

## Jay J. Johnson

has designed this bookplate as a gift for the *Marblehead Conservancy's Collection* because of his love and interest of nature.

As a native of Marblehead, he is one of the principal authors of the book

### *Discovering Marblehead.*

His meticulous and finely drawn maps of our town's conservation area have created a wonderful legacy for all of us.

A wildlife artist as well as a naturalist and scientist he studied at Cornell University and received a degree in the natural sciences. He has traveled and exhibited throughout the United States.

He writes: "To paint you must first be an observer. Over the past twenty five years as I've traveled all over America, I've been privileged to witness an abundance of diversity of living things. There is no substitute for being there in the natural environments."



ROBINSON FARM GRACE OLIVER'S BEACH  
**MARBLEHEAD CONSERVANCY, INC.**

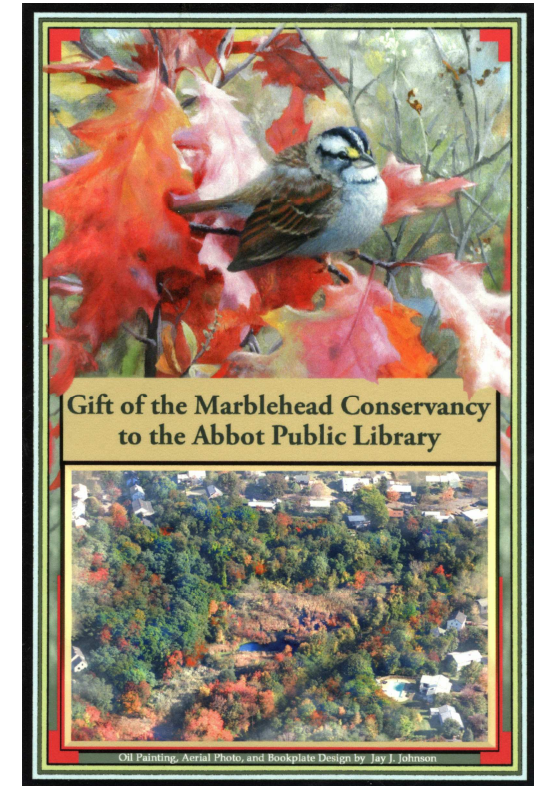


### **Would you like to volunteer for the Conservancy's trail work?**

The Marblehead Conservancy Trails Committee organizes an effort to keep trails in public open spaces clear and walkable and to keep our forests healthy. Trail Crews are scheduled twice a week, every week: Wednesday late afternoons and Saturday mornings.

Sign up by email: [donmorgan@verizon.net](mailto:donmorgan@verizon.net)

**Please Join  
Marblehead Conservancy**  
<http://marbleheadconservancy.org>



## **The Marblehead Conservancy Collection a partnership with Abbot Public Library**

**Its goal is to create a collection of educational materials and resources that focus on the Conservancy's mission.**

*The Marblehead Conservancy is a non-profit, all volunteer, member organization with a mission to acquire, protect, and enhance Marblehead's natural resources for the benefit and enjoyment of the community and the generations to follow.*

## Importance of Native Plants

Bark: A Field Guide to the  
Trees of the Northeast

Designing Gardens with Flora of the  
American East

Durr's Encyclopedia of Trees and Shrubs

Manual of Woody Plants

Newcomb's Wildflower Guide

Learn about Butterflies in the Garden

Complete Book of North American Butterflies

A Field Guide to the Dragonflies and  
Damselflies of Massachusetts

## Wetlands, Shorelines, Watersheds and Marshes

A Field Guide to the Animals of Vernal Pools

Freshwater Wetlands

The Book of Swamp and Bog

National Audubon Society Regional Guide to  
New England

The Vascular Plants of Massachusetts:  
A County Checklist

An Introduction to the Threatened Turtles of  
Massachusetts: Why They Need Our Help  
*(Children's Room)*

### ***The Marblehead Conservancy Collection's Fields of Interest:***

*Importance of Native Plants•Wetlands,  
Shorelines, Watersheds and Marshes•Value of  
Nature•Conservation of Marblehead's Open  
Spaces•Nature Writing by Local  
Authors•Marblehead Conservancy Archives*

## Value of Nature



Bringing Nature Home

Field Notes on Science and Nature

Last Child in the Woods

Nests

Peter Dunne's  
Essential Field Guide Companion

Summer World

Birder's Handbook

The Myth of Progress

Trees in My Forest

The Paradise of All These Parts

Keeping a Nature Journal

Wilderness of John Muir

Sanctuary of trees

A Passion for Nature: The Life of  
John Muir

Moon's Complete Guide to more than  
400 of the Best Hikes in N.E.

AMC's Best Hikes in the White Mountains

Sibley's Backyard Birding Flashcards:  
100 Common Birds of Eastern and  
Western North America  
*(Children's Room)*

The Man Who Planted Trees  
*(Children's Room)*

## Conservation of Open Spaces

AMC's Complete Guide to  
Trail Building and Maintenance

The Once and Future Forest: A Guide  
to Forest Restoration Strategies

Reading the Forested Landscape

## Nature Writing by Local Authors

Discovering Marblehead: A Guide to Open  
Spaces and Historic Places

Marblehead's Emerald Necklace:  
The Origins of the Path and  
Open Spaces it Connects

New England Nature Walks

### ***Would you like to donate to the Collection?***

#### *Donation Policy*

*Please contact the Library Director before making  
a decision to donate a book to the library.*

*Donors are encouraged to review the below list of  
critical needs which is designed to help donors  
decide which materials are most appropriate for  
out collection.*

- ***It must be new or nearly new condition***
- ***It must be current***
- ***It must be in the Conservancy's Collection  
fields of interest***

***We are happy to accept monetary gifts.***