



*Certificate of Appreciation
Awarded to*

JANE GALETTO



BANDING DATA:

BAND NUMBER: 0788-19788

BANDED: 07/13/1995

SPECIES: OSPREY

SEX: UNKNOWN

AGE OF BIRD: WAS TOO YOUNG TO FLY WHEN BANDED IN 1995.

LOCATION: NEAR CANTON NJ

BANDER: NEW JERSEY DEPT ENV PROTECTION
MR TED NICHOLS, TUCKAHOE WMA
2201 COUNTY ROUTE 631
WOODBINE NJ 08270

RECOVERY DATA:

LOCATION: MAURICE RIVER NJ

RECOVERED: 06/29/2003

The North American Bird Banding Program

Bird banding is important for studying the movement, survival and behavior of birds. About 58 million birds representing hundreds of species have been banded in North America since 1904. Over 3.1 million bands have been recovered and reported.

Data from banded birds are used in monitoring populations, setting hunting regulations, restoring endangered species, studying effects of environmental contaminants, and addressing such issues as Lyme disease, bird hazards at airports, and crop depredations. Results from banding studies support national and international bird conservation programs such as Partners in Flight, the North American Waterfowl Management Plan, and Wetlands for the Americas.

The North American Bird Banding Program is under the general direction of the U.S. Geological Survey and the Canadian Wildlife Service. Cooperators include the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Mexico's National Institute of Ecology; other federal, state and provincial conservation agencies; universities; amateur ornithologists; bird observatories; nature centers; nongovernmental organizations such as Ducks Unlimited and the National Audubon Society; environmental consulting firms and other private sector businesses. However, the most important partner in this cooperative venture is you, the person who voluntarily reported a recovered band. Thank you for your help.

U.S. Geological Survey
Canadian Wildlife Service

Please Report Bands - Call 1-800-327-BAND