♫612. Eastern kingbird: Eastern kingbirds at dawn sputter and stutter sharply, *t’t’tzeer, t’t’tzeer, t’t’tzeer, t’t’tzeer, t’t’tzeer,* eventually exploding into a *t’tzeetzeetzee.*  May 28, 2012. Whately, Massachusetts. (4:03)

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♫613. Western kingbird: The western kingbird at dawn repeatedly stutters a *kip kip kip ki-pip,* eventually exploding into a *ki-PEEP-PEEP-PEEP-PEEP*. June 7, 2008. Lake Scott State Park, Scott City, Kansas. (3:13)

Play-613

♫614. Couch’s kingbird: Dawn singing of the Couch’s kingbird. Hear the stuttered phrase? The climax? April 7, 2013. Chaparral Wildlife Management Area, Artesia, Texas. (2:06)

Play-614

♫615. Couch’s kingbird: A good half hour of dawn singing from that Couch’s kingbird in ♫614. 6:32 to 7:04 a.m.; sunrise at 7:21 a.m. April 7, 2013. Chaparral Wildlife Management Area, Artesia, Texas. (31:54)

Play-615