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**“The Snakes of Pennsylvania”**  
and  
**“The Amphibians of Pennsylvania” DVD’s**

As a wildlife cinematographer and lecturer, I have presented my natural history programs to schools and universities throughout Pennsylvania for over thirty five years, I am currently producing a series of **Natural History DVD’s** on the **Amphibians and Reptiles of Pennsylvania**.

**“The Snakes of Pennsylvania” DVD** features the **21 species of snakes** that have been found in Pennsylvania. This educational and entertaining program is 50 minutes long. However, it may be more convenient to view the DVD in shorter segments. There are four, 12 minute chapters in the DVD that describe the 21 species of Pennsylvania snakes. The detailed photography, which includes many close-ups, will help educators, students and naturalists to identify these fascinating and often misunderstood animals. Included with the DVD is an informative booklet containing species accounts, and a glossary.

**“The Amphibians of Pennsylvania” DVD.** This DVD is forty five minutes long and features the **23 species of salamanders** and **17 species of frogs and toads** that are listed for the state. The Amphibian DVD can also be viewed as two separate programs. A 26 minute program on the salamanders and a 19 minute program on the frogs and toads. Detailed close-ups are used to show the important diagnostic features of each amphibian species. The amphibian booklet contains information on the biology and life history of each species, and a helpful glossary. **Both DVD’s are appropriate for upper elementary to university level students.** The DVD’s are 45 dollars each. This includes first class postage, shipping and handling. (Pennsylvania State Sales Tax where applicable.) To order **The Snakes of Pennsylvania** (copyright 2007 Tom Diez) or **The Amphibians of Pennsylvania DVD’s** (copyright 2006 Tom Diez) please use the attached order form. For more information on the programs e-mail **Tom Diez**.

" In his new DVD: "The Snakes of Pennsylvania", Tom Diez has ,once again, done a great service to students, teachers and naturalists. In his earlier DVD: "The Amphibians of Pennsylvania", Tom introduces the viewer to the diversity of the amphibians in the state. In his new DVD, Tom does the same thing for the snakes. The program provides a tremendous amount of interesting information on snakes and , at the same time, teaches the viewer to identify all 21 species of snakes native to Pennsylvania. As in the earlier DVD, the photography is excellent and the numerous close-up views superbly show the details right down to the scales! I can't think of a more entertaining and interesting way to learn to identify the snakes of Pennsylvania. Beginners will benefit from the many helpful identification hints, while more experienced viewers will appreciate the extensive coverage devoted to the different variations of color and pattern."

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