

Thematic Word Square

Birds

All the words shown below, except one, appear in this word square. The hidden words in the square are printed across (backwards or forwards), or up and down, or diagonally, but always in a straight line without letters being skipped. Some letters in the square may be included in more than one word, whilst others are not used at all.

Can you find the **missing word**?

FLAMINGO STARLING PARAKEET BLACKBIRD LANDRAIL
BLUEBIRD GOLDFINCH LYREBIRD HORNBILL COCKATOO
MOORFOWL WHISTLER PARTRIDGE PHEASANT NIGHTJAR

A	L	A	N	D	R	A	I	L	Z	G	B	U
B	O	G	N	I	M	A	L	F	N	L	P	H
L	A	D	H	C	O	U	P	I	U	A	O	L
A	Z	N	S	D	D	G	L	E	R	R	Y	E
C	O	I	H	F	V	R	B	T	P	R	R	V
K	O	G	R	L	A	I	R	L	E	U	M	E
B	T	H	E	T	R	I	L	B	P	D	O	N
I	A	T	S	D	D	I	I	N	L	G	O	A
R	K	J	Y	G	B	R	I	W	F	F	R	P
D	C	A	E	N	D	V	T	Z	L	C	F	X
J	O	R	R	H	C	N	I	F	D	L	O	G
Q	C	O	R	E	L	T	S	I	H	W	W	N
T	H	T	E	E	K	A	R	A	P	P	L	K

The missing word is -