population Modelling and Management of Snow Geese

Knopf

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Colonies and Numbers of Ross' Geese and Lesser Snow Geese in the Queen Maud Gulf Migratory Bird Sanctuary NorthSouth (NY)
Hunting Snow Geese can be the most frustrating species of waterfowl to hunt. It is not uncommon to witness many water fowlers walk out of the field empty-handed. These beautiful white birds quickly become cautious, wily, and difficult to hunt. They can be fooled, though, and hunters can succeed if willing to put forth the effort. Join seasoned waterfowl hunter Tom Bennett as he offers different strategies and tips for hunting Snow geese on the Grand Prairie of Arkansas. *Hunting Strategies for Grand Prairie Snow Geese* offers insights for effective scouting, how to recognize flight and feeding patterns, and offers secrets for simple spread designs tailored to fool the intelligence of snow geese. Additionally, Bennett includes basic hunting strategies that have proven successful over the years.

Hunting Strategies for Grand Prairie Snow Geese Dennis Hunt
This unique title evaluates the results from one of the most significant long-term studies of birds in the late twentieth century. The authors evaluate the working of natural selection on Snow Goose plumage colour, seasonal timing of breeding, clutch size, egg size and body size. With information gathered over 26 years on 40,000 individually marked adult geese, 45,000 nests and more than 110,000 goslings at one colony in northern Manitoba, this work is a landmark in avian biology and population genetics.

The Flight of the Snow Goose Carbondale : Published by Southern Illinois University Press for the Illinois Natural History Survey
A curious story involving not only the Snow Goose, the Canada-bred wanderer of the airways, but also a couple and their travels. This brief literary fairy tale of the dark, reclusive hunchback with a gift for love and healing; the timid country girl; and the wounded snow goose that brings them together is undeniably sentimental. Certain aspects of the story may seem dated to today's readers, and they probably won't be drawn to an adult heroine depicted as so primitive and inarticulate that "She did not understand war or what happened in France," and Rhayader must explain it to her "in terms she could understand." The addition of painterly oil illustrations with a suitable romantic quality and an attractive book design make this a handsome package. No doubt, a new generation of young romantics will sigh with satisfying heartbreak as Fritha watches the soaring snow goose that she sees as "the soul of Rhayader taking farewell of her before departing forever."--School Library Journal

Snow Goose Global Thanksgiving Michael Joseph
The Queen Maud Gulf Migratory Bird Sanctuary in the central Canadian Arctic is the breeding ground for most of the world's population of Ross' Geese, one of the least numerous species of geese in North America. Lesser Snow Geese, among the most abundant of geese, nest mainly in the eastern and western Canadian Arctic but also nest in association with Ross' Geese in the central Canadian Arctic. This report presents the results of a survey conducted in June using aerial photography to determine

the numbers and geographical distribution of the two species of geese nesting in the sanctuary in 1982 and 1988. The results are related to earlier records and to the summer habitat of the geese and their southern distribution.

The Science of Snow Goose Hunting Penguin Longman
Research on Akimiski Island, Nunavut, indicates declining numbers of nesting Southern James Bay Population (SJB) Canada Geese (*Branta canadensis interior*) while increases have been documented for number of breeding Lesser Snow Geese (*Chen caerulescens caerulescens*). Low direct recovery rates of goslings is suggestive of late-summer mortality which may be limiting recruitment for Canada geese on Akimiski Island. This study was designed specifically to (1) compare Canada Goose reproductive performance, incubation and brood-rearing behavior in areas of allopatry and sympatry and with Lesser Snow Geese, (2) determine if there are differences in diets of Canada Geese in areas of allopatry and sympatry, and (3) determine if there are differences in diets of Canada and Lesser Snow Geese in the area of sympatry. I documented annual variation for all and spatial variation for some reproductive parameters measured. Results of between-area comparisons of reproductive performance tended to suggest that in some years, Canada Geese nesting in the area of sympatry contribute little towards the maintenance of the island segment of this population. During incubation when females were on nests, male behavior varied as a function of year, area, time-of-day, and incubation stage. Overall, male Canada Geese allocated their time primarily to vigilance, feeding, and resting when females were on the nest. Males in the area of allopatry were more vigilant and fed less compared to males in the area of sympatry. When females were on the nest, their behavior varied relative to time-of-day, incubation stage, and temperature. Females in the area of allopatry were more vigilant than females in the area of sympatry, but overall, females on the nest allocated their time primarily to resting and maintenance. Recess behavior of Canada Geese varied relative to sex, incubation stage, and temperature, but not area, though pairs in the area of allopatry tended to spend more time alert and less time feeding compared to pairs in the area of sympatry. During recesses, males allocated their time primarily to vigilance, whereas females allocated nearly equal proportions of time to feeding and maintenance. Overall, brood-rearing behavior varied relative to year, area, time-of-day, sex/age class, days since peak hatch, brood size, brood density, and temperature. Overall, results are indicative of exploitation competition and I suggest that present foraging conditions are insufficient to meet the energetic demands of breeding Canada Geese, as well as breeding and staging Lesser Snow Geese, molt-migrant Giant Canada Geese, and staging Atlantic Brant. Such an energy deficit is particularly detrimental to the growth and development of Canada Goose goslings resulting in locally poor recruitment which presumably will lead to a much depressed breeding population of Canada Geese on Akimiski Island. (Abstract shortened by UMI.).