

Kirtland's Warbler

Setophaga kirtlandii



Plant -
Pigeonberry,
Golden Dewdrop

About this Bird

The Kirtland's Warbler is a very rare warbler that almost became extinct 50 years ago. It is blue-grey above, lemon-yellow below, has black streaks on its sides, and white crescents above and below the eye. In the spring and summer it lives and breeds only in young jack pine forests in a few areas in Michigan. All the Kirtland's Warblers in the world (about 3,600 birds) fly from Michigan to the Bahamas and Turks and Caicos Islands for the fall and winter. Organizations and scientists in the US and the Bahamas are working together to study and protect this endangered species. Bird Size 15 cm, 5.75 in.

Where this Bird Can Be Found

