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# KING VULTURE



## BEAUTIFUL BIRDS

Have you heard the saying “beauty is in the eye of the beholder?”

We think that the king vultures at Reid Park Zoo, Phil and Leslie, are breathtaking. King vultures are scavengers, meaning they eat things that are already dead, and scientists think that their bald heads help to keep them clean as they eat. Their skin has many different pigments, so their heads and necks have many beautiful colors, and the unique flap of skin on their beaks is known as a “caruncle.”

**Color in the king vulture to show its bright colors!**

