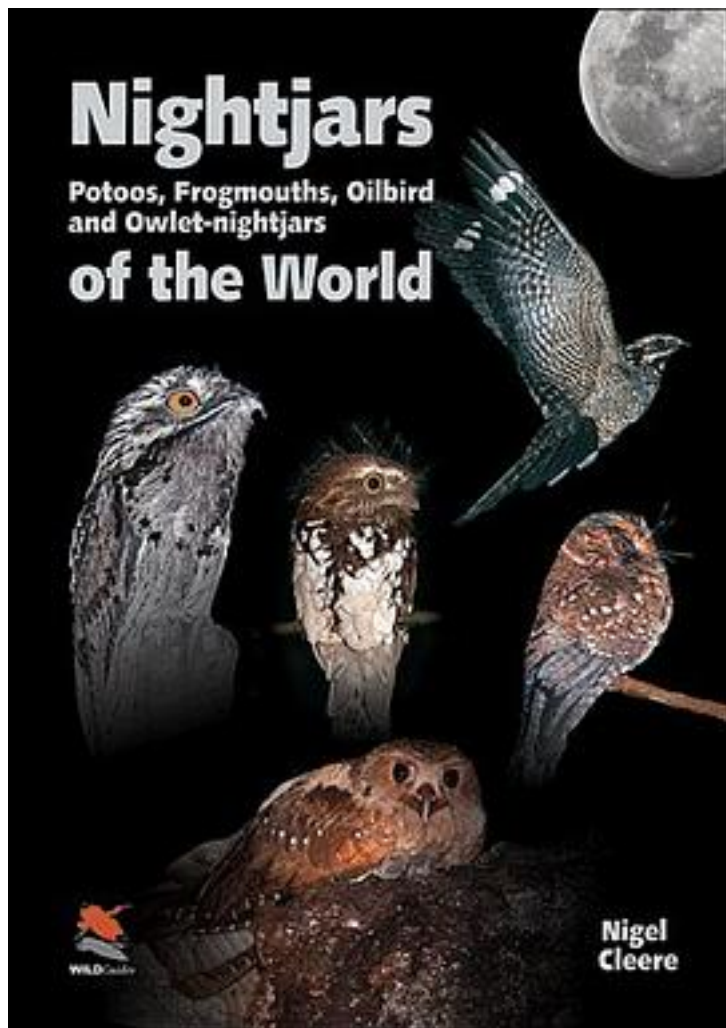


# Nightjars, Potoos, Frogmouths, Oilbird, and Owlet-nightjars of the World



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## 评论

文字部分很薄弱，同作者的"Nightjars"以及Bird Families of the World系列中的"Nightjars and Their Allies"提供了更多的信息。但文字并不是此书的重点，对于这个在野外难以见到的类群而言，书中如此全面的照片收集就足以值回售价了。另外分布图也很好。

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## 书评

夜鹰目的物种都是伪装大师，相当难发现，这本书收集了所有夜鹰目下五个科已知的物种资料，从分布地区，物种形态，生态地位等等，最难得的是每种都配上了彩色的照片，当然有些种的照片是模式标本，但就是这样也是很难得的了。推荐给喜欢鸟类的朋友们一定要收藏呀

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