



## THE VERY BEST OF COLOMBIA SET DEPARTURE TRIP REPORT

18 FEBRUARY – 7 MARCH 2020



*Crescent-faced Antpitta (photo John Turner)*

## Overview

Our 19-day Colombia tour 2020 was a fabulous experience, which allowed us to see probably the best birding route of the country and most of the highlights that this amazing land has to offer to birdwatchers and truly adventurous travelers. No other country holds more avian species than Colombia, and we had the chance to see some of the most spectacular birds in this part of the world and finished the tour with most of the Neotropical families well represented on our list.

The Colombia 2020 tour was an easy trip for a group of very enthusiastic photographers who also wanted to contemplate the birds, became familiar with them, and admire their natural behavior at a more relaxed pace than the usual birding pace. Instead of working on a long list of species we tried to photograph as many birds as possible, and even though the total was not as large as in previous years we did remarkable well for our easy pace, getting 513 species recorded. This total includes 63 species of hummingbirds, 83 species of tanagers and allies, 27 Colombian endemics, and a good set of locally restricted birds found in Colombia and adjacent Venezuela and/or Ecuador only. Our list includes breathtaking and endemic species such as **Crescent-faced Antpitta**, **Hooded Antpitta**, **Moustached Antpitta**, **Gold-ringed Tanager**, **Black-and-gold Tanager**, **Blue-whiskered Tanager**, **Baudo Guan**, **Cauca Guan**, **Chestnut Wood Quail**, **Buffy Hummingbird**, **Tocuyo Sparrow**, **White-tipped Quetzal**, **Keel-billed Toucan**, **Tooth-billed Hummingbird**, **Scarlet Ibis**, **Santa Marta Blossomcrown**, **Rusty-faced Parrot**, **Golden-chested Tanager**, **Mountain Avocetbill**, **Lita Woodpecker**, **Club-winged Manakin**, **Orange-breasted Fruiteater**, **Golden-breasted Fruiteater**, **Black Solitaire**, **Beautiful Jay**, **Santa Marta Warbler**, **Chivi Vireo**, and **Lemon-spectacled Tanager** among many other jewels. We had fun from beginning to end and learned a lot about the distribution of species in one of the countries with the most complex geography in the Americas.

## Detailed Itinerary

### **Day 1. Arrival at Barranquilla and transfer to the hotel**

Our trip started in Barranquilla, where the group arrived on different flights, and the participants were transferred to our comfortable hotel in town.

### **Day 2. Barranquilla and transfer to Riohacha**

The following morning we left Barranquilla and drove to the outskirts, where we started birding. We had an amazing start with species such as the endemic **Chestnut-winged Chachalaca**, **Brown-throated Parakeet**, **Orange-winged Amazon**, and **Bicolored Wren** around the scrub. Then we drove to the famous Km 4, where we saw several attractive species, including **Blue-winged Teal**, **Scaled Dove**, **Black-necked Stilt**, **Groove-billed Ani**, **Red-crowned Woodpecker**, **Northern Crested Caracara**, **Carib Grackle**, **Stripe-backed Wren**, and **Russet-throated Puffbird**. From here we continued driving toward Riohacha, and on the way we saw **Brown Pelican**, **Laughing Gull**, **Willet**, and **Semipalmated Plover**. After passing the city of Santa Marta we stopped at Las Gaviotas, where we saw **Crimson-backed Tanager**, **Blue Dacnis**, **White-necked Puffbird**, **Lance-tailed Manakin**, and **Ruby-topaz Hummingbird** working on the

flowers, a most-wanted species of hummingbird in Colombia. Finally we arrived at Riohacha in the department of La Guajira, where we spent the night in a comfortable hotel.

### Day 3. La Guajira and Camarones

Today we had a full day to explore the deciduous dry habitat of Guajira and Camarones.

We had an early start in the company of our local guide Jose, who belongs to an indigenous American ethnic group called Wayuu that inhabits the territory. This community lives on the Guajira Peninsula of Colombia with a small population in northwest Venezuela.

The first species we looked for was **Tocuyo Sparrow**; with the help of our local guide we found it thanks to the knowledge of the territory of our guide, since this is one of the most difficult and sought-after species in the area. Other species that we saw were **Chestnut Piculet**, **Merlin**, **Bare-eyed Pigeon**, and **Red-billed Emerald**.

Then we visited a new birding facility where the owner started feeding birds and increased the chances to see some great classic species like **Vermilion Cardinal**, and other species that visit the feeders are **Orinoco Saltator**, **Grey Pileated Finch**, **Buffy Hummingbird**, **Tropical Mockingbird**, **Scaled Dove**, **Yellow Oriole**, **Bananaquit**, and **Greyish Saltator**.

We explored the dry surroundings of Guajira, where we saw **Crested Bobwhite**, **Northern White-fringed Antwren**, **Black-crested** and **Black-backed Antshrikes**, **Slender-billed Inezia**, **White-whiskered Spinetail**, **Russet-throated Puffbird**, **Black-faced Grassquit**, **Green-rumped Parrotlet**, **Scaled Dove**, and **Pearly-vented Tody-Tyrant**.

At the end of the morning, we moved to the shores of Camarones, where we spent the remainder of the day. Here we had good views of **American White Ibis**, **Scarlet Ibis**, **Reddish Egret**, **Royal Tern**, **Caspian Tern**, **Common Tern**, and **Least**, **Semipalmated**, and **Western Sandpipers**, as well as thousands of **American Flamingos**.

### Day 4. Transfer from Riohacha to Taironaka

Today we left Riohacha and transferred to the Hotel Taironaka Turismo Ecológico y Arqueología in Don Diego.

We left our vehicle and took a small boat to get to this paradise in the Caribbean jungle. It is the best way to get to the hotel. Another way is to walk to it through the forest, but this is not a good option considering luggage.

We started birding the road around the hotel and had good views of **Orange-chinned Parakeet**, **Piratic Flycatcher**, **Social Flycatcher** nesting, the fantastic **Keel-billed Toucan**, **King Vulture**, **Lineated Woodpecker**, **Barred Antshrike**, **Plain Xenops**, and **Buff-breasted Wren**.

### Day 5. Taironaka and transfer to Minca

The next morning we explored a different road near the lodge. We were lucky to see **Gartered Trogon**, **Whooping Motmot**, **Crested Oropendola**, and **Streaked Flycatcher**. When we found an army ant swarm we had great views of **Grey-headed Tanager**, **Plain-brown Woodcreeper**, **White-shouldered Tanager**, and **Crimson-backed Tanager**. Then we moved close to the Don

Diego River and were able to observe **Collared Aracari, Military Macaw, Spotted Sandpiper, Neotropic Cormorant, White-bearded Manakin, and Prothonotary Warbler.**

We left Taironaka and drove to Minca, a town located at the lowest parts of the Santa Marta Mountains. At our hotel, La Casona de Minca, we keep ourselves busy with the feeders for the rest of the afternoon, enjoying species such as **Pale-bellied Hermit, White-vented Plumeleteer, Rufous-tailed Hummingbird, White-necked Jacobin, Keel-billed Toucan, Black-chested Jay, Clay-colored Thrush, Crested Oropendola, and White-tipped Dove.**



*Rufous-tailed Hummingbird*

#### Day 6. Minca and transfer to El Dorado Lodge

The next morning we started our birding above Minca, finding species such as **Golden-winged Sparrow, Rufous-capped Warbler, Keel-billed Toucan, Lineated Woodpecker, Masked Tityra, Bicolored Wren, White-lined Tanager, Rose-breasted Grosbeak, Buff-throated Saltator, Summer Tanager, and Broad-winged Hawk.** We climbed into higher elevations and there were happy to see the *toddi* subspecies of **Broad-winged Hawk**, which is endemic to the Santa Marta Mountains, and also **Santa Marta Antbird, Santa Marta Foliage-gleaner, Swallow Tanager, and Plumbeous Kite.** Later we had great views of a number of endemics, namely **Santa Marta Woodstar, Santa Marta Blossomcrown, and Santa Marta Brushfinch,** and we also saw **Rusty Flowerpiercer and Groove-billed Toucanet.**

We arrived at El Dorado Lodge at lunchtime and found a hummingbird frenzy at the lodge feeders with views of **Crowned Woodnymph, Brown Violetear, Lesser Violetear, and Lazuline Sabrewing,** while the tanager feeders provided **Blue-naped Chlorophonia and Black-capped Tanager.** Around the lodge we saw **White-tipped Quetzal and Golden-breasted Fruiteater.**



We spent some time observing the compost, where we could only see a few **White-tipped Doves**; at this time of year there is not much activity at the compost.

In the evening we went out to look for Santa Marta Screech Owl around the hotel, but we had no luck.



*Lesser Violetear*

### Day 7. San Lorenzo Ridge

The San Lorenzo Ridge was our location for the next morning. We had a predawn start in order to be at the ridge by dawn. Once we arrived there we had our field breakfast and started to look for birds. We had an incredible start, getting many of the Santa Marta endemics such as **Rusty-headed Spinetail**, **Streak-capped Spinetail**, **Santa Marta Mountain Tanager**, **Santa Marta Brushfinch**, **Yellow-crowned Whitestart**, and **Santa Marta Warbler**. We also saw **Scarlet-fronted Parakeet**, **Hermit Wood-Wren**, **Black-backed Thornbill** and **White-throated Toucanet**. Later we drove to the San Lorenzo Field Station, where we had amazing views of two **Santa Marta Antpittas** at feeding station.

For lunch we drove back to the lodge, where we later had great views of **White-tipped Quetzal** and **Golden-breasted Fruiteater**, **White-lored Warbler**, **Golden Grosbeak**, **Rufous-browed Peppershrike**, **Masked Trogon**, and **Band-tailed Guan** near the lodge grounds.



*White-throated Toucanet*

#### **Day 8. El Dorado Lodge, transfer to Santa Marta, and flight to Pereira**

We spent a couple of hours trying to improve on our the photos at the hotel feeders and then we headed to the airport at Santa Marta, from where we successfully started our flight via Bogotá to the city of Pereira.

#### **Day 9. Otún-Quimbaya Fauna and Flora Sanctuary**

Today we went to the Otún-Quimbaya Fauna and Flora Sanctuary for a full day of birding, During the morning we enjoyed **Torrent Tyrannulet**, **Blue-necked Tanager**, **Canada**, **Blackburnian**, and **Three-striped Warblers**, and **Moustached Puffbird**.

We had lunch in the reserve and afterwards continued birding along the main road, finding the uncommon **Wattled Guan**, the endemic **Cauca Guan**, **White-capped Parrot**, the secretive **Moustached Antpitta**, **Red-ruffed Fruitcrow**, **Rufous-breasted** and **Slaty-capped Flycatchers**, **Inca Jay**, **Grey-breasted Wood Wren**, **Andean Solitaire**, the endemic **Crested Ant Tanager**, and **Flame-rumped Tanager**.

#### **Day 10. Transfer to Montezuma Eco-Lodge**

A full morning at Otún-Quimbaya started with an early rough drive to El Cedral at the top of the road. Here we saw the super-rare **Hooded Antpitta** and other species such as **Collared Trogon**, **Andean Motmot**, **Chestnut-crowned Antpitta**, **Bronze-olive Pygmy Tyrant**, **Black-billed Peppershrike**, **Orange-billed Nightingale-Thrush**, **Swainson's Thrush**, and the endemic **Stiles's Tapaculo**. We also looked for birds around the hotel, hoping for better photography

opportunities; some of the species we saw were **Blue-grey Tanager**, **Cauca Guan**, **Blue-necked Tanager**, **Black-winged Saltator**, and **Black-billed Thrush**.



*Chestnut-crowned Antpitta*

Then we drove to Montezuma Eco-Lodge, the gateway to Tatamá National Park. On the way we made a couple of stops looking for Turquoise Dacnis, but we didn't have any luck and saw only the usual suspects such as **Blue-grey Tanager**, **Tropical Pewee**, **Black-billed Thrush**, **Green Honeycreeper**, and **Blue-headed Parrot**.

In order to explore Tatamá National Park, where the Pacific Chocó lowlands meet the Western Andes, we planned staying three nights at the Montezuma Eco-Lodge as our base in order to investigate the forest above the lodge and find the jewels that this place holds. But not only birdwatchers visit this park but also a good number of butterfly aficionados from different parts of the world due to the fact that Tatamá holds one of the largest concentrations of butterfly species in Colombia.

We drove through the town of Pueblo Rico, and it was interesting to see how the town became very much alive, especially in the main square. There were lots of people and all kinds of different characters chilling out around the square. Colombian folk music was playing loudly from different local pubs, and several old 4x4 jeeps were parked around the square.

We arrived late in the afternoon at the lodge with just enough time to look at the hummingbird feeders and enjoy **Empress Brilliant**, **Rufous-gaped Hillstar**, **Crowned Woodnymph**, **Velvet-**



**purple Coronet, Rufous-tailed Hummingbird, and Western Emerald.** The fruit feeders attracted **Silver-throated, Crimson-backed, Golden, and Lemon-rumped Tanagers** and **Black-winged Saltator**. After a delicious dinner we went to sleep to get ready for the next day.

### Day 11. Tatamá National Park (upper parts)

We met in the dining room in order to get some coffee and then left toward the top of the ridge in Tatamá National Park. After an hour (10-km drive) we arrived at the top at dawn and had our delicious field breakfast with amazing views of the mountain forest. Tatamá National Park is somehow remote, and the only people using this road are the members of the Montezuma Eco-Lodge and the Colombian army that still has a small military base at the top of the ridge.

Our first encounter was with a couple of **Swallow-tailed Nightjars** on the road. During breakfast we saw **Collared Inca, Buff-tailed Coronet, and Black-and-white Seedeater**, followed by the first endemic of the day, **Chestnut-bellied Flowerpiercer**. After great views of this endemic we started looking for the second target of the ridge, **Munchique Wood Wren**, which is also a range-restricted country endemic.



*Buff-tailed Coronet*

We spent the day exploring the area between the ridge and mid-elevations, focusing more on the upper parts. In the morning we enjoyed views of the endemic **Gold-ringed Tanager** and of **Black-chinned Mountain Tanager, Grass-green Tanager, Lacrimose Mountain Tanager, Purplish-mantled Tanager**, the endemic **Black-and-gold Tanager, Rufous Spinetail, Green-and-black Fruiteater, Orange-breasted Fruiteater, Tyrannine Woodcreeper, Scaly-throated Foliage-**



**gleaner, Beautiful Jay, Golden-fronted Whitestart**, and the recently described endemic **Tatama Tapaculo** (April 2017), known previously as Alto Pisones Tapaculo.

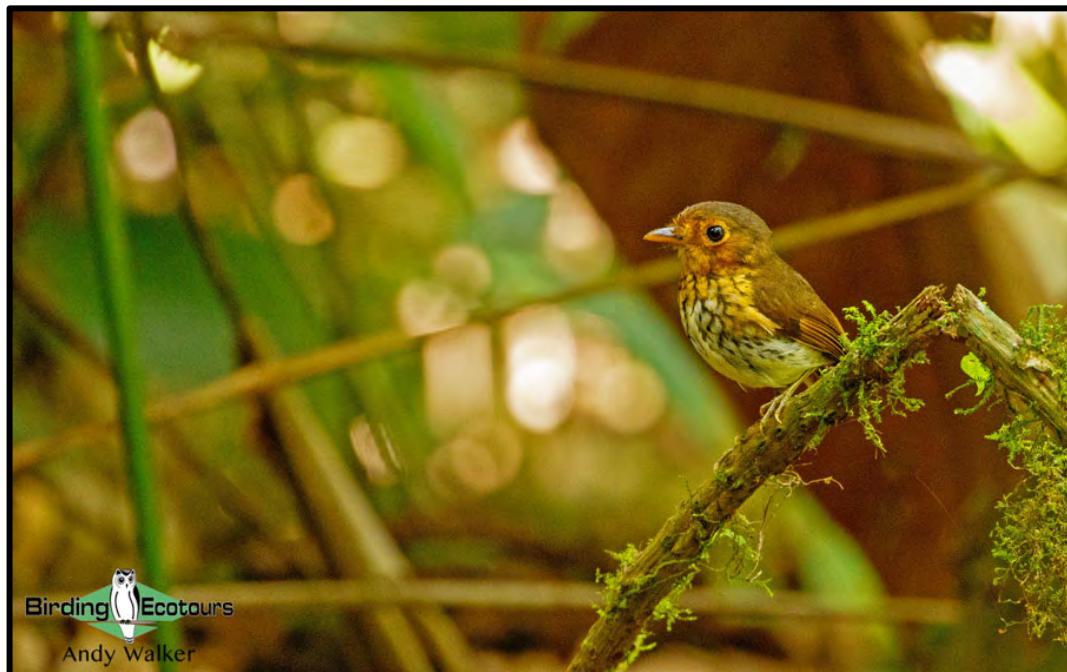
The hummingbird feeders at high- and mid-elevations provided excellent views of **Velvet-purple Coronet, Brown Inca, Collared Inca, Tourmaline Sunangel, Greenish Puffleg**, and **Violet-tailed Sylph**. We returned to the lodge in the afternoon and spent the rest of the day birding in the gardens and enjoying the hummingbird feeders.

### Day 12. Tatamá National Park (mid-elevations)

Today we repeated the same formula, leaving the lodge before dawn and focusing on mid-elevation species this time.

We started the morning with **Masked Trogon** and **Tawny-bellied Hermit**. We heard the endemic **Chestnut Wood Quail** distantly and enjoyed **Andean Motmot, Pacific Tuftedcheek, Montane Woodcreeper, Ochre-breasted Antpitta, Ornate, Handsome**, and **Cinnamon Flycatchers, Barred Becard, Sharpe's Wren, Chestnut-capped Brushfinch, Choco Brushfinch, Yellow-throated Bush Tanager, Glistening-green Tanager, Chestnut-breasted Chlorophonia, Brown-billed Scythebill**, and **Olive Finch**. At lower elevations we managed to get crippling views of **Dusky Bush Tanager** and the endemic **Black-and-gold Tanager**.

We went back to the lodge after having spent the whole morning by the road and focused on the gardens in the afternoon. We explored the area around the headquarters, having a lovely encounter with the endemic **Greyish Piculet** and also finding **Chestnut-headed Oropendola, Red-headed Barbet, Bar-crested Antshrike, Smooth-billed Ani, House Wren**, and other classic birds of open grounds and secondary growth.



*Ochre-breasted Antpitta*

**Day 13. Montezuma Eco-Lodge and transfer to Rio Blanco Nature Reserve**

We birded Montezuma the next morning looking and found species like **Purple-throated Woodstar**, **Broad-billed Motmot**, **Yellow-throated Toucan**, **Zeledon's Antbird**, **Chestnut-crowned Gnateater**, **Choco Tapaculo**, **Ruddy Foliage-gleaner**, **Purple-throated Fruitcrow**, **Sooty-headed Wren**, and **Ochre-breasted Tanager**. Then we left Montezuma and headed to Manizales and the famous Rio Blanco Reserve, making this day basically a traveling day.

**Day 14. Rio Blanco Nature Reserve**

Today we started birding the Rio Blanco Nature Reserve, which is run by the Aguas de Manizales municipal and regional program. This reserve protects the forest and conserves water sources for the town of Manizales and for many years has been providing tourist facilities for birdwatchers, including accommodation, food, guided visits, and the famous antpitta feeding stations.

We checked the hummingbird feeders and saw **Collared Inca**, **Long-tailed Sylph**, **Buff-tailed Coronet**, and **Tourmaline Sunangel**. **Masked Flowerpiercer** and **Buff-breasted Mountain Tanager** were also around. By 7:00 a.m. we and other birders were called to visit the first antpitta feeding station, which was just next to the house. Here we saw **Bicolored Antpitta**, which was close and showed nicely. We followed the person in charge of the antpitta feeders, who took us to the next station, where we had incredibly close-up views of the endemic **Brown-banded Antpitta** and the widespread **Chestnut-crowned Antpitta**. **Grey-browed Brushfinch** and **Green-and-black Fruiteater** were seen here as well.



*Grey-browed Brushfinch*

After the show was over we continued birding, finding nice mixed flocks with **Black-eared Hemispingus**, the uncommon **Rusty-faced Parrot**, the lovely **Golden-plumed Parakeet**, **Capped Conebill**, **Brown-capped Vireo**, **Superciliaried Hemispingus**, **Grey-hooded Bush Tanager**, **Slaty Brushfinch**, **Blue-and-black Tanager**, **Glossy-black Thrush**, **Black-billed Peppershrike**, **Crimson-mantled Woodpecker**, **Azara's Spinetail**, **Pearled Treerunner**, **Streaked Xenops**, and **Strong-billed** and **Montane Woodcreepers**. We also noticed **Band-tailed Pigeon**, **Sickle-winged Guan**, **Masked Trogon**, and **Yellow-bellied Chat-Tyrant**.

After lunch we took a break and met again in the afternoon to bird the lower road. The activity was rather slow in the afternoon, with the same mixed flock described above but with fewer species that, however, included **White-bellied Woodstar**, **White-throated Wedgebill**, **White-capped Dipper**, and **Blue-capped Tanager**. We spent the night at Rio Blanco.

### Day 15. Hacienda el Bosque and Los Nevados National Natural Park

The next day we drove to Hacienda el Bosque, a new place that also provides feeding stations. We enjoyed **Grey-browed Brushfinch**, **Rufous Antpitta**, **Sword-billed Hummingbird**, **Brown-backed Chat-Tyrant**, **Black-crested Warbler**, **White-sided Flowerpiercer**, **Paramo Seedeater**, and the super-rare **Crescent-faced Antpitta**.



*Sword-billed Hummingbird*

We continue to Los Nevados National Natural Park to the highest part of the road in search of the endemic **Buffy Helmetcrest**, where we saw it successfully. We also saw other species along the way, such as **Andean Duck**, **Stout-billed Cinclodes**, **White-chinned Thistletail**, **Plumbeous Sierra Finch**, and **Plain-colored Seedeater**.



Our accommodation, the Hotel Termales Del Ruiz, had fabulous hummingbird feeders, and we enjoyed **Shining Sunbeam**, **Golden-breasted Puffleg**, **Mountain Velvetbreast**, **Great Sapphirewing**, **Viridian Metaltail**, **Sword-billed Hummingbird**, **Rufous-capped Thornbill**, and **Buff-winged Starfrontlet**. We saw **Lacrimose Mountain Tanager** and **Scarlet-bellied Mountain Tanager** around the feeders as well and enjoyed **Purple-backed Thornbill** and **Pale-naped Brushfinch**.

### Day 16. Transfer to Calí and Sonso Lake

In the morning we walked near the hotel, looking for different species of high-elevation areas such as **Buff-winged Starfrontlet**, **White-banded Tyrannulet**, **White-throated Tyrannulet**, **Brown-bellied Swallow**, and **Band-tailed Pigeon**. Sadly the localized Rufous-fronted Parakeet was not found this time.

We then started our long drive to the city of Calí, but on the way we made a quick stop at Sonso Lake. Located at the edge of the Cauca River, this wetland ecosystem of 2045 hectares holds an interesting set of waterfowl and aquatic species like **Black-bellied Whistling Duck**, **Greater Ani**, **Common Nighthawk**, **Common Potoo**, **Jet Antbird**, **Cocoa Woodcreeper**, **Slaty-headed Tody-Flycatcher**, the endemic **Apical Flycatcher**, and **Streaked Flycatcher**. Then we continued to Calí, where we spent the night.

### Day 17. The Anchicaya road

We started early the next morning, moving from Calí to the Anchicaya road, staying one night at El Queremal. The old Anchicaya road used to join Calí with the Pacific lowlands, especially the port of Buenaventura, and today, after a new road has been built, provides incredible birding with very attractive species. As soon as we arrived we went to Doña Dora, a local woman who owns a small, basic restaurant located below El Queremal. On the feeders we had dynamite views of **Toucan Barbet**, **Silver-throated Tanager**, **Scrub Tanager**, the endemic **Flame-rumped Tanager**, **Black-headed Brushfinch**, **Empress Brilliant**, **Purple-bibbed Whitetip**, **Rufous-throated Tanager**, and **White-whiskered Hermit**.

We continued enjoying different species on the Anchicaya road, such as a female **Lyre-tailed Nightjar**, **Scale-crested Pygmy Tyrant**, **Pacific Flatbill**, **Yellow-throated Bush Tanager**, **Tricolored Brushfinch**, **Scarlet-browed Tanager**, and **Grey-and-gold Tanager**. Later we moved to our basic hotel in El Queremal for an overnight.

### Day 18. Anchicaya road, transfer to Calí

The next day we went to visit lower areas of the Anchicaya road that have only recently been opened to foreign visitors, and we had an incredible day. We started with views of **Choco Toucan**, **Spot-crowned Barbet**, **Rufous-tailed Jacamar**, **Collared Aracari**, **Cinnamon Woodpecker**, **Lita Woodpecker**, **Spotted Woodcreeper**, **Pacific Antwren**, **Golden-faced Tyrannulet**, and **Lemon-browed Flycatcher** and had a wonderful encounter with **Purple-crowned Fairy**. In addition we enjoyed **Slaty-capped Shrike-Vireo**, **Bay Wren**, several **Tawny-crested Tanagers**, **Golden-hooded Tanager**, **Lemon-spectacled Tanager**, **Scarlet-and-white Tanager**, the spectacular **Golden-chested Tanager**, the localized **Baudo Guan**, **White-tipped Sickbill**,

**Rufous Motmot**, and **Broad-billed Motmot**. We took a packed lunch with us and enjoyed a tasty local meal near the lek of the amazing **Tooth-billed Hummingbird** and had super views of this most-wanted species.

Then we drove to Calí after an intense day in the field.



*Rufous-tailed Jacamar*

### Day 19. Finca Florida, Finca Alejandría, departure

On our last morning we went to Finca Florida el Bosque de las Aves, located near Calí at the famous Km 18, where they have feeders and we started with beautiful views of endemics and unique species like **Chestnut Wood Quail**, **Colombian Chachalaca**, and the enigmatic **Multicolored Tanager**. We enjoyed other species like **Saffron-crowned Tanager**, **Red-headed Barbet**, **Chestnut-capped Brushfinch**, and **Green Honeycreeper**.

Then we visited the famous Finca Alejandría "El Paraiso de Los Colibries", where we had an amazing start with species such as the near-endemic **Scrub Tanager**, **Crimson-rumped Toucanet**, and **Squirrel Cuckoo** around the gardens. The fruit feeders attracted several captivating species including **Golden Tanager**, **Golden-naped Tanager**, **Saffron-crowned Tanager**, **Black-winged Saltator**, **Flame-rumped Tanager**, **Summer Tanager**, and **Red-headed Barbet**, and we had cracker views of the incredibly beautiful **Multicolored Tanager**, perhaps one of the most handsome Colombian endemics!

With our international flights from the Calí airport later in the day a fabulous adventure came to an end, full of incredible and wonderful memories of yet another successful Birding Ecotours Colombia tour. We had an excellent time visiting some of the best places in Colombia, enjoyed

the delicious food, and got to know some of the richest bird regions in the whole country – a very productive trip with great photo opportunities and wonderful landscapes.



*Multicolored Tanager*

#### BIRD LIST (Taxonomy IOC 10.1)

##### Cracidae

**Colombian Chachalaca** *Ortalis columbiana* Seen well at Finca Florida. A Colombian endemic

**Chestnut-winged Chachalaca** *Ortalis garrula* Seen well around the Barranquilla University campus. A Colombian endemic

**Sickle-winged Guan** *Chamaepetes goudotii* The subspecies *sanctaemartae* seen below El Dorado and the nominate subspecies at Rio Blanco Reserve

**Band-tailed Guan** *Penelope argyrotis* Seen well at El Dorado

**Cauca Guan** *Penelope perspicax* Good views at Otún-Quimbaya. A Colombian endemic. Endangered

**Andean Guan** *Penelope montagnii* Seen well at Rio Blanco Reserve

**Baudo Guan** *Penelope ortonii* Seen at Anchicaya. Endangered

**Wattled Guan** *Aburria aburri* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya. Near Threatened

##### Odontophoridae

**Crested Bobwhite** *Colinus cristatus* Seen at the dry habitat in the Guajira

**Chestnut Wood Quail** *Odontophorus hyperythrus* Good views at Finca Florida. A Colombian endemic. Near Threatened

##### Anatidae

**Torrent Duck** *Merganetta armata* Seen at the Otún-Quimbaya River



**Blue-winged Teal** *Spatula discors* Seen in the Barranquilla wetlands

**Andean Duck** *Oxyura ferruginea* Seen below Los Nevados National Natural Park

**Black-bellied Whistling Duck** *Dendrocygna autumnalis* Good views at Sonso Lake

### **Nyctibiidae**

**Common Potoo** *Nyctibius griseus* Seen roosting at daytime at Sonso Lake

### **Caprimulgidae**

**Lesser Nighthawk** *Chordeiles acutipennis* Seen roosting at daytime at the Las Gaviotas track

**Common Nighthawk** *Chordeiles minor* Seen roosting at daytime at Sonso Lake

**Pauraque** *Nyctidromus albicollis* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Band-winged Nightjar** *Systellura longirostris* Seen below the San Lorenzo Ridge

**Lyre-tailed Nightjar** *Uropsalis lyra* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Swallow-tailed Nightjar** *Uropsalis segmentata* Two seen at Tatamá National Park

### **Apodidae**

**White-collared Swift** *Streptoprocne zonaris* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

### **Trochilidae**

**White-tipped Sicklebill** *Eutoxeres aquila* Seen along the Anchicaya road

**White-whiskered Hermit** *Phaethornis yaruqui* Seen at Doña Dora feeders at the upper Anchicaya road. A Chocó specialist

**Rufous-breasted Hermit** *Glaucis hirsutus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Pale-bellied Hermit** *Phaethornis anthophilus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Green Hermit** *Phaethornis guy* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary

**Tawny-bellied Hermit** *Phaethornis syrmatophorus* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Stripe-throated Hermit** *Phaethornis striigularis* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Long-billed Starthroat** *Helimaster longirostris* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Ruby-topaz Hummingbird** *Chrysolampis mosquitus* Seen along the Gaviotas track

**Rufous-tailed Hummingbird** *Amazilia tzacatl* Seen along the Gaviotas track and at Taironaka Lodge and Minca

**Red-billed Emerald** *Chlorostilbon gibsoni* Seen at Camarones

**Buffy Hummingbird** *Leucippus fallax* Great views at Camarones. Restricted to the Guajira deciduous habitats of northern Colombia and adjacent Venezuela

**White-necked Jacobin** *Florisuga mellivora* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**White-chinned Sapphire** *Hylocharis cyanus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**White-vented Plumeleteer** *Chalybura buffonii* Seen at La Casona Hotel in Minca

**Steely-vented Hummingbird** *Amazilia saucerottei* Seen at La Casona Hotel in Minca

**Santa Marta Woodstar** *Chaetocercus astreans* Seen below El Dorado Lodge. A Colombian endemic restricted to the Santa Marta Mountains

**Santa Marta Blossomcrown** *Anthocephala floriceps* Seen at Palo Alto B&B. A Colombian endemic restricted to the Santa Marta Mountains

**Crowned Woodnymph** *Thalurania colombica* Common at El Dorado Lodge feeders

**Brown Violetear** *Colibri delphinae* Seen at El Dorado Lodge

**Sparkling Violetear** *Colibri coruscans* Seen at El Dorado Lodge

**Lesser Violetear** *Colibri cyanotus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Lazuline Sabrewing** *Campylopterus falcatus* Seen at El Dorado Lodge

**Black-backed Thornbill** *Ramphomicron dorsale* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge. A Colombian endemic

**Tyrian Metaltail** *Metallura tyrianthina* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge in the subspecies *districta*

**White-tailed Starfrontlet** *Coeligena phalerata* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge. A Colombia endemic. Restricted to the Santa Marta Mountains

**Mountain Velvetbreast** *Lafresnaya lafresnayi* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge and Rio Blanco Reserve

**White-bellied Woodstar** *Chaetocercus mulsant* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary and Rio Blanco Reserve

**Tourmaline Sunangel** *Helianthus exortis* Seen at Tatamá National Park and Rio Blanco Reserve

**Speckled Hummingbird** *Adelomyia melanogenys* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Violet-tailed Sylph** *Agelaiocercus coelestis* Seen at Tatamá National Park. A Chocó specialist

**Greenish Puffleg** *Haplophastria aureliae* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Collared Inca** *Coeligena torquata* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Buff-tailed Coronet** *Boissonneaua flavescens* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Velvet-purple Coronet** *Boissonneaua jardini* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Rufous-gaped Hillstar** *Urochroa bougueri* Seen at Tatamá National Park. A Chocó specialist  
Rename (9.1) White-tailed Hillstar to Rufous-gaped Hillstar with split of Green-backed Hillstar *U. leucura* (SACC 800 pending).

**Empress Brilliant** *Heliodoxa imperatrix* Seen at Tatamá National Park. A Chocó specialist

**Green Thorntail** *Discosura conversii* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Green-crowned Brilliant** *Heliodoxa jacula* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Purple-throated Woodstar** *Philodice mitchellii* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Western Emerald** *Chlorostilbon melanorhynchus* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Crowned Woodnymph** *Thalurania colombica* Seen at El Dorado Lodge

**Andean Emerald** *Amazilia franciae* Seen at Montezuma Eco-Lodge

**Black-throated Mango** *Anthracothonax nigricollis* Seen at Montezuma Eco-Lodge

**Green-fronted Lancebill** *Doryfera ludovicae* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**White-throated Wedgebill** *Schistes albogularis* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Long-tailed Sylph** *Agelaiocercus kingii* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Bronzy Inca** *Coeligena coeligena* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Fawn-breasted Brilliant** *Heliodoxa rubinoides* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Viridian Metaltail** *Metallura williami* Seen at the Nevados National Park

**Shining Sunbeam** *Aglaeactis cupripennis* Seen at the Nevados National Park

**Buff-winged Starfrontlet** *Coeligena lutetiae* Seen at the Nevados National Park

**Sword-billed Hummingbird** *Ensifera ensifera* Seen at the Nevados National Park

**Buffy Helmetcrest** *Oxygogon stuebelii* Seen at Los Nevados National Park. A Colombian endemic

**Purple-backed Thornbill** *Ramphomicron microrhynchum* Seen at the Hotel Termes

**Rainbow-bearded Thornbill** *Chalcostigma herrani* Seen at the Hotel Termes

**Golden-breasted Puffleg** *Eriocnemis mosquera* Seen at the Hotel Termes

**Great Sapphirewing** *Pterophanes cyanopterus* Seen at the Hotel Termes

**Mountain Avocetbill** *Opisthoprora euryptera* Seen at Nevados National Park. A most-wanted species

**Purple-bibbed Whitetip** *Urostitte benjamini* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Tooth-billed Hummingbird** *Androdon aequatorialis* Seen along the Anchicaya road. A Chocó specialist, which sneaks into the Darién province in Panama. Its common name refers to the small tooth-like serrations on the inner part of the distal half of the bill.

**White-booted Racket-tail** *Oreotatus underwoodii* Seen at Finca Alejandría

**Cuculidae**

**Greater Ani** *Crotophaga major* Seen at Sonso Lake

**Smooth-billed Ani** *Crotophaga ani* Seen at Sonso Lake

**Groove-billed Ani** *Crotophaga sulcirostris* Seen in the Barranquilla wetlands

**Striped Cuckoo** *Tapera naevia* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Columbidae**

**Rock Dove** *Columba livia* Common

**Pale-vented Pigeon** *Patagioenas cayennensis* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and along the Gaviotas track

**Bare-eyed Pigeon** *Patagioenas corensis* Seen at Camarones

**Band-tailed Pigeon** *Patagioenas fasciata* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge above El Dorado Lodge

**Plumbeous Pigeon** *Patagioenas plumbea* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Ruddy Pigeon** *Patagioenas subvinacea* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Scaled Dove** *Columbina squammata* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Common Ground Dove** *Columbina passerina* Seen at Camarones

**White-tipped Dove** *Leptotila verreauxi* Several sightings

**Ruddy Ground Dove** *Columbina talpacoti* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Eared Dove** *Zenaida auriculata* Seen at Otún Quimbaya

**White-throated Quail-Dove (H)** *Zentrygon frenata* Heard above Montezuma Eco-Lodge

**Rallidae**

**Grey-necked Wood Rail** *Aramides cajaneus* Seen at Sonso Lake

**Blackish Rail** *Pardirallus nigricans* Seen at the Montezuma Eco-Lodge

**Phoenicopteridae**

**American Flamingo** *Phoenicopiterus ruber* Seen at Camarones

**Burhinidae**

**Double-striped Thick-knee** *Burhinus bistriatus* Seen during our drive to Riohacha

**Haematopodidae**

**American Oystercatcher** *Haematopus palliatus* Seen at Camarones

**Recurvirostridae**

**Black-necked Stilt** *Himantopus mexicanus* Seen in the Barranquilla wetlands

**Charadriidae**

**Southern Lapwing** *Vanellus chilensis* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Collared Plover** *Charadrius collaris* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Semipalmated Plover** *Charadrius semipalmatus* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Camarones

**Grey Plover** *Pluvialis squatarola* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Camarones

**Wilson's Plover** *Charadrius wilsonia* Seen at Camarones

**Jacanidae**

**Wattled Jacana** *Jacana jacana* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Scolopacidae**

**Sanderling** *Calidris alba* Seen on the way to Santa Marta

**Least Sandpiper** *Calidris minutilla* Seen on the way to Santa Marta

**Greater Yellowlegs** *Tringa melanoleuca* Seen on the way to Santa Marta

**Willet** *Tringa semipalmata* Seen on the way to Santa Marta

**Lesser Yellowlegs** *Tringa flavipes* Seen on the way to Santa Marta

**Spotted Sandpiper** *Actitis macularius* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands



**Solitary Sandpiper** *Tringa solitaria* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Greater Yellowlegs** *Tringa melanoleuca* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Hudsonian Whimbrel** *Numenius hudsonicus* Seen at Camarones

**Ruddy Turnstone** *Arenaria interpres* Seen at Camarones

**Semipalmated Sandpiper** *Calidris pusilla* Seen at Camarones

**Western Sandpiper** *Calidris mauri* Seen at Camarones

### **Laridae**

**Laughing Gull** *Leucophaeus atricilla* Seen along the drive to Santa Marta

**Royal Tern** *Thalasseus maximus* Seen along the drive to Santa Marta

**Caspian Tern** *Hydroprogne caspia* Seen at Camarones

**Sandwich Tern** *Thalasseus sandvicensis* Seen at Camarones

### **Ciconiidae**

**Wood Stork** *Mycteria americana* Seen at Camarones

### **Fregatidae**

**Magnificent Frigatebird** *Fregata magnificens* Seen along the coast on our drive to Santa Marta

### **Phalacrocoracidae**

**Neotropic Cormorant** *Phalacrocorax brasilianus* Seen at Camarones

### **Threskiornithidae**

**Glossy Ibis** *Plegadis falcinellus* Seen at Sonso Lake

**American White Ibis** *Eudocimus albus* Seen at Camarones

**Scarlet Ibis** *Eudocimus ruber* Seen at Camarones Peninsula. A good bird in the Guajira

**Bare-faced Ibis** *Phimosus infuscatus* Seen on the way to Otún-Quimbaya and at Sonso Lake

**Roseate Spoonbill** *Platalea ajaja* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

### **Ardeidae**

**Cocoi Heron** *Ardea cocoi* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Sonso Lake

**Great Egret** *Ardea alba* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Sonso Lake

**Snowy Egret** *Egretta thula* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Sonso Lake

**Reddish Egret** *Egretta rufescens* Seen at Camarones

**Little Blue Heron** *Egretta caerulea* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Sonso Lake

**Tricolored Heron** *Egretta tricolor* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Sonso Lake

**Western Cattle Egret** *Bubulcus ibis* Several sightings

**Striated Heron** *Butorides striata* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Black-crowned Night Heron** *Nycticorax nycticorax* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Sonso Lake

### **Pelecanidae**

**Brown Pelican** *Pelecanus occidentalis* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and along our drive to Santa Marta

### **Cathartidae**

**Black Vulture** *Coragyps atratus* Common

**Turkey Vulture** *Cathartes aura* Several sightings

**King Vulture** *Sarcoramphus papa* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

### **Pandionidae**

**Western Osprey** *Pandion haliaetus* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Sonso Lake

### **Accipitridae**

**Swallow-tailed Kite** *Elanoides forficatus* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Snail Kite** *Rostrhamus sociabilis* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Plumbeous Kite** *Ictinia plumbea* Seen below El Dorado Lodge

**Broad-winged Hawk** *Buteo platypterus* Seen around El Dorado Lodge

**Roadside Hawk** *Rupornis magnirostris* Seen at Rio Blanco Reserve

**Ornate Hawk-Eagle** *Spizaetus ornatus* A juvenile seen at Finca Florida

### **Strigidae**

**Tropical Screech Owl** *Megascops choliba* Seen around Montezuma Eco-Lodge

**Santa Marta Screech Owl (H)** *Megascops gilesi* Unfortunately heard only above El Dorado Lodge

**Mottled Owl (H)** *Strix virgata* Heard above El Dorado Lodge

**Spectacled Owl (H)** *Pulsatrix perspicillata* Heard at Taironaka Lodge

### **Trogonidae**

**Golden-headed Quetzal** *Pharomachrus auriceps* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary and Tatamá National Park

**White-tipped Quetzal** *Pharomachrus fulgidus* Seen above El Dorado Lodge. Found in Northern Colombia and adjacent Venezuela

**Gartered Trogon** *Trogon caligatus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Masked Trogon** *Trogon personatus* Seen above El Dorado Lodge

**Collared Trogon** *Trogon collaris* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary

### **Alcedinidae**

**Ringed Kingfisher** *Megaceryle torquata* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Camarones

**Amazon Kingfisher** *Chloroceryle amazona* Seen at Barranquilla wetlands

### **Momotidae**

**Whooping Motmot** *Momotus subrufescens* Seen at Minca and Taironaka

**Andean Motmot** *Momotus aequatorialis* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Rufous Motmot** *Baryphthengus martii* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Broad-billed Motmot** *Electron platyrhynchum* Seen at the Anchicaya road

### **Galbulidae**

**Rufous-tailed Jacamar** *Galbula ruficauda* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

### **Bucconidae**

**Russet-throated Puffbird** *Hypnelus ruficollis* Seen at Camarones and around Barranquilla wetlands

**White-necked Puffbird** *Notharchus hyperrhynchus* Seen along the Las Gaviotas track during our travel to Riohacha

**Moustached Puffbird** *Malacoptila mystacalis* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

### **Capitonidae**

**Red-headed Barbet** *Eubucco bourcierii* Seen at Montezuma Eco-Lodge and Finca Alejandría

### **Semnornithidae**

**Toucan Barbet** *Semnornis ramphastinus* Seen along the Anchicaya road. Found in Colombia and Ecuador

### **Ramphastidae**

**Black-billed Mountain Toucan** *Andigena nigrirostris* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Keel-billed Toucan** *Ramphastos sulfuratus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Collared Aracari** *Pteroglossus torquatus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Groove-billed Toucanet** *Aulacorhynchus sulcatus* Seen below El Dorado Lodge. Found in Northern Colombia and Venezuela

**White-throated** (“Santa Marta”) **Toucanet** *Aulacorhynchus albivitta* Seen around El Dorado Lodge. Here the subspecies *lautus*. Santa Marta Toucanet *Aulacorhynchus lautus* was split from *A. prasinus* (Navarro et al. 2001) but is best treated as a subspecies of White-throated Toucanet *A. albivitta* (Winker 2016, NACC 2016-B-3). The subspecies *griseigularis* was seen at Rio Blanco Reserve.

**Crimson-rumped Toucanet** *Aulacorhynchus haematopygus* Seen at Rio Blanco Reserve and Finca Alejandría

**Yellow-throated Toucan** *Ramphastos ambiguus* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Choco Toucan** *Ramphastos brevis* Seen at the Anchicaya road

### **Picidae**

**Chestnut Piculet** *Picumnus cinnamomeus* Great views in Camarones. Found in Colombia and Venezuela

**Greyish Piculet** *Picumnus granadensis* Seen at the Montezuma Eco-Lodge. A Colombian endemic

**Acorn Woodpecker** *Melanerpes formicivorus* Seen at Hacienda La Florida

**Smoky-brown Woodpecker** *Dryobates fumigatus* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Red-crowned Woodpecker** *Melanerpes rubricapillus* Several sightings

**Lita Woodpecker** *Piculus litae* Seen at the Anchicaya road. A Chocó specialist. Named after Lita, Ecuador

**Cinnamon Woodpecker** *Celeus loricatus* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Golden-olive Woodpecker** *Colaptes rubiginosus* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary

**Crimson-mantled Woodpecker** *Colaptes rivolii* Seen below Los Nevados National Natural Park

**Lineated Woodpecker** *Dryocopus lineatus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

### **Falconidae**

**Northern Crested Caracara** *Caracara cheriway* Several sightings in the Caribbean lowlands

**Yellow-headed Caracara** *Milvago chimachima* Several sightings

**American Kestrel** *Falco sparverius* Seen at Camarones

**Merlin** *Falco columbarius* Great views in the Guajira

**Laughing Falcon (H)** *Herpetotheres cachinnans* Heard at the Anchicaya road

**Collared Forest-Falcon (H)** *Micrastur semitorquatus* Heard only at El Dorado Lodge

### **Psittacidae**

**Orange-winged Amazon** *Amazona amazonica* Seen at the Caribbean lowlands and below Minca

**Brown-throated Parakeet** *Eupsittula pertinax* Seen around Barranquilla and the Santa Marta lowlands

**Barred Parakeet (H)** *Bolborhynchus lineola* Heard in the Tatamá National Park

**Green-rumped Parrotlet** *Forpus passerinus* Seen at the Guajira

**Red-billed Parrot** *Pionus sordidus* Seen above Minca during our drive to El Dorado Lodge

**Blue-headed Parrot** *Pionus menstruus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Military Macaw** *Ara militaris* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Scaly-naped Amazon** *Amazona mercenarius* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge

**Santa Marta Parakeet (H)** *Pyrrhura viridicata* Unfortunately heard only at the San Lorenzo Ridge. A Colombian endemic. Endangered

**Scarlet-fronted Parakeet** *Psittacara wagleri* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge

**White-capped Parrot** *Pionus seniloides* Seen at Otún Quimbaya Sanctuary

**Rusty-faced Parrot** *Hapalopsittaca amazonina* Seen at Rio Blanco Reserve

**Golden-plumed Parakeet** *Leptosittaca branickii* Seen at Rio Blanco Reserve. Endangered



**Furnariidae**

**Stout-billed Cinclodes** *Cinclodes excelsior* Seen at Los Nevados National Natural Park

**Azara's Spinetail** *Synallaxis azarae* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**White-whiskered Spinetail** *Synallaxis candei* Seen at Camarones

**Red-faced Spinetail** *Cranioleuca erythrops* Seen above the Montezuma Eco-Lodge

**Slaty Spinetail** *Synallaxis brachyura* Seen above the Montezuma Eco-Lodge

**Rufous Spinetail** *Synallaxis unirufa* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Streak-capped Spinetail** *Cranioleuca hellmayri* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge

**Rusty-headed Spinetail** *Synallaxis fuscorufa* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge

**White-chinned Thistletail** *Asthenes fuliginosa* Seen at Los Nevados National Natural Park

**Pale-legged Hornero** *Furnarius leucopus* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Straight-billed Woodcreeper** *Dendroplex picus* Seen at Camarones

**Plain-brown Woodcreeper** *Dendrocincla fuliginosa* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Cocoa Woodcreeper** *Xiphorhynchus susurrans* Seen at Taironaka Lodge and Sonso Lake

**Wedge-billed Woodcreeper** *Glyphorhynchus spirurus* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Spotted Woodcreeper** *Xiphorhynchus erythropygius* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Tyrannine Woodcreeper** *Dendrocincla tyrannina* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Montane Woodcreeper** *Lepidocolaptes lacrymiger* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Brown-billed Scythebill** *Campylorhamphus pusillus* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Santa Marta Foliage-gleaner** *Clibanornis rufipectus* Seen above Minca

**Scaly-throated Foliage-gleaner** *Anabacerthia variegaticeps* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Ruddy Foliage-gleaner** *Clibanornis rubiginosus* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Flammulated Treehunter** *Thripadectes flammulatus* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge

**Uniform Treehunter** *Thripadectes ignobilis* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Grey-throated Leaf Tosser** *Sclerurus albigularis* Seen around El Dorado Lodge

**Plain Xenops** *Xenops minutus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Streaked Xenops** *Xenops rutilans* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Pearled Treerunner** *Margarornis squamiger* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Fulvous-dotted Treerunner** *Margarornis stellatus* Seen at Tatamá National Park. A Chocó specialist. Found in Western Ecuador and Western Colombia. It is also known as Star-chested Treerunner.

**Thamnophilidae**

**Black-backed Antshrike** *Thamnophilus melanonotus* Seen at Camarones

**White-fringed Antwren** *Formicivora grisea* Seen at Camarones

**Black-crested Antshrike** *Sakesphorus canadensis* Seen at Camarones

**Barred Antshrike** *Thamnophilus doliatus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Santa Marta Antbird** *Drymophila hellmayri* Seen above Minca. A Colombian endemic

**Streak-headed Antbird** *Drymophila striaticeps* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Bar-crested Antshrike** *Thamnophilus multistriatus* Seen at the Anchicaya lowlands

**Pacific Antwren** *Myrmotherula pacifica* Seen at the Anchicaya lowlands

**Zeledon's Antbird** *Hafferia zeledoni* Seen at the Anchicaya lowlands. Named after José Castulo Zeledón, a 19<sup>th</sup> -20<sup>th</sup> century Costa Rican ornithologist

**Parker's Antbird** *Cercomacroides parkeri* Seen at Tatamá National Park. Named after Theodore Albert "Ted" Parker III, 20<sup>th</sup> century American ornithologist who specialized in the Neotropics. A Colombian endemic

**Jet Antbird** *Cercomacra nigricans* Two seen at Sonso Lake

**Spot-crowned Antvireo** *Dysithamnus puncticeps* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Chestnut-backed Antbird** *Poliocrania exsul* Seen at the Anchicaya road

### **Grallariidae**

**Santa Marta Antpitta** *Grallaria bangsi* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge. A Colombian endemic. Vulnerable

**Moustached Antpitta** *Grallaria alleni* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary. A difficult bird to see. Vulnerable

**Chestnut-crowned Antpitta** *Grallaria ruficapilla* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Hooded Antpitta** *Grallaricula cucullata* Seen at the Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary. Poorly known, it was considered one of the biggest rarities of the Andes. Vulnerable

**Bicolored Antpitta** *Grallaria rufocinerea* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve. Vulnerable

**Brown-banded Antpitta** *Grallaria milleri* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve. A Colombian endemic

**Slate-crowned Antpitta (H)** *Grallaricula nana* Heard in the Tatamá National Park

**Yellow-breasted Antpitta (H)** *Grallaria flavotincta* Heard at Tatamá National Park

**Ochre-breasted Antpitta** *Grallaricula flavirostris* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Rufous Antpitta** *Grallaria rufula* Seen at Hacienda el Bosque

**Crescent-faced Antpitta** *Grallaricula lineifrons* Great views at Hacienda el Bosque. Near Threatened

### **Conopophagidae**

**Chestnut-crowned Gnateater** *Conopophaga castaneiceps* Seen at Tatamá National Park

### **Rhinocryptidae**

**Stiles's Tapaculo** *Scytalopus stilesi* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary. A Colombian endemic. Named after Frank Garfield Stiles, an American author and ornithologist living in Colombia

**Choco Tapaculo** *Scytalopus chocoensis* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Tatama Tapaculo** *Scytalopus alvarezlopezi* Seen at Tatamá National Park. Recently described in 2017. It used to be known as “Alto Pisones” Tapaculo. Named after the Tatamá National Park

**Nariño Tapaculo (H)** *Scytalopus vicinior* Heard in the Tatamá National Park. Named after the Nariño state in Colombia

**Spillmann's Tapaculo (H)** *Scytalopus spillmanni* Heard in the Tatamá National Park. Named after F. Spillmann, Austrian zoologist who resided in Ecuador

### **Tyrannidae**

**White-banded Tyrannulet** *Mecocerculus stictopterus* Seen below Los Nevados National Park

**White-throated Tyrannulet** *Mecocerculus leucophrys* Seen below Los Nevados National Park

**Black-capped Tyrannulet** *Phyllomyias nigrocapillus* Seen below Los Nevados National Park

**Common Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum cinereum* Seen at Sonso Lake

**Mountain Elaenia** *Elaenia frantzii* Seen at El Dorado Lodge

**Yellow-bellied Chat-Tyrant** *Ochthoeca diadema* Heard at San Lorenzo Ridge and seen at Rio Blanco Reserve

**Slaty-backed Chat-Tyrant** *Ochthoeca cinnamomeiventris* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Brown-backed Chat-Tyrant** *Ochthoeca fumicolor* Seen around Los Nevados National Park

**Pied Water Tyrant** *Fluvicola pica* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Greenish Elaenia** *Myiopagis viridicata* Seen along the Las Gaviotas track during our drive to Riohacha

**Bronze-olive Pygmy Tyrant** *Pseudotriccus pelzelni* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Pearly-vented Tody-Tyrant** *Hemitriccus margaritaceiventer* Seen at Camarones

**Northern Scrub Flycatcher** *Sublegatus arenarum* Seen at Camarones

**Vermilion Flycatcher** *Pyrocephalus rubinus* Seen at the Guajira and Camarones  
**Venezuelan Flycatcher (H)** *Myiarchus venezuelensis* Heard at Camarones  
**Cattle Tyrant** *Machetornis rixosa* Seen at Camarones  
**Great Kiskadee** *Pitangus sulphuratus* Common in the Caribbean lowlands  
**Grey Kingbird** *Tyrannus dominicensis* Seen at the Guajira  
**Tropical Kingbird** *Tyrannus melancholicus* Common  
**Boat-billed Flycatcher** *Megarynchus pitangua* Seen along the Las Gaviotas track  
**Slender-billed Tyrannulet** *Inezia tenuirostris* Seen at Camarones  
**Pale-tipped Tyrannulet (H)** *Inezia caudata* Heard in Camarones  
**Brown-capped Tyrannulet** *Ornithion brunneicapillus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge  
**Yellow-olive Flycatcher** *Tolmomyias sulphureus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge. Here the subspecies *exortivus*  
**Social Flycatcher** *Myiozetetes similis* Seen at Taironaka Lodge  
**Piratic Flycatcher** *Legatus leucophaeus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge  
**Lesser Kiskadee** *Pitangus lictor* Seen at Taironaka Lodge  
**Streaked Flycatcher** *Myiodynastes maculatus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge  
**Slaty-capped Flycatcher** *Leptopogon superciliosus* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary  
**Rufous-breasted Flycatcher** *Leptopogon rufipectus* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary  
**Marble-faced Bristle Tyrant** *Phylloscartes ophthalmicus* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary  
**Torrent Tyrannulet** *Serpophaga cinerea* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary  
**Smoke-colored Pewee** *Contopus fumigatus* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary  
**Black Phoebe** *Sayornis nigricans* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary  
**Brown-crested Flycatcher** *Myiarchus tyrannulus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge  
**Great Crested Flycatcher** *Myiarchus crinitus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge  
**Pale-edged Flycatcher** *Myiarchus cephalotes* Seen at Rio Blanco Reserve  
**Apical Flycatcher** *Myiarchus apicalis* Seen at Sonso Lake. A Colombian endemic  
**Acadian Flycatcher** *Empidonax virescens* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Tropical Pewee** *Contopus cinereus* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Cinnamon Flycatcher** *Pyrrhomyias cinnamomeus* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Common Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum cinereum* Seen at the Montezuma Eco-Lodge  
**Handsome Flycatcher** *Nephelomyias pulcher* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Torrent Tyrannulet** *Serpophaga cinerea* Seen at the Montezuma Eco-Lodge  
**Golden-faced Tyrannulet** *Zimmerius chrysops* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Rusty-margined Flycatcher** *Myiozetetes cayanensis* Several sightings  
**Golden-crowned Flycatcher** *Myiodynastes chrysocephalus* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Olive-striped Flycatcher** *Mionectes olivaceus* Seen above Minca  
**Long-tailed Tyrant** *Colonia colonus* Seen at Montezuma Eco-Lodge  
**Slaty-headed Tody-Flycatcher** *Poecilatriccus sylvia* Seen at Sonso Lake  
**Scale-crested Pygmy Tyrant** *Lophotriccus pileatus* Seen along Anchicaya  
**Black-headed Tody-Flycatcher** *Todirostrum nigriceps* Seen along Anchicaya  
**Pacific Flatbill** *Rhynchocyclus pacificus* Seen along Anchicaya  
**Ornate Flycatcher** *Myiobatrachus ornatus* Seen along Anchicaya  
**Bright-rumped Attila (H)** *Attila spadiceus* Heard at Anchicaya  
**Cotingidae**  
**Purple-throated Fruitcrow** *Querula purpurata* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Red-ruffed Fruitcrow** *Pyroderus scutatus* Great views at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary



**Golden-breasted Fruiteater** *Pipreola aureopectus* Seen above El Dorado Lodge

**Green-and-black Fruiteater** *Pipreola riefferii* Seen at Rio Blanco Reserve

**Orange-breasted Fruiteater** *Pipreola jucunda* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Scaled Fruiteater (H)** *Ampelioides tschudii* Heard in the Tatamá National Park

### **Pipridae**

**Lance-tailed Manakin** *Chiroxiphia lanceolata* Two seen at the Las Gaviotas track

**White-bearded Manakin** *Manacus manacus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Club-winged Manakin** *Machaeropterus deliciosus* Seen at Tatamá National Park. A Chocó specialist

### **Tityridae**

**Cinnamon Becard** *Pachyramphus cinnamomeus* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**White-winged Becard** *Pachyramphus polychopterus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge and Tatamá National Park

**Barred Becard** *Pachyramphus versicolor* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Sulphur-rumped Myiobius** *Myiobius sulphureipygius* Seen along the Anchicaya road

### **Vireonidae**

**Rufous-browed Peppershrike** *Cyclarhis gujanensis* Seen below El Dorado Lodge

**Black-billed Peppershrike** *Cyclarhis nigrirostris* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Slaty-capped Shrike-Vireo** *Vireolanius leucotis* Seen along the Anchicaya road

**Scrub Greenlet** *Hylophilus flavipes* Seen at Camarones

**Chivi Vireo** *Vireo chivi* Seen at Sonso Lake

**Choco Vireo** *Vireo masteri* Seen at Tatamá National Park

### **Corvidae**

**Black-chested Jay** *Cyanocorax affinis* One seen at Minca

**Green Jay** *Cyanocorax yncas* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Beautiful Jay** *Cyanolyca pulchra* Seen at Tatamá National Park

### **Hirundinidae**

**Grey-breasted Martin** *Progne chalybea* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Blue-and-white Swallow** *Pygochelidon cyanoleuca* Several sightings, including at Otún-Quimbaya

**Brown-bellied Swallow** *Orochelidon murina* Seen at the upper parts of the Tatamá National Park

**Southern Rough-winged Swallow** *Stelgidopteryx ruficollis* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Barn Swallow** *Hirundo rustica* Seen at Sonso Lake

### **Troglodytidae**

**Bicolored Wren** *Campylorhynchus griseus* Seen well in Minca and the Caribbean lowlands

**Stripe-backed Wren** *Campylorhynchus nuchalis* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**House Wren** *Troglodytes aedon* Several sightings

**Buff-breasted Wren** *Cantorchilus leucotis* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Grey-breasted Wood Wren** *Henicorhina leucophrys* Seen at Minca, El Dorado Lodge and the Tatamá National Park

**Hermit Wood Wren** *Henicorhina anachoreta* Seen around El Dorado Lodge. A Colombian endemic

**Whiskered Wren** *Pheugopedius mystacalis* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Sanctuary

**Munchique Wood Wren** *Henicorhina negreti* Seen at Tatamá National Park. A Colombian endemic

**Bay Wren** *Cantorchilus nigricapillus* Seen along the Anchicaya road

**Sooty-headed Wren** *Pheugopedius spadix* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Sharpe's Wren** *Cinnycerthia olivascens* Seen at Tatamá National Park. Named after Richard Bowdler Sharpe, 19<sup>th</sup> century English zoologist and ornithologist who worked as curator of the bird collection at the British Museum of Natural History.

### **Poliophtidae**

**Tropical Gnatcatcher** *Poliophtila plumbea* Seen at Camarones

### **Mimidae**

**Tropical Mockingbird** *Mimus gilvus* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands and Camarones

### **Turdidae**

**Swainson's Thrush** *Catharus ustulatus* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Pale-breasted Thrush** *Turdus leucomelas* Seen at Minca

**Clay-colored Thrush** *Turdus grayi* Seen above Minca

**Great Thrush** *Turdus fuscater* Seen at San Lorenzo Ridge

**Yellow-legged Thrush** *Turdus flavipes* Seen at El Dorado Lodge

**Andean Solitaire** *Myadestes ralloides* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Black-billed Thrush** *Turdus ignobilis* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Orange-billed Nightingale-Thrush** *Catharus aurantiirostris* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Black Solitaire** *Entomodestes coracinus* Seen at Tatamá National Park. A most wanted species

**Pale-eyed Thrush** *Turdus leucops* Seen at Tatamá National Park

### **Cinclididae**

**White-capped Dipper** *Cinclus leucocephalus* Seen at Rio Blanco Reserve

### **Passeridae**

**House Sparrow** *Passer domesticus* Seen in the Guajira

### **Fringillidae**

**Yellow-bellied Siskin** *Spinus xanthogastrus* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Trinidad Euphonia** *Euphonia trinitatis* Seen at the Caribbean lowlands and the Taironaka Lodge

**Orange-bellied Euphonia** *Euphonia xanthogaster* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Blue-naped Chlorophonia** *Chlorophonia cyanea* Seen at El Dorado Lodge

**Yellow-collared Chlorophonia** *Chlorophonia flavirostris* Seen at Tatamá National Park.

**Chestnut-breasted Chlorophonia** *Chlorophonia pyrrhophrys* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Thick-billed Euphonia** *Euphonia lanirostris* Seen at Sonso Lake

### **Passerellidae**

**Rufous-collared Sparrow** *Zonotrichia capensis* Several sightings

**Yellow-throated Bush Tanager** *Chlorospingus flavigularis* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Dusky Bush Tanager** *Chlorospingus semifuscus* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Golden-winged Sparrow** *Arremon schlegeli* Seen at Minca

**Chestnut-capped Brushfinch** *Arremon brunneinucha* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Grey-browed Brushfinch** *Arremon assimilis* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Black-headed Brushfinch** *Arremon atricapillus* Seen at Anchicaya

**Santa Marta Brushfinch** *Atlapetes melanocephalus* Seen at Santa Marta including El Dorado, San Lorenzo and Minca. A Colombian endemic

**Choco Brushfinch** *Atlapetes crassus* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Sierra Nevada Brushfinch** *Arremon basilicus* Seen at El Dorado Lodge. A Colombian endemic

**White-naped Brushfinch** *Atlapetes albinucha* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya Reserve

**Slaty Brushfinch** *Atlapetes schistaceus* Seen at Rio Blanco Reserve

**Pale-naped Brushfinch** *Atlapetes pallidinucha* Seen around Los Nevados National Park

**Icteridae**

**Yellow-backed Oriole** *Icterus chrysater* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Great-tailed Grackle** *Quiscalus mexicanus* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Carib Grackle** *Quiscalus lugubris* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands

**Yellow Oriole** *Icterus nigrogularis* Seen at Camarones

**Baltimore Oriole** *Icterus galbula* Seen at Camarones

**Yellow-rumped Cacique** *Cacicus cela* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Scarlet-rumped Cacique** *Cacicus uropygialis* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Orange-crowned Oriole** *Icterus auricapillus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Shiny Cowbird** *Molothrus bonariensis* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Giant Cowbird** *Molothrus oryzivorus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Crested Oropendola** *Psarocolius decumanus* Seen at Minca

**Chestnut-headed Oropendola** *Psarocolius wagleri* Seen at the Montezuma Eco-Lodge

**Parulidae**

**Prothonotary Warbler** *Protonotaria citrea* Seen along the Gaviotas track

**Northern Waterthrush** *Parkesia noveboracensis* Seen at Taironaka Lodge

**Rufous-capped Warbler** *Basileuterus rufifrons* Seen at Minca

**Black-and-white Warbler** *Mniotilta varia* Seen above Minca and Otún-Quimbaya

**Santa Marta Warbler** *Myiothlypis basilica* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge. A Colombian endemic

**Tropical Parula** *Setophaga pitiaiyumi* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Yellow Warbler** *Setophaga petechia* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Chestnut-sided Warbler** *Setophaga pensylvanica* Seen at Anchicaya

**Buff-rumped Warbler** *Myiothlypis fulvicauda* Seen at Anchicaya

**Black-crested Warbler** *Myiothlypis nigrocristata* Seen at Hacienda el Bosque

**Three-striped Warbler** *Basileuterus tristriatus* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Canada Warbler** *Cardellina canadensis* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya

**Blackburnian Warbler** *Setophaga fusca* Seen around El Dorado Lodge

**White-lored Warbler** *Myiothlypis conspicillata* Seen at El Dorado Lodge. A Colombian endemic

**Yellow-crowned Whitestart** *Myioborus flavivertex* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge

**Slate-throated Whitestart** *Myioborus miniatus* Seen around El Dorado Lodge

**Golden-fronted Whitestart** *Myioborus ornatus* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve

**Mitrospingidae**

**Dusky-faced Tanager** *Mitrospingus cassinii* Seen along the Anchicaya road

**Cardinalidae**

**Summer Tanager** *Piranga rubra* Seen around Minca

**Scarlet Tanager** *Piranga olivacea* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Hepatic Tanager** *Piranga flava* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Rose-breasted Grosbeak** *Pheucticus ludovicianus* Seen at Minca

**Golden Grosbeak** *Pheucticus chrysogaster* Seen around El Dorado Lodge

**Vermilion Cardinal** *Cardinalis phoeniceus* Seen at the Guajira and Camarones

**Crested Ant Tanager** *Habia cristata* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya. A Colombian endemic

**Ochre-breasted Tanager** *Chlorothraupis stolzmanni* Seen at Tatamá National Park

**Lemon-spectacled Tanager** *Chlorothraupis olivacea* Seen along the Anchicaya road

**Thraupidae**

**Black-capped Hemispingus** *Kleinotheraupis atropileus* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve



**Black-eared Hemispingus** *Sphenopsis melanotis* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve  
**Superciliaried Hemispingus** *Thlypopsis superciliaris* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve  
**Crimson-backed Tanager** *Ramphocelus dimidiatus* A few sightings  
**Flame-rumped Tanager** *Ramphocelus flammigerus* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya  
**Lemon-rumped Tanager** *Ramphocelus icteronotus* Seen at the Montezuma Eco-Lodge  
**Blue-necked Tanager** *Stilpnia cyanicollis* Seen at Otún-Quimbaya  
**Glaucous Tanager** *Thraupis glaucocolpa* Seen on the Guajira  
**Blue-grey Tanager** *Thraupis episcopus* Several sightings  
**Palm Tanager** *Thraupis palmarum* Seen at Taironaka Lodge  
**Black-cheeked Mountain Tanager** *Anisognathus melanogenys* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge  
**Lacrimose Mountain Tanager** *Anisognathus lacrymosus* Seen at Hacienda el Bosque  
**Scarlet-bellied Mountain Tanager** *Anisognathus igniventris* Seen around Hotel Termales  
**Black-and-gold Tanager** *Bangsia melanochlamys* Seen at Tatamá National Park. A Colombian endemic  
**Gold-ringed Tanager** *Bangsia aureocincta* Seen at Tatamá National Park. A Colombian endemic  
**Grass-green Tanager** *Chlorornis riefferii* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Black-chinned Mountain Tanager** *Anisognathus notabilis* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Blue-winged Mountain Tanager** *Anisognathus somptuosus* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve  
**Purplish-mantled Tanager** *Iridosornis porphyrocephalus* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Glistening-green Tanager** *Chlorochrysa phoenicotis* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Scrub Tanager** *Stilpnia vitriolina* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Beryl-spangled Tanager** *Tangara nigroviridis* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Saffron-crowned Tanager** *Tangara xanthocephala* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Rufous-throated Tanager** *Ixothraupis rufigula* Seen at the Anchicaya road  
**Grey-and-gold Tanager** *Poecilostreptus palmeri* Seen at the Anchicaya road  
**Golden-hooded Tanager** *Stilpnia larvata* Seen at the Montezuma Eco-Lodge  
**Blue-necked Tanager** *Stilpnia cyanicollis* Seen at the Anchicaya road  
**Bay-headed Tanager** *Tangara gyrola* Seen at the Anchicaya road  
**Golden Tanager** *Tangara arthus* Several sightings  
**Silver-throated Tanager** *Tangara icterocephala* Brief views at the Doña Dora feeders  
**Golden-collared Honeycreeper** *Iridophanes pulcherrimus* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Blue-capped Tanager** *Thraupis cyanocephala* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve  
**Blue-and-black Tanager** *Tangara vassorii* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve  
**Beryl-spangled Tanager** *Tangara nigroviridis* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve  
**Multicolored Tanager** *Chlorochrysa nitidissima* Seen at Finca Alejandría  
**Golden-naped Tanager** *Chalcothraupis ruficervix* Seen at Finca Alejandría  
**Capped Conebill** *Conirostrum albifrons* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve  
**Plushcap** *Catamblyrhynchus diadema* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve  
**Grey-hooded Bush Tanager** *Cnemoscopus rubrirostris* Seen at the Rio Blanco Reserve  
**Grey-headed Tanager** *Eucometis penicillata* Seen at Taironaka Lodge  
**White-shouldered Tanager** *Tachyphonus luctuosus* Seen at Taironaka Lodge  
**Bay-headed Tanager** *Tangara gyrola* Seen below El Dorado Lodge in the distinctive subspecies *toddi* and the subspecies *viridissima* later during the trip  
**Blue Dacnis** *Dacnis cayana* Seen along the Gaviotas track and the Anchicaya road  
**Swallow Tanager** *Tersina viridis* Seen at Minca  
**Golden-chested Tanager** *Bangsia rothschildi* Seen at the Anchicaya road

**Emerald Tanager** *Tangara florida* Seen at the Anchicaya road  
**White-lined Tanager** *Tachyphonus rufus* Seen at Doña Dora's feeders  
**Black-capped Tanager** *Stilpnia heinei* Seen at El Dorado Lodge and Otún Quimbaya  
**Scarlet-browed Tanager** *Heterospingus xanthopygius* Seen at the Anchicaya road  
**Tawny-crested Tanager** *Tachyphonus delatrii* Seen along the Anchicaya road  
**Saffron Finch** *Sicalis flaveola* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands  
**Pileated Finch** *Coryphospingus pileatus* Seen at Camarones  
**Black-faced Grassquit** *Melanospiza bicolor* Seen at Camarones  
**Yellow-bellied Seedeater** *Sporophila nigricollis* Seen at Otún Quimbaya  
**Slate-colored Seedeater** *Sporophila schistacea* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Black-and-white Seedeater** *Sporophila luctuosa* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Paramo Seedeater** *Catamenia homochroa* Seen at Hacienda el Bosque  
**Plumbeous Sierra Finch** *Geospizopsis unicolor* Seen at Los Nevados National Park  
**Plain-colored Seedeater** *Catamenia inornata* Seen at Los Nevados National Park  
**Greyish Saltator** *Saltator coerulescens* Seen at the Barranquilla wetlands  
**Orinocan Saltator** *Saltator orenocensis* Seen at Camarones  
**Streaked Saltator** *Saltator striatipectus* Seen at Camarones  
**Buff-throated Saltator** *Saltator maximus* Seen at Camarones  
**Black-winged Saltator** *Saltator atripennis* Seen at Finca Alejandría  
**Rusty Flowerpiercer** *Diglossa sittoides* Seen at El Dorado Lodge  
**White-sided Flowerpiercer** *Diglossa albilatera* Seen below El Dorado Lodge  
**Chestnut-bellied Flowerpiercer** *Diglossa gloriosissima* Seen at Tatamá National Park. A Colombian endemic  
**Masked Flowerpiercer** *Diglossa cyanea* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**Black Flowerpiercer** *Diglossa humeralis* Seen at the San Lorenzo Ridge  
**Indigo Flowerpiercer** *Diglossa indigotica* Seen at Tatamá National Park  
**White-capped Tanager** *Sericossypha albocristata* Seen at Otún Quimbaya  
**Green Honeycreeper** *Chlorophanes spiza* Seen at Otún Quimbaya  
**Bananaquit** *Coereba flaveola* Several sightings