

Painted Bunting

Passerina ciris



About this Bird

The male Painted Bunting is one of the most spectacularly coloured birds to visit the Caribbean. It has a red breast, belly and rump, blue head and green back. In contrast, the female is plain green—olive-green above and yellow-green below. Painted Buntings breed in the south-eastern US and spend the winter in Central America and the northern Caribbean. Males and females feed together in thickets, brush and grassy areas; they will also come to seed feeders. They hunt for insects and spiders or pull the seeds off grasses. They use their thick bills to roll and crack open the small seeds. *Bird Size 12.5 cm, 5 in.*



Plant -
Peregrina

Where this Bird Can Be Found

