

Southern Double Collard Sunbird

The southern double collard sunbird is a tiny bird that lives in gardens, fynbos, forest and coastal scrub. The Male of the species has a bright metallic green head and throat and a tan underside, you will notice the bright red band across his chest first, this is separated from the green by a narrow blue band. The female of the species is tan and brown and far less noticeable. The southern double collard sunbird uses it thin curved beak to feeds mainly on the nectar from tubular flowers. You will often see these tiny birds traveling in pairs as they hop from plant to plant looking for nectar.

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