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Dear Kent

- ✓ Saw 1st loggerheadstrike on 3-30-97
- ✓ " 1st Br Thrasher on 4-01-97
- ✓ " 1st Chipping sparrow on 4-18-97
- ✓ but on May 19, 31 chipping sparrows dropped from Pin oak tree and landed in my driveway
- ✓ Good migration of sparrows
- ✓ Clay colored S stayed in my backyard from 5-05-97 through 5-27.
- ✓ Saw Savannah sparrow, a flock of 10 on 5-12

Warblers.

✓ Saw 1 blue winged warbler on 5-27-97
It was singing bee-buzz and I saw the white barred bluish gray wing and vivid yellow on breast and forehead.

Warbler migration number ^{# wise} seemed way down. We didn't see any big flocks only 1 to 4 of some species at a time.

the yellow throat do seem abundant here.

Tennessee Warblers seem to be arriving late. 1st seen was on May 27th.

Red eye - warbling vireos are only ones we have seen the spring.

Good Birding

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Jean Braluf.