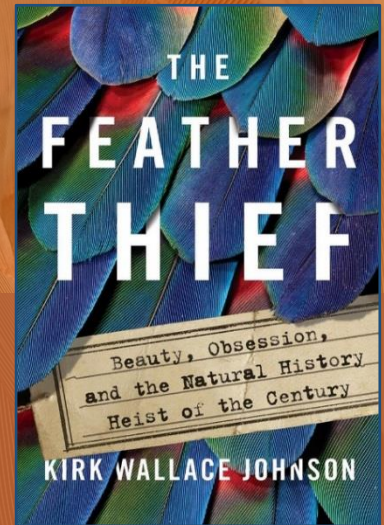


The Feather Thief
By Kirk Wallace Johnson



Book Club

Tuesday, January 5, 2020 • Noon–1pm

*Join our
discussion!*

On a cool June evening in 2009, after performing a concert at London's Royal Academy of Music, American flautist Edwin Rist boarded a train for a visit to the Tring museum. Home to one of the largest ornithological collections in the world, the museum was full of rare bird specimens. Once inside the museum, the flautist grabbed hundreds of bird skins—some collected 150 years earlier by a contemporary of Darwin's, Alfred Russel Wallace—and escaped into the darkness.

Two years later, the author, Kirk Wallace Johnson, found out about this heist while on a fishing trip in New Mexico. He was soon consumed by this strange crime.

- This program is FREE of charge.
- This program is open for individuals and families with children ages 12 and older.

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