

A Day in the Life of a Glossy Ibis

Posing

Dennis Oehmke discovered this Glossy Ibis in basic (winter) plumage resting and feeding during a migration stopover at Beardstown in Cass County on 15 Nov. 1994. An ibis feeds by separating its bill, then dipping it to the bottom of a shallow body of water where it gropes for a meal.

Scratching



Feeding