

ICELAND: A Late Spring Tour with Birds, Flora, Scenery & Friends

Reid and Nancy Miller

Longtime birders and INPS members



Presentation At the end of May 2025 Reid, Nancy and their son Craig traveled for about two weeks in Iceland. Craig did most of the research using eBird's data to determine many of our birding destinations. Although Iceland offers many forms of recreation and many areas of interest, the three of us concentrated on enjoying the scenery and on identifying birds and flora in the southwest and the north of this beautiful island. We luckily were able to be there at a time when migratory birds were nesting, and some native flowers were in bloom. Many birds we saw were familiar to us but were behaving differently and in different habitats. Many plants we saw were totally new to us, but others were the same or similar to Idaho's natives.

Reid & Nancy Miller are longtime members of INPS and this chapter. At their home on the north side of Moscow Mountain, they watch many birds of the woodland and prairie and enjoy the progression of blooms of the native forbs and shrubs. They have been fortunate to be able to travel to a number of countries for work and for pleasure and on nearly every trip have spent considerable time learning the birds of the country and often the plants as well. Nancy especially likes to garden and photograph birds and flora. Reid enjoys learning about the geology of areas and has a special interest in identifying hawks and shorebirds.

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