Many experiments have been conducted to find the answer to this question. A Group of storks were lifted from their nests on the eve of their migration and they were taken at a far off place. It was discovered that as the time of migration came, these birds were successful in migrating to place with a congenial weather. When the weather at this stage became adverse, they came back to their original place. These experiments proved the birds are gifted which helps them.

The birds are able to guess about the coming weather by watching the duration of the day as the day starts getting longer or shorter according to the change. It is believed that the birds are very sharp in judge in such changes. Some birds have a special gland which helps them in understanding the change in the season. Now the question is : how do the birds find their way while migrating from a place and then returning to their original place.