HOW TO KEEP YOUR BIRDHOUSE SAFE

Whether you are fending off squirrels, cats or snakes, there is a simple way to "predator-proof" your birdhouse with a few simple tools!

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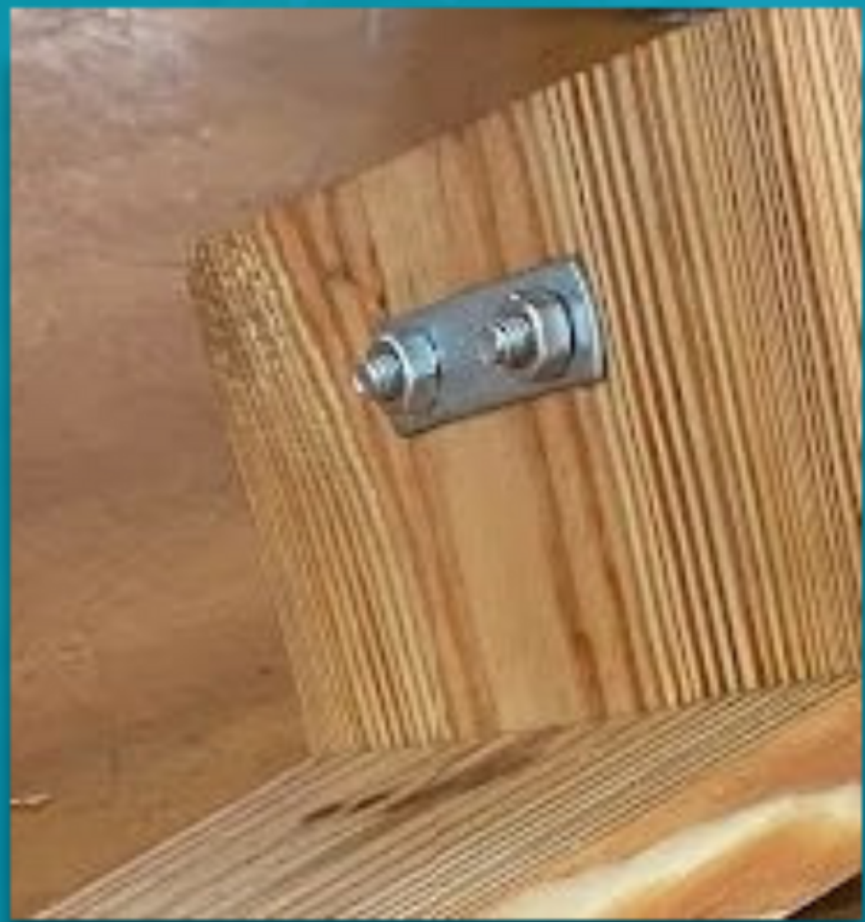
We will show you how to use a five-gallon bucket to protect your birdhouses!

STEP #1

Mount the birdbox to a pipe with a U-bolt or strap



STEP #2

Secure bottom of box to pipe by drilling through pipe and inserting the 2” deck screw.

STEP #3

Approximately 6” down from the deck screw, drill a hole through the pipe, large enough to insert the 3” screw. Slide bucket over pipe and then insert screw and attach nylon lock nuts.

STEP #4

With hammer, drive PVC pipe into ground as deep as necessary for it to be stable.

STEP #5

Slide metal conduit pipe into PVC pipe.

STEP #6

Use self-tapping screw to secure PVC pipe to metal conduit pipe by drilling through the PVC and into the metal pipe. This prevents the box and metal pipe from spinning inside the PVC pipe.

STEP #7

Spray paint bucket and pipes
to make them less noticeable.

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