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Gilbertson Bluebird Feeder

How to train the bluebirds

Bluebirds are easily trained by placing the feeding cup on top of the feeder with a few worms inside the cup. It will help by placing a few worms, outside of the cup, on top of the feeder. When the bluebirds perch on the feeder is when they will discover the worms. Once they have discovered the worms inside the cup, place the cup at the inside edge of the feeder. When the bluebirds recognize that the worms are inside the feeder, move the cup to the inside center. The center has a groove for the cup to set into. The bluebirds are now hooked on mealworms. When the bluebirds are trained to the feeder, you are able to change locations by moving the feeder 10 to 15 feet each day until they are feeding outside at your favorite location.

How to whistle your bluebirds to the feeder

If you feed bluebirds at the same time each day, they will easily adapt to a time schedule. After they are feeding each day at the same time, try whistling the same tune when you feed them. Bluebirds will soon recognize your whistle and come to the feeder which means you can have them come to the feeder almost any time of day.

