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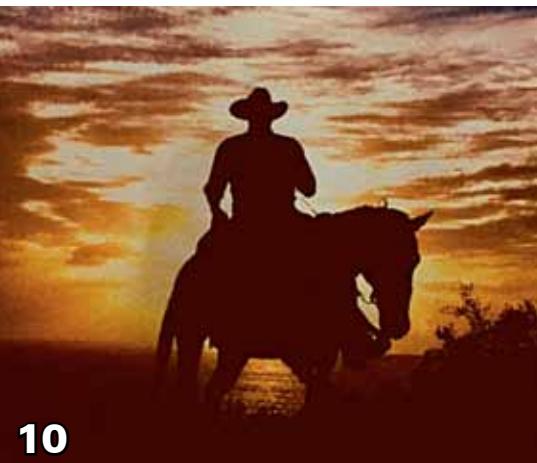
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Old Folks Boogie

by Bryan Jáuregui

COMFORT CARE AND PARADISE REGAINED IN TODOS SANTOS

In the words of the formidable Bette Davis, "Old age ain't no place for sissies." Especially when you think you've got the process wired. You reach a certain age and move to a beautiful, Mexican artist colony on the Pacific Ocean and embrace the good life. You enjoy long walks on the beach with your rescue dogs, you volunteer to help the local kids or strays, and you enjoy great food of all stripes. In the winter and spring you participate in—maybe even help put on—the wonderful festivals in town like the Todos Santos Music Festival (John Paul Jones was jamming in the town plaza—insane!), the Film Festival (OMG I met Diego Luna!), you enjoy the GastroVino Festival (OK, maybe you enjoy it just a hair more than you should), and in the summer and fall you love having the town all to yourself and your friends without so many tourists around. Then, something shifts. Maybe the next year you decide to forego the music festival and decide the Día de Los Muertos graveyard festivities are a more fitting venue for you. Maybe you only take in the Bolivian movies that are playing in the afternoons of the film festival, so you don't have to drive at night. And maybe you skip GastroVino altogether because your system really just can't take it anymore. Perhaps you dial back on your volunteer activities, and then, maybe you can't even muster the strength to walk the dogs on the beach anymore, even though it is the thing that you and they love most. In the words of the immortal Little Feat, "You know that you're over the hill, when your mind makes a promise that your body can't fill." But the worst part of this old folks' boogie is that for many of us, it means we have to leave paradise found as there is simply no one here to take care of us in our dotage. Until now.

"We have seen so many of our American and Canadian friends in Todos Santos return north of the border when they get to a certain stage in life as there has been no system in place to care for them here," says Wendy Rains, founder of Comfort Care & Assistance. "I saw first-hand that there was a real need. So about two-and-a-half years ago when I hosted a seminar on death and dying in Mexico for A.C.T.S. (Asociación de Colonias de Todos Santos), I put out a signup sheet to see if there was anyone who wanted to be trained as a hospice caregiver. 20 people signed up!"

That was the beginning of Comfort Care & Assistance, which Wendy founded in 2017 as a program of A.C.T.S., A.C., a COMFORT CARE continued on page 8



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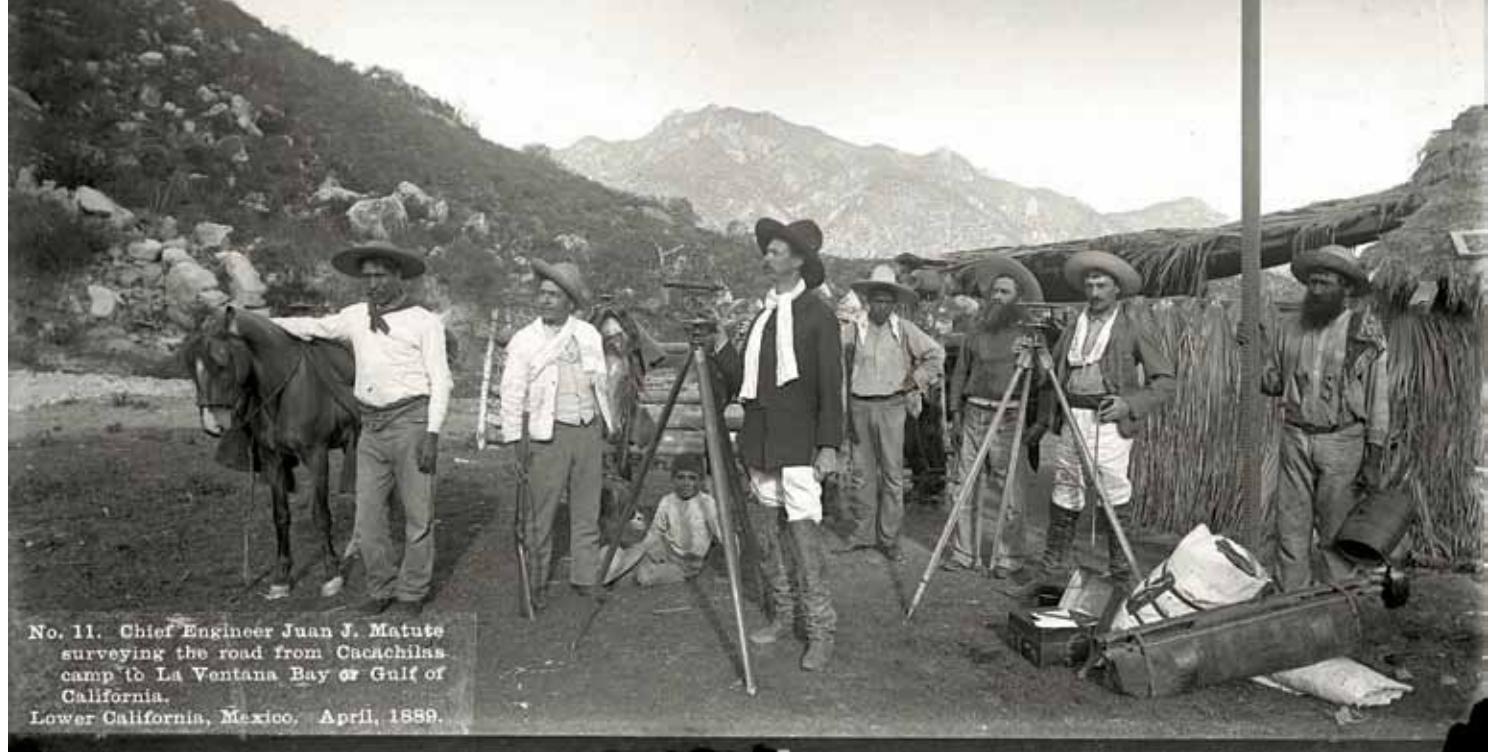
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La Ruta de Plata

by / por Bryan Jáuregui, traducido por Paula Angeloni

THE SILVER ROUTE IN BAJA CALIFORNIA SUR

One of the Jesuits' prime motivations in establishing themselves in Baja California in 1697 was to pursue their dream of a theocracy, a society completely devoted to God, with all productive activity in the service of the missions as they worked to convert the native peoples. While there was some grumbling about the Jesuit lock on the economy, for the first 50 years of Jesuit rule no one came along with the entrepreneurial drive, financial backing, or political support to challenge it. But then the heavens opened, and the Jesuit sands shifted. As recorded by missionary Miguel del Barco:

Because of an unusual storm... the sea cast up a great multitude of pearl oysters, mounding them on certain beaches from the 28th parallel on to the north. This area, to that time, had not been worked by pearl hunters. The Indians of that coast, recent Christians, knowing that soldiers desired and bought pearls, began to bring them in abundance to the men of the escort at Misión de San Ignacio, then the heathen frontier.

And so, it happened that an act of God brought riches to the Jesuits' earthly defenders and thereby created the first direct threat to their Baja California theocracy. The soldier who wrangled the majority of the profits from the great pearl bonanza was Manuel de Ocio, the Spanish son-in-law of the captain, who capitalized on his connections to broker the pearls and make the beginning of his fortune. In short order he resigned as a soldier, invested in pearling equipment, and bought goods to trade with the Indians who were still collecting the pearls. Baja California's first entrepreneur was launched, and he soon found he was not the only one eager to break the Jesuit monopoly. In 1743, the pearl-rich de Ocio went to Guadalajara where he

LA RUTA DE LA PLATA EN BAJA CALIFORNIA SUR

Una de las principales motivaciones de los jesuitas para establecerse en Baja California en 1697, fue hacer realidad el sueño de una teocracia. Una sociedad completamente dedicada a Dios, con toda la actividad productiva al servicio de las misiones mientras trabajaban en convertir a los pueblos nativos. Si bien hubieron algunos descontentos sobre el bloqueo de la economía por parte de los jesuitas, durante sus primeros 50 años de gobierno, no apareció nadie con el impulso empresarial, el respaldo financiero, o el apoyo político suficiente como para desafiarlos. Pero luego, los cielos se abrieron y las arenas jesuitas se sacudieron. El misionero Miguel del Barco, relata:

Debido a una tormenta inusual... el mar arrojó una gran cantidad de ostras perleras, amontonándolas en ciertas playas desde el paralelo 28, hacia el norte. Esta área, hasta ese entonces, no había sido trabajada por pescadores de perlas. Los indios de esa costa, y los cristianos recientes, sabiendo que los soldados deseaban y compraban perlas, comenzaron a traerlas en abundancia a los hombres de la escolta en Misión de San Ignacio, y luego a la frontera pagana.

Y así fue como sucedió que un acto de Dios trajo riquezas a los que fueran defensores de los jesuitas y asimismo creó la primer amenaza directa a su teocracia en Baja California. El soldado que consiguió la mayoría de las ganancias de la gran bonanza de perlas fue Manuel de Ocio, un español yerno de un capitán, que aprovechó sus conexiones para negociar las perlas y hacer el comienzo de su fortuna. En poco tiempo, renunció como soldado, invirtió en equipo de perlas, y compró bienes para comerciar con los indígenas que aún recolectaban perlas. El primer RUTA DE PLATA continúa en página 28



found businessmen keen to push for a civil colony in Jesuit territory, and by 1748 he had laid claim to Santa Ana, site of an abandoned Jesuit chapel where a Spanish soldier had spotted silver ore in 1722. Manuel de Ocio created his home and cattle ranch there and began mining silver near present day San Antonio, BCS. Real Santa Ana was the first secular settlement in Baja California, and San Antonio today is considered the oldest continuously settled town in the peninsula. The Jesuits were expelled from Baja California in 1767, but a thriving secular economy launched by de Ocio and built around mining continued for another 150 years.

Stories like de Ocio's are the highlight and backbone of the Museo Ruta de Plata, the Silver Route Museum, which opened in the Baja California Sur town of El Triunfo on November 17, 2018. The brainchild of Christy Walton, Richard Kiy, John Reynolds, and Juan José Cabuto, the museum reflects the remarkable research the team conducted to resurrect and celebrate the mining heritage and societal changes wrought by de Ocio and others who came to the area to pursue their dreams. Troves of documents were recovered in the public archives of La Paz, descendants of key players in the town's mining industry were tracked down and interviewed, and oral histories were gathered from families in the area who are direct descendants of the Mexican, French, German, Polish, Chinese, American, and English miners, entrepreneurs, teachers, tradesmen, artists, shop owners, and others who created what was once the largest town in the Baja peninsula with one of its most diverse and fascinating communities.

Museo de Ruta Plata is part of a much larger project by RUTA DE PLATA continued on page 14

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Comfort Care

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Mexican volunteer organization dedicated to improving the life of the community and local environment. But interest was so great that Comfort Care rapidly evolved into a not-for-profit service with over 40 trained volunteers "coming together as friends helping friends in time of need." Wendy describes the evolution of the group and its capabilities. "We initially had a few intensive training sessions with Dan Hodul, who shared with us his years of experience working with the elderly in Northern California. One full session was devoted solely to falls and falling, and of course he covered many other aspects of elder care as well. Then we had the great fortune to connect with Camille Adair, a well-known hospice nurse specializing in end-of-life care, and the founder of the Solace Teachings and Film Series. Camille came to Todos Santos on a couple of occasions to conduct a series of three-day workshops that really took our volunteers to the next level. She taught us not only about the practical aspects of working with the elderly, such as lifting, moving, administering drugs and so forth, she shared her wisdom gathered from years of personal experience of just being with someone who is dying. She helped us to understand what the death process is like, what it feels like to be dying and how we can support people, and their families, emotionally at the end of their



Team 1, the first group of 20 trained volunteers

lives. It's been a tremendous experience and journey for all of us." Wendy keeps the volunteers bonded and involved through a monthly book club and film series.

Comfort Care & Assistance, which provides services for individuals and their families in Todos Santos and surrounding areas, starts the process with a free needs-consultation and assessment. Services range from hospice care for those with a prognosis of six months or less to live, palliative care for those recovering from surgery or serious illness, support for families and friends who need a break

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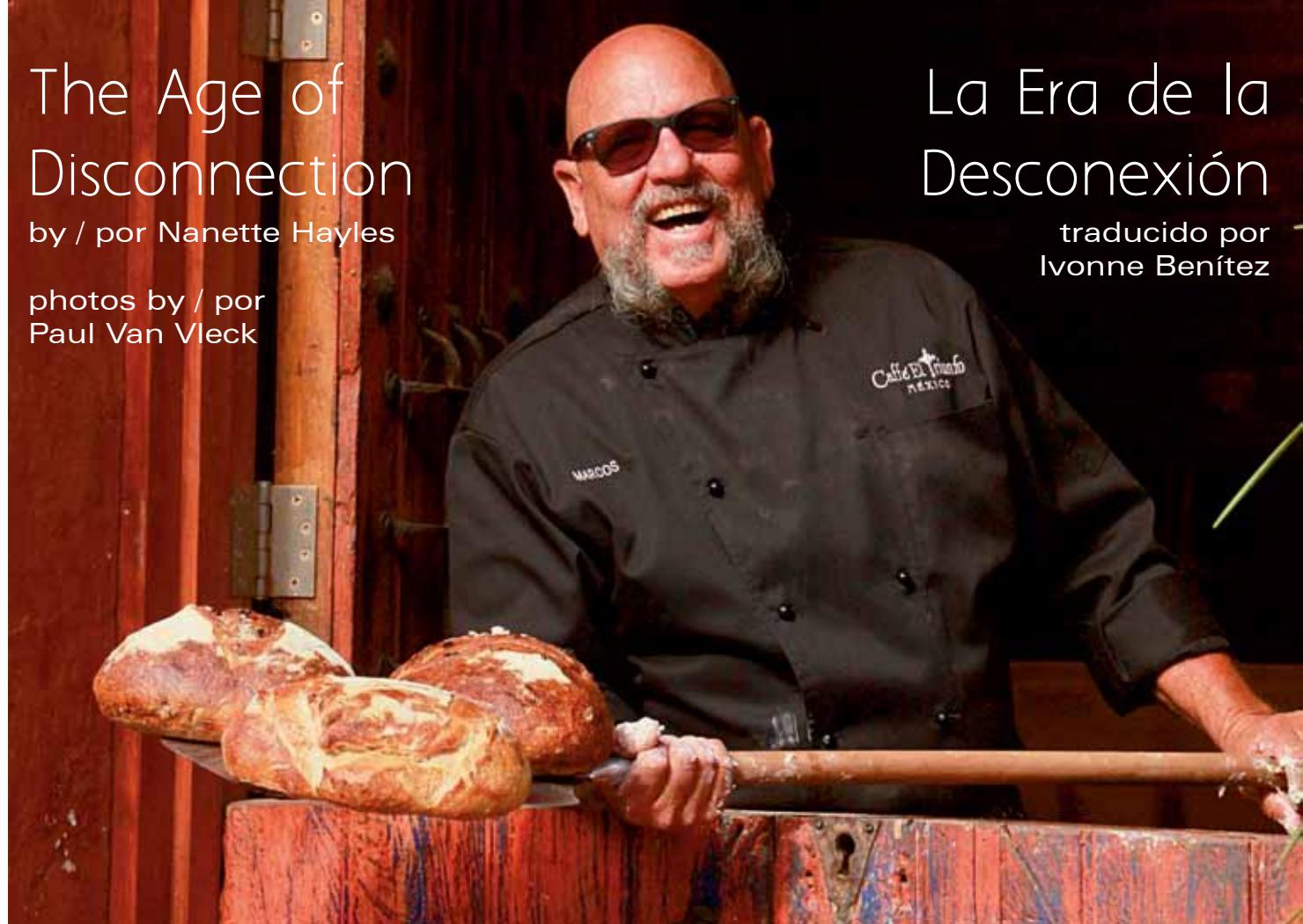
The Age of Disconnection

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La Era de la Desconexión

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AND THE CROSSROAD OF MARCUS SPAHR

Baker, builder, biker, Marcus Spahr... one story out of nine, told in a recent bilingual documentary film called *The Age of Disconnection*. This documentary is an inspiring account of nine precious lives lost in disconnection, reclaimed, and reconnected to self and nature. It is nine different people, from nine different parts of Mexico, from nine different socio-economic backgrounds, all sharing their respective addiction stories and their common bond of recovery.

Each person's history is also a testament to our society's inability to cope with real life issues and struggles that impact families and life in general. Our culture abandons our AGE OF DISCONNECTION cont. on page 12

Y LA ENCRUCIJADA DE MARCUS SPAHR

Panadero, constructor, y motociclista, Marcus Spahr... una de nueve historias, contadas en un reciente documental bilingüe llamado *The Age of Disconnection* (La Era de la Desconexión). Este documental es un relato inspirador de nueve increíbles vidas perdidas en la desconexión, recuperadas, y reconectadas consigo mismo y la naturaleza. Son nueve personas diferentes, de diferentes partes de México, de entornos socioeconómicos diferentes, todos compartiendo sus respectivas historias de adicciones y su vínculo común de recuperación.

La historia de cada persona es un testimonio de la ERA DE LA DESCONEXIÓN cont. en página 13

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The crossroad is a pivot, a razor's edge moment of awakening, where the victim finally claims, "no more." As

the drug, alcohol, internet, work, or whatever the addiction is no longer of primary importance, the journey begins, and the issues of why and the point of origin are uncovered and addressed. The process of climbing out of the hole of despair commences. At this crossroad, a new tapestry is woven, where significant tools of self-discovery and the connection to nature become essential companions and allies. These connections help to open the door wider, where investigation and getting to know self becomes more prominent.

There is natural introspection that becomes a part of the long walks, the taste of river or salt water as one rafts down a stream or surfs at a beach, the smell of the earth as one AGE OF DISCONNECTION cont. on page 56



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incapacidad de nuestra sociedad para hacer frente a los problemas de la vida real y las luchas que afectan a las familias y la vida en general. Nuestra cultura abandona a nuestros miembros más vulnerables, los niños y las mujeres, que son las principales víctimas del abuso. Sufren una variedad indescriptible de abuso físico, mental, emocional, y espiritual. Como resultado, estas víctimas están sujetas a una vida que cae en espiral y parece no ofrecer una salida. Nuestras instituciones, religiones, y cultura no ofrecen remedios reales, no enseñan verdades reales, ni ofrecen herramientas que puedan ayudarnos a lidiar con sus respectivos abusos originales y continuos. Entonces, el maltratado se convierte en un abusador, causando daños a ellos mismos, a los que están cerca y a la sociedad en general. Cuando los abusados han tenido suficiente de su respectiva adicción, finalmente se llega a una *encrucijada*, pero solo para unos pocos afortunados.

La *encrucijada* es un pivote, en el momento de despertar, donde la víctima finalmente reclama, "no más." A medida que la droga, el alcohol, el internet, el trabajo, o lo que sea la adicción ya no es de importancia primordial, el viaje comienza y las cuestiones de seguridad son la misma ¿por qué? y el punto de origen se descubren y se abordan. El proceso de salir del agujero de la desesperación comienza. En esta *encrucijada*, se teje un nuevo tapiz, donde importantes herramientas de autodescubrimiento y la conexión con la naturaleza se convierten en compañeros y aliados esenciales. Estas conexiones ayudan a abrir la puerta de forma más amplia, donde la introspección y el descubrirse a sí mismo se hacen más prominentes.

Hay una introspección natural que se convierte en parte de largas caminatas, el sabor del río, o el agua salada cuando uno rema una balsa en el arroyo, o navega en una playa, el olor de la tierra cuando uno monta un caballo los campos de hierba, o el viento en tu cara mientras recorres el desierto en una motocicleta. La paz se establece gradualmente en el interior, los sonidos de desesperación ya no ahogan a la voz interior. Es este momento de humildad, reunificación, y reintegración a la vida que las personas, como Marcus, se convierten en nuestros verdaderos héroes modernos. Fueron al infierno regresaron, vivieron, y prosperaron para contar historias que inspirarán. Es en el momento de la encrucijada cuando uno te dices a sí mismo. ¡Ya basta! Sus respectivos viajes al interior los dirigen de vuelta a sí mismos, los llevan de regreso al ser, al punto de origen, al espacio y al lugar del verdadero empoderamiento. Su trayecto de coraje incluyó su declaración significativa de afirmación, conexión con la naturaleza, la maravillosa gracia y capacidad para ayudar a sanar.

Marcus Spahr, un antiguo residente de la comunidad de Todos Santos y luego de El Triunfo, hizo esto; él es nuestro héroe local que se reconectó y es nuestro apreciable ejemplo. Marcus vivió en *el infierno* de una adicción a las drogas durante veinte años; sobrevivió, y triunfó. Su

ERA DE LA DESCONEXIÓN cont. en página 57

The advertisement features a collage of images. At the top, a couple sits at a table on a beach at sunset. Below is the restaurant's logo, "Sunset RESTAURANT & BAR". The central text reads "BEACHFRONT DINING". The collage includes images of nachos, a burger with fries, and a steak on a grill. At the bottom, the text reads "SERVING BREAKFAST LUNCH & DINNER 7 DAYS A WEEK 8 AM TO 9 PM 612 183 1077 | KM 68, HWY 19 SOUTH OF PESCADERO ON CERRITOS BEACH BEACH SIDE DINING".

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Christy Walton, heir to a portion of the Walmart fortune, to create in the greater La Paz region of Baja California Sur "a thriving economy and engaged social system that respects and nurtures our unique environment." Her Baja-based companies, Innovaciones Alumbra, include: Rancho Cacachilas, a land management organization that engages in livestock management, gardening, honey, and cheese production, and ecotourism activities; Earth Ocean Farms, an offshore marine fish farming company; Sol Azul which engages in year-round oyster production; and Tenaja Holdings, a real estate development company that manages the silver museum. The integration of all these projects is readily found in the silver museum complex which includes Restaurant-Bar El Minero, a wonderful culinary destination built on the ruins of an old cantina, where on any given day you can enjoy traditionally-made cheese from Rancho Cacachilas, organic oysters from Sol Azul, and farm-bred totoaba (critically endangered in the wild) from Earth Ocean Farms. The museum itself was

built on the site of some abandoned buildings that they believe once housed a tannery, all right next to the ruins of the silver mining and milling operations. In fact, it was when Walton saw some children playing in these ruins that she was inspired to create the museum as a way to help revitalize El Triunfo by promoting its cultural heritage, one that was perhaps already lost to its younger generations.

Manuel de Ocio started a major mining boom in the area and from 1862 to 1926 the network of gold and silver mining operations completely transformed the area, making El Triunfo and San Antonio the wealthiest towns in Baja California in the process. El Triunfo had been a sleepy little village of 175 souls in 1857, but by 1890 had grown to a vibrant hub of over 4,000 as people flocked to the area to make their fortunes. Money flowed and the residents invested in the good life; a huge number of pianos were imported from Europe, and classical music concerts and artistic performances were a regular feature of town life.

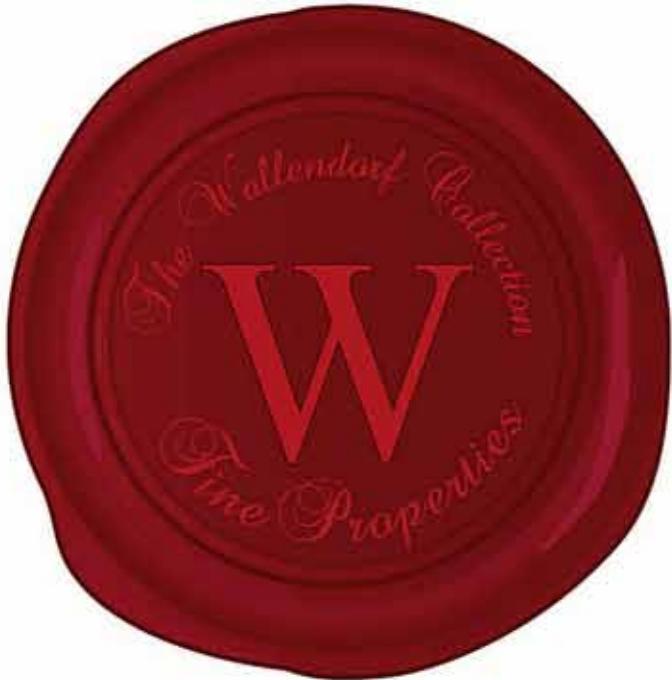
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Todos Santos Pierde al Padrino de la Escena Culinaria Local

by / por Chloe Ruth Buck

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Ezio Colombo, esposo de Paula Rafelson, propietaria del restaurante Café Santa Fé, falleció en octubre de 2018 después de una batalla de tres años contra el cáncer. Le sobreviven su esposa Paula y Mascia, una hija distanciada de un matrimonio anterior. Aunque vivió en Todos Santos por más de 30 años, los últimos años de su vida los pasó en su ciudad natal de La Spezia, en Italia.

Ezio nació en 1944 en Domodossola, en la frontera entre Italia y Suiza. En ese entonces, su familia vivía en las montañas porque la Spezia estaba siendo bombardeada constantemente y su padre era parte de la Resistencia. El padre de Ezio era milanés y logró sobrevivir a numerosos incidentes peligrosos durante la guerra, incluido un ataque submarino en el que hubo muy pocos sobrevivientes.

Después de la guerra, Ezio regresó a La Spezia con su madre. Aunque el padre de Ezio sobrevivió a la guerra, murió en un accidente de motocicleta a la edad de 41 años mientras se dirigía a la estación de tren para reunirse con su familia. Ezio tenía nueve años, y la pérdida de su padre tuvo un gran impacto en su vida. La familia permaneció en La Spezia, donde vivió con su madre, su abuela, su abuelo, y dos tíos en un apartamento de dos habitaciones. Era hijo único y dormía entre su madre y su abuela todas las noches. Aunque era una familia de clase obrera, también eran muy creativos. Su abuela era pintora y su madre una experta bordadora.

Cuando fue mayor, Ezio se mudó a Milán, el lugar de nacimiento de su padre, y consiguió su primer trabajo en la oficina de correos local. Un amigo muy querido reconoció que Ezio era un artista talentoso y lo ayudó a conseguir un trabajo realizando ilustraciones para compañías locales. Su trabajo como ilustrador fue la semilla que eventualmente lo llevó a Baja California. Ezio tenía un amigo llamado Lelo que era un escritor de viajes. Lelo fue contratado para escribir un artículo sobre la apertura de la Carretera No. 1 en la península para la revista *Playboy Italia* e invitó a Ezio a ilustrar el viaje. Ezio decidió de inmediato, al llegar a Baja California Sur, que este sería su nuevo hogar.

Fue su amor por la comida italiana lo que le impulsó a comenzar a cocinar. Su talento fue reconocido rápidamente y fue contratado para ayudar a inaugurar un restaurante llamado De Georgio en San José del Cabo. Fue en esa época, en 1983, cuando Paula hizo su primer viaje a Baja California Sur. A Paula siempre le había gustado viajar y amaba a México en particular. Había pasado un tiempo en Yelapa e incluso ayudó a desarrollar propiedades allí. Tenía una fuerte cartera de clientes en diseño de interiores, y fue un cliente veneciano quien la invitó a San José del Cabo, EZIO COLOMBO continúa en página 30

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Todos Santos Loses the Godfather of the Local Culinary Scene

by Chloe Ruth Buck

Ezio Colombo, husband of Café Santa Fé restaurant owner Paula Rafelson, passed away in October of 2018 after a three-year battle with cancer. He is survived by his wife Paula and Mascia, an estranged daughter from a previous marriage. Though he lived for over 30 years in Todos Santos the final years of his life were spent in his home town of La Spezia, Italy.

Ezio was born in 1944 in Domodossola on the border between Italy and Switzerland. At that time his family were living in the mountains because La Spezia was routinely being bombed and his father was part of The Resistance. Ezio's father was Milanese and managed to survive numerous dangerous incidents during the war, including a submarine attack in which there were very few survivors.

After the war, Ezio returned to La Spezia with his mother. Though Ezio's father made it through the war unscathed he died in a motorcycle accident at the age of 41 while on his way to the train station to reunite with his family. Ezio was nine years old at the time, and the loss of his father had a major impact on his life. The family remained in La Spezia where he lived with his mother, grandmother, grandfather, and two uncles in a two-bedroom apartment. He was an only child and slept between his mother and grandmother

every evening. Although they were a working-class family, they were also very creative. His grandmother was a painter and his mother an expert embroiderer.

As Ezio got older he moved to Milan, his father's birthplace, and got his first job at the post office there. While in Milan, a very dear friend recognized that Ezio was a talented artist and helped secure him a job doing illustrations for local companies. It was his work as an illustrator that planted the seeds that would eventually lead Ezio to Baja California. Ezio had a friend named Lelo who was a travel writer. Lelo had been hired to write an article about the opening of Highway One in Baja for *Playboy Italy* and invited Ezio along to illustrate the trip. Ezio decided immediately, upon arriving in Baja California Sur, that this would now be his home.

It was his love of Italian food that was the impetus for him to start cooking. His talent was recognized quickly and he was hired to help put together a restaurant called De Georgio in San José del Cabo. It was about this time, in 1983, when Paula made her first trip to Baja California Sur. Paula had always loved to travel and she loved Mexico in particular. She had previously spent time in Yelapa and even helped

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Art Talk

by Jill Logan

FOLLOW YOUR YES

If anyone had told me in 1990 that I would move to Mexico and open my own gallery, I would have told them they were crazy. I was a Laguna Beach woman loving my creativity and my life. I had a large studio in Laguna Canyon with great skylights, where I would spend five to six hours a day painting. I cranked up the music and created series after series for the two shows I had yearly.

I had a great creative environment around me with other professional artists. We often took trips to Santa Monica to explore galleries, of which at the time there were some twelve available to explore. This led to provocative conversations about art, creativity, what we liked and did not like, and how to apply that to our daily lives.

If I were to guess, I created around 200 paintings a year plus some studies that were mated and sold separately. It was a prolific time of life.

As if happened, in 1992 I came to Todos Santos to have lunch at Café Santa Fé. It was highly recommended by the Mexican architect who my husband and I worked with remodeling a client's home in el Pedrigal. It was a long narrow road from Cabo San Lucas to this small town that seemed to be in the middle of nowhere. Café Santa Fé was and is, a complete surprise. A five-star Italian restaurant of the highest quality and well worth the drive.

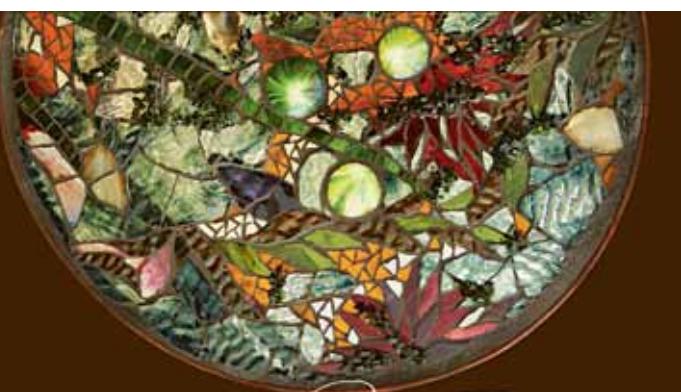
I loved the town immediately. The light quality, old ruins, and feel were enchanting. The foliage wild and free. The vistas of the sierras and the ocean together formed a perfect visual stimulation. I was immediately pulled to come here on a painting sabbatical for a month or two.

Ezio and Paula of Café Santa Fé helped me rent a small casita in Las Brisas, with a Mexican family of women, three generations. Mind you this was before cell phones and internet and required letters by mail.

We set up a date in late December 1994 for my arrival. My husband and I drove down the Baja peninsula in my Volkswagen van loaded with stretched canvases, art supplies, and a few personal belongings to begin my journey.

He stayed one night and then I drove him to the airport the next day. At first, I was homesick. I did not speak the language and very few Mexican locals spoke any English. I got a big case of food poisoning and wondered, "what in the heck have I done?" After six weeks I fell in love with this dusty town and never wanted to leave.

I painted all over town in plein-air fashion on location, but with my own invention of colors and forms. I remember painting Casa Dracula and having many locals stop to admire how I changed the brick to a bright red surface which they seemed to love. The quality of light playing



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on surfaces with shadows caught my attention.

I fell in love with the locals with their big hearts and willingness to laugh at everything and anything. A more relaxed way of living was apparent. It was a simpler life that I fell in love with and that I could be on my own.

It took a few years to return. But in February of 1998 I came back for an art festival put on by the artist Gabo and a good friend of mine, Ali Matthews. This festival was unlike any I had known. Many brilliant and well-known artists from Mexico City, Tijuana, Guadalajara, Monterey, and Chicago came. It was a magical event. Each artist had a show on a different night of the week in a different location. We were fed each night by a different restaurant and had a wonderful dance party at Cañada del Diablo. The mental and creative brilliance of the artists was uplifting and stunning. We spent hours talking.

It was so magical that I was pulled to return in April of that year and look for a small piece of land to buy where I could build a studio. I never dreamed of living here full time. But as it turned out, the location where my gallery is now, was for rent where I could live, create my art, and sell all in one space. Every cell in my body said "Yes." I gave the landlady a deposit immediately and returned six weeks later to live for the rest of my life.

I had an art sale and a garage sale and came up with a significant amount of money. I put what I wanted on a semi



"Casa Roja" by Jill Logan 30"x40" oil/canvas

for importation, filled up my van, and drove down to my new life. I was legal and ready to go. I sold a painting the first month.

I have never regretted this move, as challenging as it has been to do business in a foreign country. I have been blessed with wonderful repeat clients and after 20-years, have been able to buy and remodel my home and my gallery. I also have a deep family relationship with my Mexican employees. Every cell in my body said "yes." Something I am learning to pay attention to in every area of my life.

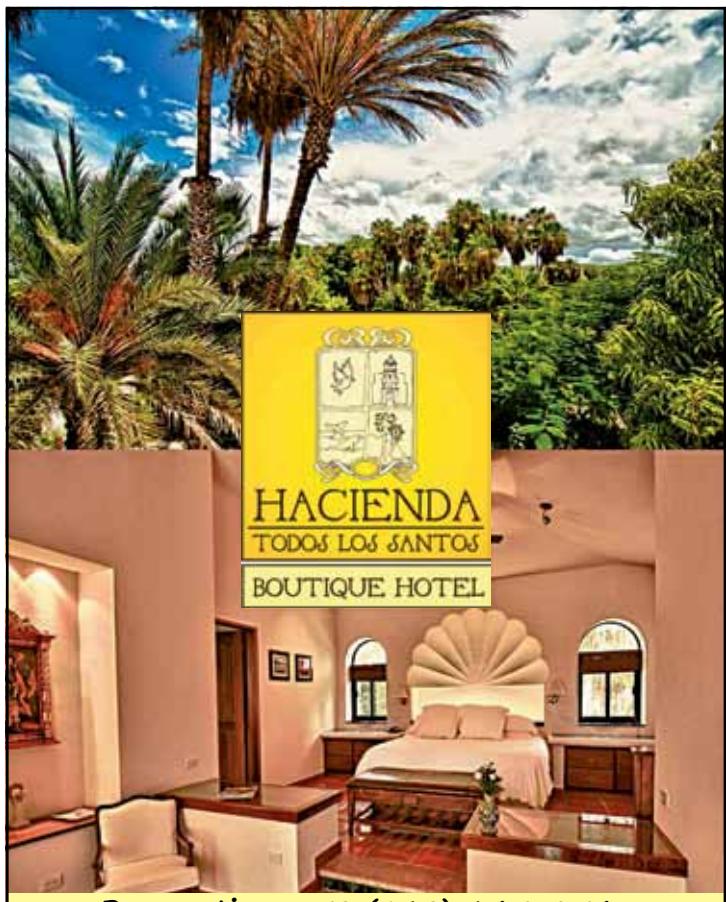
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El Mercado Ranchero

por Lisa F. Jackson
traducido por Ivonne Benítez

Yera Cota, foto por Kaia Thomson

Mientras camina por su tienda en Todos Santos, Yera Cota apenas puede contener su entusiasmo: todo en El Mercado Ranchero tiene una historia de fondo, un personaje, una peculiaridad.

Sus ojos se iluminan mientras contempla una simple y sensual cazuela de arcilla, y dice del alfarero, "Tiene magia en sus manos."

Gira el cuchillo en su mano y se maravilla de cómo la hoja afilada y delicadamente grabada fue martillada del muelle de una vieja camioneta.

Ahí está la mecedora rústica con correas de cuero de res, y hecha en un rancho a cuatro horas del Oxxo más cercano. "Las técnicas que utilizan para curtir el cuero son MUY laboriosas, no tienes idea," afirma.

Ahí está la mantequilla del rancho. "Se tarda casi dos semanas en crear esto." Y la miel, "estas abejas usaron solo la flor del cactus cardón!" Y la mermelada, "se necesitan 20 kilos de pulpa de pitahaya para hacer un kilo de mermelada."

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El Mercado Ranchero

by Lisa F. Jackson

As she walks through her store in Todos Santos, Yera Cota can barely contain her enthusiasms: everything in El Mercado Ranchero has a back-story, a character, a quirk.

Her eyes light up as she beholds a sensuous, simple clay casserole and says of the potter, "he has magic in his hands."

She turns the knife over in her hand and marvels how the sharp, delicately engraved blade was hammered from the spring of an old pickup truck.

There's the rustic rocking chair with cowhide webbing made on a ranch four hours from the nearest Oxxo. "The techniques they use for tanning leather are SO labor intensive, you have no idea," she states.

There's the ranch butter. "It took almost two weeks to create this." And the honey, "these bees used only the flower of the *cardón* cactus!" And the jam, "it takes 20 kilos of *pitahaya* pulp to make one kilo of jelly."

Yera Cota is a walking Wikipedia about all things *ranchero*, a passion that was implanted at birth—the Cota family has a 100+ year history in Baja California Sur and Yera, like her father and grandfather, grew up on Rancho Las Playitas, about 10 miles north of Todos Santos. Her parents waffled



Traditional pottery, photo by Kaia Thomson

for days about naming her Ángela or Yeraldine, finally settling on Ángela but giving her the nickname "Yera."

Yera attended university at UABCs in La Paz where she received her *licenciada* in Alternative Tourism. It was while travelling for her class to far-flung ranches in the vast Sierra de la Laguna range that she had her "Big Idea." In those remote canyons, Yera found families who had lived in happy isolation for generations—building and furnishing their homes with whatever the landscape provided, raising livestock, making cheese and butter and chorizo,

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from caring for loved ones, companionship for the elderly, and practical assistance in getting to doctor's appointments, ensuring medications are taken, acting as liaison with doctors, caring for pets, shopping, meal preparation, and so forth. There are also experienced grief counselors for those left behind. Palliative support and companionship care, as well as practical assistance are fee-based services, while hospice care and grief counseling are free of charge. Those interested in the services can learn more by visiting ComfortCare.mx or contacting Wendy directly at Wendy@ComfortCare.mx.

But Wendy is just getting warmed up. Her next project is to create a village in the area for those who want to remain in paradise even when their dog walking, concert-going, GastroVino-excessing days are behind them. And live well while they're at it. Fascinated by the dementia villages she had read about in Europe, this past fall Wendy visited three of them in Holland, Switzerland, and Italy, gathering ideas and inspiration for creating an aging-in-place project here at home with that special Wendy imprimatur. She is now in the process of buying land and working with architects to realize her vision, a community that offers three tiers for aging in place: Active Living, Assisted Living, and End of Life Care. The village will include an Irish pub, a theater, art gallery where residents can show their work, beauty/barber facilities, postal service, a small medical facility, a rehab center, gym and spa, a large communal dining area with meal plans, guest suites for visiting family and friends, a cabaña club with pool (and hopefully cabaña boys—residents are old, not dead!), a fresh foods market, a fine dining restaurant open to the public, and beautiful walking paths and game areas surrounded by edible landscaping. And if all that makes you feel so good you want to head into town to catch the Mexican Weirdohs playing at La Morena, shuttle services will be provided too.

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Of course, that will all take some time to realize, but in the meantime, Wendy will soon have available for purchase a kit called *Adios Amigos... Goodbye Made Easy for Family and Friends*, a how-to guide that people planning on passing to glory from Mexico can prepare for those they are leaving behind. This will include imminently practical information such as dealing with wills, wishes, and directives, as well as funeral arrangements, credit cards, bank accounts, magazine subscriptions, and so forth. This kit will also build on information found in the highly informative Guide to Death in Mexico document on the A.C.T.S. Baja website (actsbaja.org), which is a step-by-step guide on actions to take if a *gringo* family member dies in Mexico. (Author's note: My uncle passed recently in Todos Santos. We read this document in advance, prepared documents and contacts as suggested, and when the time came simply followed the steps outlined in the guide. All very smooth and non-stressful as we knew generally what to expect.)

All of this is possible because of the strength of A.C.T.S., the volunteer community organization that has been remarkably active—and effective—with projects that have a positive impact on all members of the community. Recent projects include the Todos Santos Area Map for first responders and officials; the A.C.T.S. Community Phone Book; Vecinos Vigilantes, a neighborhood watch program; road improvements; and regular communication with municipal and state government officials. A.C.T.S. also uses a portion of its membership fees to support the *bomberos* (our volunteer fire department), the Todos

Santos trash truck, Todos Santos street lighting, and trash drop-off location.

And you can get involved! The next A.C.T.S. annual meeting is Saturday, February 16, 10 am, at Casa Ejido on Calle Militar, and all residents of Todos Santos and the surrounding area are invited to attend and provide their input on future A.C.T.S. projects.

French author Jules

Renard once wrote, "It's not how old you are, it's how

you are old." A.C.T.S. provides the forum for residents of all ages to create the type of community they want in place for their own elder years. Old folks boogie. Don't be a sissy—make up your own moves!



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Yera Cota es una Wikipedia ambulante sobre todas las cosas rancheras, una pasión que se implantó al nacer: la familia Cota tiene más de 100 años de historia en Baja California Sur y Yera, al igual que su padre y su abuelo, creció en el rancho Las Playitas. A 16 kilómetros (10 millas) al norte de Todos Santos. Sus padres discutieron durante días por como llamarla Ángela o Yeraldine, finalmente se decidieron por Ángela, pero le dieron el apodo de "Yera."

Yera asistió a la universidad en la UABCS en La Paz, donde recibió su licenciatura en Turismo Alternativo. Fue mientras viajaba por su clase a remotos ranchos en la vasta Sierra de la Laguna que tuvo su "Gran Idea." En esos remotos cañones, Yera encontró familias que han vivido en felices en aislamiento durante generaciones: construyendo y amueblando sus hogares, con lo que el entorno-paisaje les proporcionará, criando ganado, haciendo queso, mantequilla y chorizo, bordar toallas, trabajar metales, tejiendo alfombras, curtindo cuero, utilizando herramientas y técnicas tradicionales que se han transmitido durante siglos. Yera vio el beneficio para

estas comunidades de llevar sus productos únicos a los residentes de Baja California Sur.

Su propuesta fue recibida con entusiasmo universal por los rancheros, quienes ofrecieron sus productos en consignación. La logística para bajar las mercancías de la sierra a menudo resultó ser un desafío, ya que Yera realizó muchos viajes de ida y vuelta en su pick-up, transportando muebles, cerámica, y huevos en caminos de terracería, brechas sin señalamientos.

Yera vive en La Paz, pero pensó que la tienda debería estar en su ciudad natal de Todos Santos, un lugar conveniente a medio camino entre La Paz y Los Cabos. Su prima Ubaldina Cota, otra ranchera, sugirió que podía instalarse en la tienda de alimentos de Ube, Forrajes San Diego. Yera pasó muchos fines de semana re-imaginando su espacio en una tienda rústica.

El Mercado Ranchero tuvo su gran apertura en febrero de 2016 y Yera recuerda, "la banda de Mariachi nos cobró MERCADO RANCHERO continúa en página 45

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embroidering towels, working metal, weaving rugs, and curing leather using traditional tools and techniques handed down for centuries. Yera saw the benefit to these communities of bringing their unique products to the flatlanders of Baja California Sur.

Her proposal was met with universal enthusiasm by the ranchers, who offered their products on consignment. The logistics of getting the goods down from the *sierra* often proved challenging with Yera making many round trips in her pick-up hauling furniture, pottery, and eggs on unpaved, unmarked and bone-rattling mountain roads.

Yera lives in La Paz but thought the store should be in her hometown of Todos Santos—a convenient mid-way between La Paz and Los Cabos. Her cousin Ubaldina Cota, another ranch girl, suggested she could set up in Ube's feed store, Forrajes San Diego. Yera spent many weekends re-imagining her space into a rustic shop.

El Mercado Ranchero (The Ranch Market) had its grand opening in February 2016 and Yera remembers, "the Mariachi band charged us a fraction of their usual rate, but we still ended up paying them partly with chorizo and cheese."



photo by Kaia Thomson

She opened with 12 producers and now represents 38, supporting over 200 people as the only store that is "100% Baja Californian." The Mercado's contents are seasonal and always changing. "Sometimes we'll have hardly any honey because nothing is in flower. If it's too damp, our potters can't fire their kilns so we might go months without clay products. Other times, everyone is producing at once and we'll have a glut of eggs, knives, and rocking chairs—you never know!"

In this unique mixture, certain things stand out to Yera as being most emblematic of Baja's special culture.

A rustic vitrine displays dozens of knives, some in embossed leather sheaves—big knives that could cleave

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February 2 | 5:30 pm, PUBLIC READING by "Writing Down the Baja" participants at **Serendipity** on the *otro lado* of Todos Santos.

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February 2 | 1 - 6 pm, THE BAJA 100 MONTHLY ART WALK/DRIVE. View works by established and emerging local artists in a fun weekend event in downtown Todos Santos and on *el otro lado*. For more information visit: www.facebook.com/thebaja100art. Takes place the first Saturday of every month, November - April.

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8:30 am – 1 pm, **LA PAZ FARMER'S MARKET** on calle Madero between 5 de Mayo and Constitución, La Paz.

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empresario de Baja California nació, y pronto descubrió que no era el único ansioso por romper el monopolio jesuita. En 1743, de Ocio, rico en perlas, fue a Guadalajara, donde encontró empresarios dispuestos a ejercer presión a favor de una Colonia Civil en territorio jesuita, y para 1748 había reclamado Santa Ana, el sitio de una Capilla Jesuita abandonada donde un soldado español había visto plata en 1722. Manuel de Ocio creó su hogar y rancho allí y comenzó a extraer plata cerca del actual San Antonio en BCS. Real de Santa Ana fue el primer asentamiento secular en Baja California, y hoy en día San Antonio es considerada la ciudad más antigua y continuamente poblada de la península. Los jesuitas fueron expulsados de Baja California en 1767, pero una próspera economía secular lanzada por de Ocio y construida alrededor de la minería continuó por otros 150 años.

Historias como la de Ocio son el punto clave y la columna vertebral del Museo Ruta de Plata. Este museo se inauguró

en la ciudad de El Triunfo en Baja California Sur, el 17 de noviembre de 2018. Creado por Christy Walton, Richard Kiy, John Reynolds, y Juan José Cabuto, el museo refleja la notable investigación que el equipo llevó a cabo para resucitar y celebrar el patrimonio minero y los cambios sociales realizados por de Ocio y otros que vinieron al área a perseguir sus sueños. Se recuperaron documentos de archivos públicos de La Paz, se rastrearon y entrevistaron descendientes de personajes claves en la industria minera de la ciudad, y se reunieron historias orales de familias en el área—descendientes directos de mineros mexicanos, franceses, alemanes, polacos, chinos, estadounidenses, e ingleses, empresarios, maestros, comerciantes, artistas, y dueños de tiendas que crearon lo que fue la ciudad más grande de la península de Baja California, con una de sus comunidades más diversas y fascinantes.

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Gourmands imported apples from San Francisco and the cantinas imported American beer from St. Louis and Milwaukee. It was even rumored that Gustav Eiffel, he of the Paris tower, designed the still-standing La Ramona smokestack in 1890 for the Progreso Mining Company. While the museum states there is no evidence that Eiffel designed the tower, for Eiffel fans it should be noted that there is no evidence that he didn't either.

1890 was an important year for El Triunfo on another front as well. The United States enacted a federal law called the Sherman Silver Purchase Act, which effectively made the US government the second-largest buyer of silver in the world, second only to the British Crown in India. Under the terms of the act the government was required to purchase an additional 4.5 million ounces of silver bullion every *month*, in addition to the US\$2 to \$4 million required previously. Silver mining around El Triunfo surged. But the Sherman Silver Purchase Act, initially conceived of as a way to boost the economy and create sufficient inflation to allow farmers and miners to pay off debts that had become untenable due to deflation, was unsustainable. It contributed to a major economic depression in the US, and in 1893 was repealed. The US moved to the gold standard and the price of silver plummeted.

It was the beginning of the end for the mining towns of BCS. The mines struggled and the Mexican Revolution of 1910-1917 exacerbated their challenges. Ultimately, the silver boom ended as it began, with a monumental

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donde conoció a Ezio por primera vez, pero no estuvieron en contacto por varios años posteriores.

En 1988, Paula volvió a Baja y, como ella dijo, "donde quiera que iba, ahí estaba Ezio." Gravitaron rápidamente el uno hacia el otro. Ya había rumores de que San José del Cabo estaba creciendo demasiado rápido, y Paula estaba en busca de aventuras. Había oído hablar de un pueblo encantador llamado Todos Santos y le pidió a Ezio que la llevara allí. La trajo a Todos Santos y ella inmediatamente sintió la magia. Entró en una plaza rodeada de hermosos edificios que estaban todos vacíos. Paula vio un pequeño cartel de "se vende" en una casona entablona y supo lo que tenía que hacer. Regresó a Los Ángeles, vendió su casa en dos días y trajo, según dice, "a una hija de 14 años pataleando a un desierto vacío." Compró el inmueble que más tarde se convertiría en Café Santa Fé. "Traje a Ezio a mi vida," dijo, "y lo amaba."

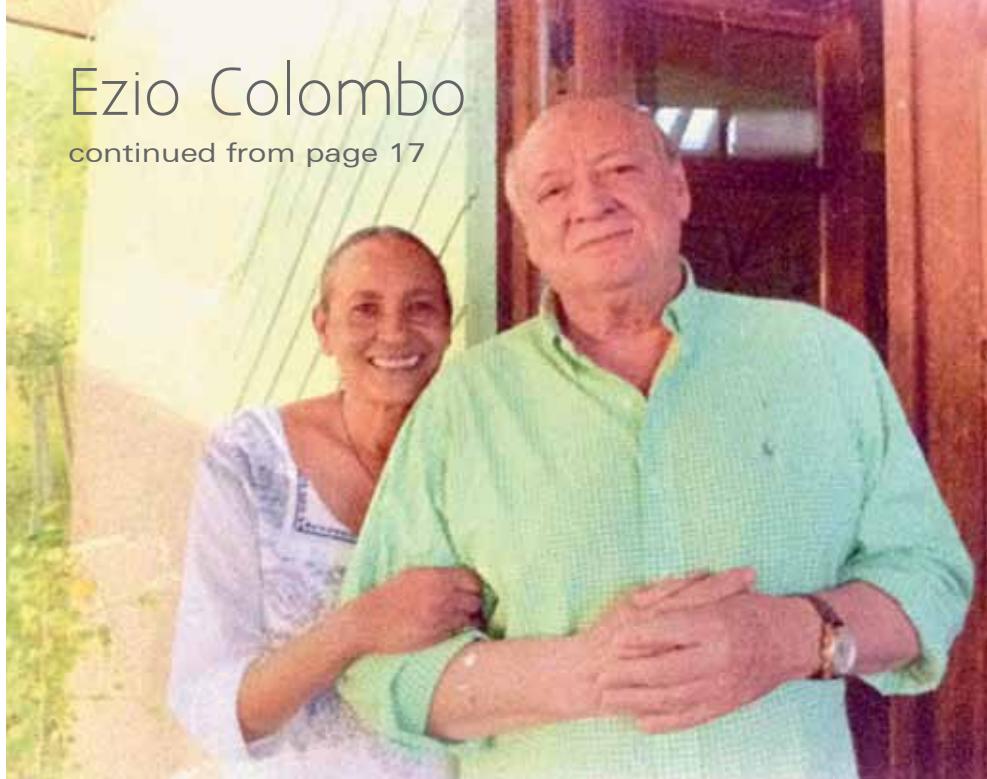
Durante este tiempo, Ezio vivía en Las Brisas en una casa sin electricidad, sin agua corriente, y con un piso de tierra. Las llantas de su auto estaban lisas y, según Paula, no tenía dinero. De alguna manera, en esta exigua existencia, logró organizar increíbles cenas. En 1988 inició un grupo llamado The Fat Boys Club, que consistía de muchos de los primeros extranjeros de Todos Santos, entre ellos John Ambrose, Cathy Buchanan, y Julio García. No tenían recursos, pero lograron obtener los ingredientes que necesitaban pidiendo a amigos que pasaban por Todos Santos que los trajeran. Fue esta capacidad de armar algo de la nada que Paula reconoció como una parte esencial de la visión que tenía, que nadie más podría haber concebido era posible en ese momento, y esa visión era abrir un restaurante en Todos Santos.

Originalmente, Ezio quería llamarlo La Casona, pero Paula no creía que ese nombre muy atractivo para los clientes. "Todos Santos es un pueblo de santos, y Santa Fe es la santa de la fe. Tuvimos que tener fe para abrir un lugar en medio del desierto." Abrieron sus puertas en 1990 y la gente comenzó lentamente a llegar. El antiguo propietario de De Georgio lo recomendaba a quienes buscaban un viaje de un día desde Cabo. "Don Tyson de Tyson Foods fue realmente nuestro mayor promotor," dijo Paula. Se formó una escena de celebridades en La Paz gracias a Engelbert Humperdinck y se corrió la voz sobre la fantástica comida en el Café Santa Fé. Si bien Ezio tenía un increíble amor hacia y conocimiento de la comida italiana, no tenía cabeza para los negocios; fue Paula quien se aseguró de que el lugar pudiese funcionar correctamente y proporcionar un sustento viable. Los primeros años del negocio fueron todo un reto: desde capacitar a todo el personal hasta una nueva forma de cocinar y servir alimentos, hasta tener que conducir a La Paz temprano todas las mañanas para encontrar ingredientes frescos. Todo tenía que ser hecho de manera sencilla pero bien.

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develop property there. She had a strong client base in interior design, and it was a customer from Venice who invited her to San José del Cabo where she met Ezio for the first time, but they were not in touch for the next few years.

In 1988, Paula again returned to Baja and as she put it, "everywhere I went, there was Ezio." They quickly became close. There were already rumblings that San José del Cabo was growing too quickly, and Paula was in search of adventure. She had heard of a lovely *pueblo* called Todos Santos and asked Ezio to take her there. He brought her to Todos Santos and she immediately felt the magic. She walked into a town plaza surrounded by beautiful buildings that were all empty. Paula then spotted a tiny for sale sign on a boarded-up building and she knew what she had to do. She returned to Los Angeles, sold her house in two days and brought, as she put it, "a 14-year-old daughter

kicking and screaming down to an empty desert." She then purchased the building that would later become Café Santa Fé. "I brought Ezio into my life" she said, "and I loved him."

During this time Ezio was living in Las Brisas in a home with no electricity, no running water, and a dirt floor. The tires on his car were bald and according to Paula, "he didn't have two nickels to rub together." Somehow in this meager existence he managed throw together incredible dinner parties. In 1988 he started a group called The Fat Boys Club which consisted of many early adopters of Todos Santos including John Ambrose, Cathy Buchanan, and Julio Garcia. They had no money but managed to get the ingredients they needed by asking friends who were passing through town to bring them. It was this ability to put something together with nothing that Paula recognized as an essential part of the vision she had that no one else could have conceived was possible at the time, and that vision was to open a restaurant in Todos Santos.

Originally Ezio wanted to call it La Casona, but Paula did not think that name would bring people through their doors. "Todos Santos is a town of saints," she said, "and Santa Fé is the saint of faith. "We had to have faith to open a place in the middle of the desert." They opened their doors in 1990 and people slowly started to trickle in. The former owner of De Georgio would recommend it to people looking for a day trip from Cabo. "Don Tyson of Tyson Foods was really our greatest promoter," said Paula. There was a celebrity scene forming in La Paz because of Engelbert Humperdinck and word got out about the fantastic food at the Café Santa Fé. While Ezio had an amazing love for and knowledge of Italian food he did not have a head for business; it was Paula who made sure the place was able to run properly and provide a viable living. The early years of running EZIO COLOMBO continued on page 62

Legend of the Pottery Pig La Leyenda del Cerdo de Cerámica



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Modern-day pigs' history dates back almost 40 million years. Fossil finds indicate that giant porcine animals roamed forests and swamps in North America, Europe, and Asia. Standing seven-feet-tall and weighing close to 1000 pounds, they had brains the size of an orange and spent most of their time omnivoring around during the late Eocene era and into the Miocene Era, 16 million years ago.

After the Pleistocene Epoch (Ice Age), some 2.4 million years ago, no pigs existed in North America. The first pigs are thought to have returned to the New World with the Spaniards during Christopher Columbus' voyages. Hernán Cortés is said to have introduced pigs to Mexico as the group of Spanish explorers relied almost entirely eating their own supplies of pigs when they set out from Cuba in 1519. Later in 1539, Hernando de Soto, who is best known for leading the first Spanish and European expedition deep into the territory of the modern-day United States through Florida and the south, brought 13 pigs to be used for breeding and food for the expedition.

These pigs were Iberian, Neapolitan, and Celtic which then became feral and were the origin of the Mexican Hairless Creole pigs. These breeds produced a genotype with very valuable characteristics which over time have adapted well to the local conditions. Because this new breed developed within isolated and primarily rural production systems, its genetic heritage has been preserved to the present day by the researchers at UNAM, National Autonomas University of Mexico.

So, how did the pig become such a popular model for pottery salsa bowls and those wonderful lava rock grinding utensils called *molcahetes*?

Here are a few Todosanteño opinions:

La historia de los cerdos modernos se remonta a casi 40 millones de años. Los hallazgos fósiles indican que porcinos gigantes habitaron bosques y pantanos en América del Norte, Europa, y Asia. De dos metros de altura y 500 kg de peso, tenían cerebros del tamaño de una naranja y pasaban la mayor parte de su tiempo alimentándose durante el Eoceno tardío y el Mioceno, hace 16 millones de años.

Después del Pleistoceno (la Edad de Hielo), hace unos 2.4 millones de años, no había cerdos en América del Norte. Se cree que los primeros cerdos regresaron al Nuevo Mundo con los españoles durante los viajes de Cristóbal Colón. Se dice que Hernán Cortés introdujo los cerdos en México, ya que el grupo de exploradores españoles que partió de Cuba en 1519 dependía de los cerdos que llevaron consigo para gran parte de su dieta. En 1539, Hernando de Soto, quien dirigió las primeras expediciones españolas en la Florida y el sur de lo que ahora es Estados Unidos, trajo consigo 13 cerdos en la expedición con la intención de criarlos como alimento.

Estos cerdos eran ibéricos, napolitanos, y celtas, que luego se volvieron salvajes y fueron el origen del cerdo criollo mexicano. Estas razas produjeron un genotípo con características muy valiosas que con el tiempo se han adaptado muy bien a las condiciones locales. Debido a que esta nueva raza se desarrolló en sistemas de producción aislados y principalmente rurales, su patrimonio genético se ha conservado hasta hoy en día por los investigadores de la Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM).

Entonces, ¿cómo se convirtió el cerdo en un modelo tan popular para los tazones de salsa de cerámica y esos maravillosos molcajetes tradicionales de la cocina mexicana?

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Beto D. thinks that form follows function: the shape of the pig's body; its curly tail is conducive to the shape of the spoon, often placed at the back of the dish. The ears, eyes, and face of the pig are easier to form out of the clay, not like trying to shape an antelope or a bird.

Adrian B. says that because of local culture's use of the whole pig—nothing goes to waste from the entire animal—using the pig for a model is a good thing, showing appreciation for him and accompanying many subsequent meals.

Tollino says that the pig is an ancient figure symbolizing prosperity, wealth, and abundance. The pig is also thought to bring luck to farmers and ranchers, as it brings in a good crops, grass, as well as the seasonal rains.

Uli, (with mucho gusto!), says that the pig shape is a big strong form, lending his design to make a good strong and ample bowl in which to prepare and serve a magnificent salsa!

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Aquí algunas opiniones de todosanteños:

Beto D. piensa que la forma sigue a la función; la forma del cuerpo del cerdo. Su cola rizada es propicia para la forma de la cuchara, que a menudo se coloca en la parte posterior del plato. Las orejas, los ojos y la cara del cerdo son más fáciles de esculpir o tallar, no es como intentar formar un antílope o un pájaro.

Adrian B. dice que debido al uso que hace la cultura local del cerdo entero (no se desperdicia nada del animal), usar el cerdo como modelo es bueno, ya que muestra aprecio por él y nos acompaña durante los alimentos.

Tollino dice que el cerdo es una figura antigua que simboliza prosperidad, riqueza y abundancia. También se piensa que el cerdo trae suerte a los granjeros y rancheros, ya que trae buenas cosechas, pastos y lluvias.

Uli, (icon mucho gusto!) dice que, la forma del cerdo es una forma fuerte y grande que se presta para formar tazones fuertes y amplios para preparar y servir una magnífica salsa!

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En 1993, dos escritores de la revista *Travel and Leisure* llegaron al pueblo y escribieron un artículo sobre el Café Santa Fé. El artículo incluso mencionaba el número telefónico del restaurante. Según Paula, "vinieron por 10 días. Rebecca Bruns (autora del artículo) realmente creó el fenómeno. El teléfono comenzó a sonar sin parar. Ese artículo cambió mucho las cosas. Realmente nos puso a nosotros y al pueblo de Todos Santos en el mapa." El pueblo comenzó a crecer rápidamente, al igual que la comunidad de extranjeros. Muchas celebridades llegaron a visitar este ahora famoso restaurante.

Ezio creía que la comida italiana era lo único que valía la pena comer y a menudo preparaba sus propios alimentos en la cocina del Café Santa Fé. Le encantaban las pastas y sus ingredientes favoritos eran el tomate y la albahaca. Siempre fue una gran presencia en el restaurante y cuando estaba allí, todos lo sabían.

Ezio no solo fue la principal influencia en el menú, sino también la principal influencia en la vida de muchas personas. Mark Spahr, fundador de Caffé Todos Santos y luego de Caffé El Triunfo, recuerda esos primeros años con mucho afecto. "Ezio era un genio culinario y legendariamente fanático de la simplicidad en la cocina. El Café Santa Fé estaba haciendo *farm-to-table* mucho antes que nadie." Uno de los platos favoritos de Mark en el menú eran los ravioles. "Un día vi al sous-chef del Café Santa Fé desenrollar la masa en una enorme lámina de pasta súper delgada y rectangular y colocar el relleno sobre la masa en rollos separados, luego pintar la masa con clara de huevo entre cada pequeño lugar de relleno para sellar cada raviol individualmente después de que el chef había expertamente colocado la mitad superior de la masa sobre la mitad inferior. Fue increíble cómo fabricó estas pequeñas joyas perfectas y lo hizo parecer tan fácil. Le debo mucho de mi éxito a Ezio. Sé que si nunca lo hubiese conocido y nunca hubiese comido en el Café Santa Fé, no tendría el éxito que tengo ahora. Qué honor fue conocerlo y poder decir que era mi amigo."

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El Cielo: The Baja Sky

by Roc Fleishman
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Welcome the February/March edition of *El Cielo*, highlighting the most interesting sights and movements of the heavenly objects above Baja California Sur. Keep this list close at hand and enjoy the sky.

There are lots of bright stars visible during the clear nights of winter. The most distinct constellation is Orion and its Great Nebula (look for the small fuzzy cloud in the sword), up all evening into the early morning. The Southern Cross (Crux) is obvious when you see it, visible due south, very low to the horizon for a few hours each clear night for the next few months. At the beginning of February, it is straight up at about 4 am. My favorite globular star cluster for binocular and telescope viewing, Omega Centauri, makes its appearance this time of year also. It follows behind Crux, 15° above and to its left and due south at 5 am on February 1. Due to fundamental Solar System mechanics, all the stars (and the far outer planets) advance about two hours each month, so if what you are looking for was straight up in the south at 4 am on February 15, on March 15 it will be straight up at 2 am and so on.

MOON/PLANET CALENDAR FEBRUARY

- 2 Saturn and the thin waning crescent moon will rise in the east together before the sun.
- 4 New moon, first chance to see it will be the evening of the 5th.

18 Venus is moving lower relative to Saturn each morning in the east, and they pass within a degree (or so).

26/27 Best chance to see Mercury in the sunset will be a super clear evening within a few days of these dates.

27 Moon and Jupiter rise together, getting within about two degrees.

MARCH

1 Saturn and the moon rise close together before the sun (Venus below) then get closer all morning until the moon actually passes in front of Saturn in the daylight. It might be possible to watch the ingress, but much easier to see the egress, but one would need a tracking telescope trained on and following Saturn.

2 Moon rises with Venus before the sun.

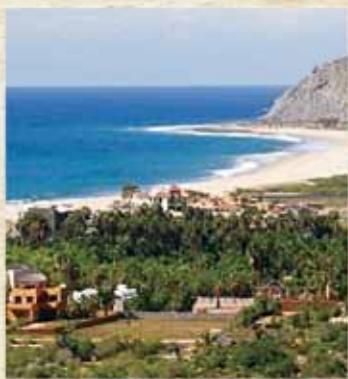
6 New moon with a decent chance to see it on the 7th.

20 Equinox at about 3 pm, when the sun's path crosses the equatorial plane.

26/27 Jupiter rises close to the moon in the southeast before the sun.

29 Saturn rises close to the moon in the east.

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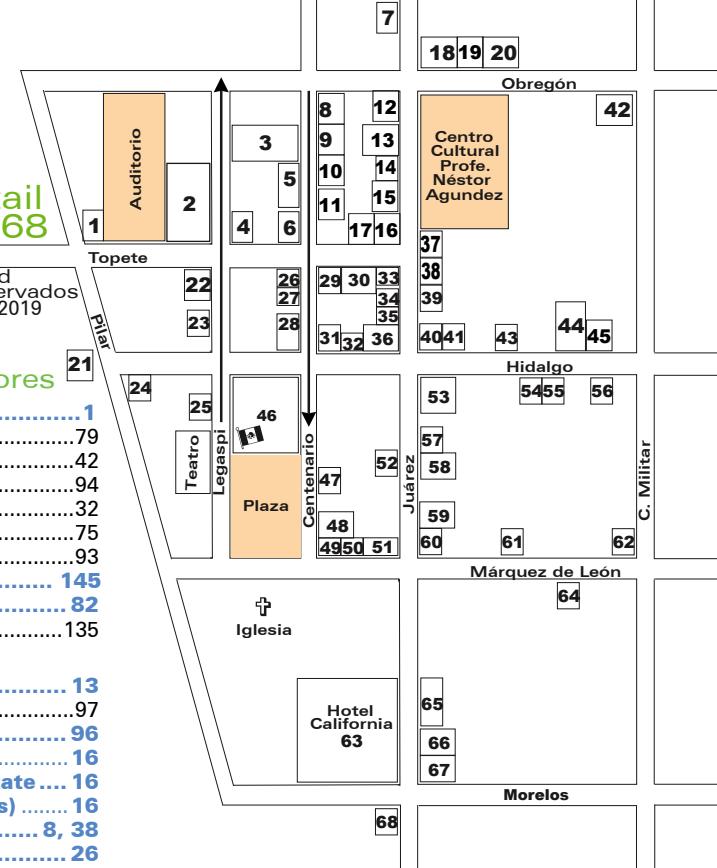
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Voces del Pueblo

by Janice Kinne

This Winter 2019 issue of **Journal del Pacifico** covers a wealth of regional history—silver mining in Baja California Sur and El Triunfo; Mark Spahr's move to Todos Santos and El Triunfo and his recovery; long-term Todos Santos resident Ezio Colombo, and he and his wife Paula Rafelson's restaurant **Café Santa Fé**; and one woman's mission to share the history of local ranches and their unique products.

Like many visitors, I have fond memories of my first trip to Todos Santos in 1993 and the delicious meals and welcoming hospitality of Paula and Ezio at **Café Santa Fé**.

Mark Spahr's first restaurant, Caffé Todos Santos, and current restaurant, **Caffé El Triunfo**, have been popular breakfast and lunch destinations for decades. Mark was one of nine people featured in the documentary, film called *The Age of Disconnection*, which will be shown at this year's Festival de Cine de Todos Santos y La Paz. You can read more about it in this issue's story by local artist Nanette Hayles.

Photographer **Kenny Viese** provided our cover shot and many beautiful photos of El Triunfo for Bryan Jáuregui of **Todos Santos Eco-Adventures'** fascinating tale of the *Ruta de Plata*.

Ángela "Yera" Cota's "**El Mercado Ranchero**" celebrates the handmade products and produce of Baja California ranches. Lisa Jackson's story shares Yera's dream of providing a unique market for *ranchero* wares like traditional pottery, handmade knives, furniture, and furnishing. **Mercado Ranchero** also has fresh chickens every Saturday, organic eggs, and ranch cheeses.

Shut Up Frank's, a different local institution, is open again, Wednesday through Monday, with seven TVs showing all

sports including UFC and boxing. Frank's 22nd annual St. Patrick's Day corned beef and cabbage feast is March 17, starting at 3 pm.

Besides selling the best in Baja wines, **Amor d'vino** has gourmet olive oil, chutneys, salsas and more. Their restaurant is also open Monday through Friday, 5 to 7 pm. Enjoy a glass, or bottle of Baja wine with your dinner!

Growing old in Baja is becoming a reality for many ex-pats. Now **Comfort Care & Assistance** is providing options for assisted living, hospice care, and information about death and dying in Mexico.

St. Jude's Pharmacy, next door to their clinic, has prescription medications and orthopedics. They speak English and are open late until 11 pm.

Last issue, we placed **Taller de Terreno** a bit too close to town on our *otro lado* map. They are located farther out on the road to Las Playitas and are having their grand opening event as part of the Todos Santos Artists Open Studio Tour.

Also participating in the Todos Santos Artists Open Studio Tour, **Cate Thomassen, shardArtist**, creates beautiful mosaics—hangings, tables, water features, lamps, and commissions—inspired by nature. She uses stained and vitreous glass, and polished and unpolished minerals.

Casa Las Tunas has comfortable units complete with kitchens on the *otro lado* of Todos Santos. They are available daily, weekly, or monthly.

Bleu, in the garden at Galería Ezra Katz, serves amazing Mediterranean breakfasts and lunch. They are also available for catering and special events.

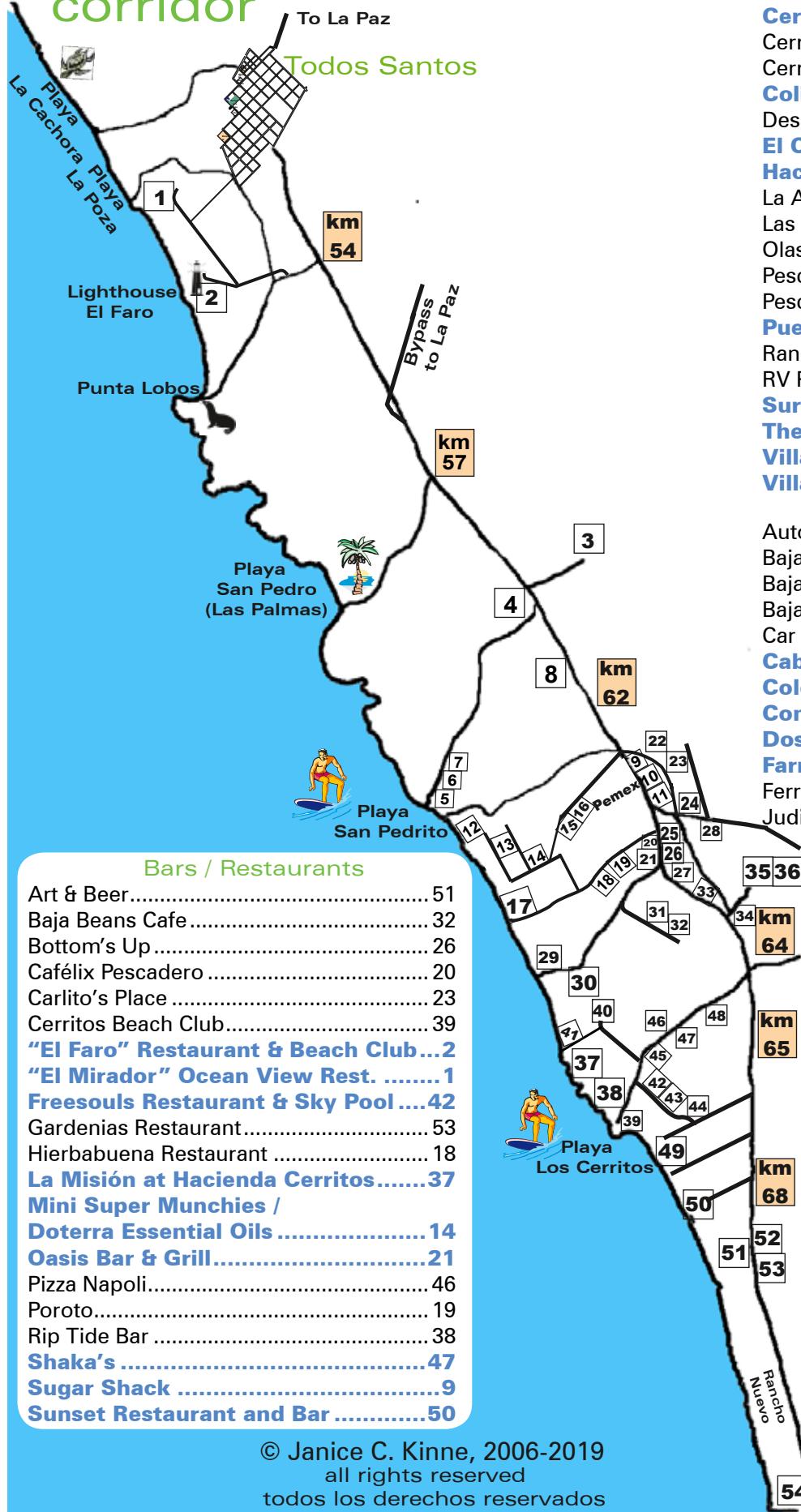
Pacifica Fish Market seafood restaurant now has a full bar and is open until 9 pm, Tuesday through Saturday.

Mail Boxes Todos Santos is now open! They provide mail boxes with a US address (up to four people) plus shipping of packages, vehicles, boats, and trailers—even entire households!

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Beaches / Playas

by Janice Kinne

Todos Santos lies inland along the rugged Pacific coast. There are miles of beautiful white sand beaches accessible down unmarked dirt roads.

This stretch of the Pacific Ocean is a very dangerous place to swim at any time of the year. Strong rip currents and backwash are common. People have drowned in waters near Todos Santos simply because they were too close to the ocean while on beaches with steep drop-offs. There are no lifeguards on duty at any area beaches.

You can access the **LA POZA** and **LA CACHORA** beaches via the La Cachora road. Both are suitable for walking, fishing, whale watching, relaxing, or sunbathing. They are not swimming beaches.

Because of the big waves breaking on the shore, La Cachora beach has become popular with skim boarders.

La Poza has a large freshwater lagoon that is great for bird watching. If you are going to swim in the lagoon be very careful. The lagoon may appear to be shallow, but has many sudden drop-offs and is actually very deep.

PUNTA LOBOS, named for a sea lion colony, is also known as the fishermen's beach. Simply follow calle Francisco Bojorquez Vidal (formerly calle Punta Lobos) south out of town, or turn off at km 54 from Highway 19. You will pass an old cannery from the days when fishermen could harvest sea turtles legally. There is a small freshwater lagoon at Punta Lobos with a shrine to the Virgin.

The fishermen ride their *panga* boats on the waves onto the beach between 1 and 3 pm. Their return is exciting to watch and you can usually buy fresh fish from the cooperatives.

The two fishing cooperatives have exclusive rights to the "launch zone" at Playa Punta Lobos. For reasons of safety and due to past problems, boat launching at Punta Lobos is not permitted without their express permission.

The only recommended swimming beaches are outside of Pescadero. **SAN PEDRO**, also known as **PALM BEACH** (*Playa Las Palmas*), is near km 57. Its entrance is across Highway 19 from the Campo Experimental—stay to the left as you pass the abandoned hacienda. Las Palmas is a beautiful, secluded beach surrounded by a palm grove with a freshwater lagoon that is home to a variety of plants, birds, and wildlife.

Due to strong currents (especially near the rocky point), swimming is safer 50 meters from the rocks. Swim with caution and always have a land reference. The property surrounding Palm Beach is privately owned. The gates are open from 6 am to 9 pm daily. Car break-ins have been reported at Palm Beach. Leave your valuables at home!

PLAYA SAN PEDRITO is a rocky surfing beach around km 60, about 4.6 miles (7.4 km) from Todos Santos.

PLAYA LOS CERRITOS is located at km 64 about BEACHES continued on page 42

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eight miles (12.8 km) south of Todos Santos. Look for the turnoff after the hill, south of Puentel El Pescadero. Los Cerritos is a popular spot for surfing, boogie boarding, swimming, and fishing. Swim with caution due to strong riptides near the rocks. It is recommended to stay at least 50 meters from the rocks. The most secure swimming area is in front of the restaurant/bar. Swim with caution and always have a land reference. There is a long stretch of beach to the south that is perfect for walking or running. Surfboard rentals and other services are available.

MARIO'S SURF SCHOOL provides surfing lessons, board rentals, repairs, and accessories. Call for information.

PESCADERO SURF CAMP, #36 on the Pescadero map, provides surfing lessons and surfaris.

TODOS SANTOS ECO ADVENTURES, #163 on the Todos Santos map. Since 2002 Todos Santos Eco Adventures (TOSEA) has been providing visitors with opportunities to explore, celebrate, and help conserve the magnificently diverse ecosystems of Baja. TOSEA offers whale and bird-watching trips in the Pacific lagoons; treks and *ranchero* culture programs in the Sierra la Laguna mountains; Sea Turtle Camp and surfing surfaris on the Pacific coast, and kayaking, "glamping," whale shark, and sea lion adventures in the Sea of Cortez.

TODOS SANTOS SURF SHOP, #86 on the Todos Santos map, sells and rents surf boards, offers beach supplies and activities around Todos Santos. They carry international brands like Vans, Rip Curl, Dakine, Exile, and Rainbow & Havaianas sandals. They also carry many locally handmade wares, clothes, bikinis, accessories, natural sunscreen, and the beloved "Eclipse" boards shaped by Meisy of Todos Santos. They offer tours to swim with whale sharks and sea lions, surfing lessons, fishing trips, trips to Espíritu Santo Island, and whale watching in Magdalena Bay.

Surf reports: check out Baja under Mexico at
<http://wetsand.com/surfreport/> or
<http://magicseaweed.com/Todos-Santos-mainland-Surf-Report/1201>

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storm. This time however, instead of riches being tossed upon the shore, the hurricane of 1918 washed them away, destroying much of the town and rushing arsenic from shattered mines downstream, devastating local livestock along the way. Twenty-five human deaths were recorded, and all ships in La Paz were reportedly damaged, sunk or run aground. The last mine in El Triunfo closed in 1926, and the town shrank back down to the sleepy little town of a few hundred folks that it is today.

Today Mexico is the largest producer of silver in the world, producing 5,600 metric tons in 2017. But no one in El Triunfo seems to be clamoring for a return to the old mining days. Turns out the quality of the silver in the area wasn't that great anyway. A 1906 US Consular report on display in the museum notes that the ore of the area "is not high grade and is very rebellious." But the high price of gold in the global market today has created persistent efforts from companies outside of BCS to establish open pit gold mining in the area once again. For its part, Museo Ruta de Plata makes it clear that although mining for minerals drove the settlement of the area, mining for knowledge is the long-term economic path forward for the region. Exhibits in the silver museum laud the extraordinary biodiversity and natural beauty of the area, alongside the scientific research and distinct ecotourism opportunities they represent. As with places like the Galapagos that have a similarly unique and biologically diverse environment, jobs based in sustainable tourism, conservation and research seem to be the hope for the resurgence of El Triunfo and the surrounding towns of BCS. Even the Jesuits would have been happy about that economic plan.

Sources for this article include: Harry W. Crosby, *Antigua California: Mission and Colony on the Peninsular Frontier, 1697-1768*; Juan Jose Cabuto of Museo Ruta de Plata; and the displays and websites of Museo Ruta de Plata. www.museorutadeplata.com.

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Mercado Ranchero

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a coconut, others delicate enough for a lady's garter belt. Yera explains, "These knives are only made in Las Animas, a community of maybe 50 families in the Sierra de la Giganta. The artisans acquired their skills over 150 years ago from an itinerant blacksmith from Rancho Tamales who taught them basic techniques. They still hand-forge the blades—made from recycled car springs—the same way, over a cow-dung fire. Each maker has his signature engraving style and the handles are made from horn and bone and polished PVC. Look at this incredible detail—each one is unique, and uniquely Baja."

Yera walks over to shelves stacked with unglazed pottery—platters, hearty *avena* mugs, casseroles, bean pots, water jugs, even a tea kettle, all in the signature reddish-brown, slightly lustrous clay that is found in southern Baja.

She picks up a rotund pot and turns it over to show the signature "Marcos." "Marcos Agúndez is a genius with clay. He finds it on his ranch in San Vicente de la Sierra and molds each piece by hand; he doesn't use a wheel. He works on his own timetable, spending sometimes half a day polishing each pot with an agate stone before firing it in a brick kiln fueled by dried *cardón* cactus. These traditional forms have been around for centuries—and they are incredible to cook in. This pot will take your beans to a whole new level!"

Yera wants to take the Mercado Ranchero to a whole new level and introduce people to the regional wonders of Baja cuisine. She's already built an authentic *ranchero* kitchen—replete with a palm roof and *palo de arco* siding—atop an old trailer bed and wheels it into town to share typical *ranchero* food like goat tacos and *birria*.

Her big plan is to bring it all together in a weekly Saturday market with food, produce, artesanía, and music from all over southern Baja. "Instead of a farmer's market, we'll have a *rancheros'* market with a huge array of products and every week we'll invite one producer—like the person who makes these artisanal knives—to come show us their technique."

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una fracción de su tarifa habitual, y aún así terminamos pagándoles en parte con chorizo y queso."

Abrió con 12 productores y ahora representa a 38, apoyando a más de 200 personas como la única tienda que es "100% de Baja California Sur." Los contenidos del mercado son de temporada y siempre cambian. "A veces casi no tenemos miel porque no hay nada de flor. Si está demasiado húmedo, nuestros alfareros no pueden encender sus hornos, por lo que podríamos pasar meses sin productos de arcilla-barro. Otras veces, todos están produciendo a la vez y tendremos un montón de huevos, cuchillos, y mecedoras, nunca se sabe!"

En esta mezcla única, ciertas cosas le destacan a Yera por ser las más emblemáticas de la cultura especial de Baja.

Una vitrina rústica muestra docenas de cuchillos, algunos con gavillas de cuero repujado: cuchillos grandes que podrían cortar un coco, otros lo suficientemente delicados como para el liguero de una dama. Yera explica, "Estos cuchillos solo se fabrican en Las Áimas, una ranchería de aproximadamente 50 familias en la Sierra de la Giganta. Los artesanos adquirieron sus habilidades hace más de 150 años de un herrero itinerante de Rancho Tamales que les enseñó técnicas básicas. Todavía forjan a mano los cuchillos, hechas de muelles reciclados de autos, de la misma manera, sobre un fuego hecho con de estiércol de vaca. Cada fabricante tiene su propio estilo de grabado y las empuñadoras están hechas de cuerno, hueso, y PVC pulido. Mire este increíble detalle: cada uno es único y singularmente de Baja California Sur."

Yera se acerca a los estantes llenos de vajilla sin esmalzar, bandejas, tazas grandes para avena, cacerolas, ollas de frijoles, jarras de agua e incluso un hervidor de té, todo en el característico barro rojizo, ligeramente lustroso que se encuentra en el sur de Baja California.



Ella toma una olla redonda y la volteá para mostrar la firma "Marcos." "Marcos Agúndez es un genio con arcilla. Lo encuentra en su rancho en San Vicente de la Sierra y moldea cada pieza a mano; él no usa una rueda. Trabaja en su propio horario, pasando a veces medio día puliendo cada maceta con una piedra de ágata antes de cocerla en un horno de ladrillos alimentado por cactus cardón seco. Estas formas tradicionales han existido durante siglos, y son increíbles para cocinar. ¡Esta olla llevará tus frijoles a un nivel completamente nuevo!"

Yera quiere llevar el Mercado Ranchero a un nivel completamente nuevo e introducir a las personas a las maravillas regionales de la cocina de la Baja. Ya ha construido una auténtica cocina de rancho—repleta de una techumbre de palmeras-palapa, y paredes de palo de arco—encima de un viejo remolque se lleva al pueblo la comida típica de Rancho para compartirla, como los tacos de chivo y birria.

Su gran plan es reunirlo todo en un mercado semanal los sábados con comida, productos, artesanales, y música de toda Baja California Sur. "En lugar de un mercado de granjeros, tendremos un mercado de rancheros con una gran variedad de productos y cada semana invitaremos a un productor, como la persona que fabrica estos cuchillos artesanales, para que nos muestre su técnica."

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La Paz Beaches

by Janice Kinne

photo by Kenny Viese

The *malecón* along the bay of La Paz is the perfect place to walk, run, people watch, or enjoy gazing across the water. Crews clean the beaches and walkways daily, fresh sand has been imported and there are *palapas* to offer shade. Locals and tourists visit the beaches north of downtown to swim, snorkel, or kayak. There are several adventure companies along the *malecón* and at the marinas offering *panga* rides, bay and island cruises, snorkeling, scuba diving, fishing, sailing, and kayak rentals.

EL MOGOTÉ is the spit of land that separates the harbor of La Paz from the *Bahía de La Paz*. This natural treasure used to be, for the most part, accessible only with 4WD. Now driving onto the peninsula is restricted due to the construction of golf courses, homes, and hotels.

PLAYA EL COROMUEL 4.5 km from downtown La Paz, is the first beach north of town and an easy walk from downtown. It is within the harbor boundaries, has shaded *palapas*, and food / beverage services. The water here gets much better flow with the tide change and is suitable for swimming. The bottom is clean sand and rock. Snorkeling is good further out.

PLAYA EL TESORO 13 km from downtown La Paz, is a great little beach for children. The shallow, clear waters allow you to walk out for close to 100 meters. Tesoro has about 25 shaded *palapas*, two small restaurants, and kayak rentals.

PICHILINGUE 19 km from downtown La Paz. Pichilingue is home to the La Paz ferry terminus and a large commercial harbor. There are pleasant, small beaches just north of the deep water port, on the *Vieja Bahía de Pichilingue*. Beachfront food, beverage service, and kayak rentals are available and there is a restaurant with an upstairs view. The *palapa* bar is popular in the hot summer afternoons.

PLAYA BALANDRA 23 km from downtown La Paz, is known for its famous balancing rock formation landmark that resembles a prehistoric mushroom. You can view the rock formation and *playa El Hongo* by walking in the water around the cliff to your right. The large beach and surrounding area are beautiful. The waters surrounding Balandra are shallow and safe for children. Sheltered from wave action from nearly every direction, the water warms early and is very safe for swimmers and kayaking. There are also several little beaches (coves) and mangroves to explore. The beach has no services, so pack your own lunches and drinks for the day. There are vendors renting chairs, selling fruit and drinks, beach *palapas* for shade, and BBQ pits to the south.

PLAYA EL TECOLOTE 26 km from downtown La Paz, is by far the largest and most visited beach in La Paz. Two restaurant/bars offer shade *palapas* and a large number of beach vendors offer refreshments. RV camping is available, along with a wide variety of water sports rentals. Usually there are no lifeguards on duty, but they may be present during *la semana santa* and in the summer. The beach has a beautiful view of Isla Espíritu Santo and *panga* rides to the island are available—a 6.5 km crossing through the San Lorenzo channel. Bus service from the station on the *malecón* to playa El Tecolote is available for a nominal charge.

Sting rays are the biggest hazard at the playas and tend to be present on the bottom in shallow waters during the summer. When walking in the water, shuffle your feet on the bottom to avoid stepping directly on a resting ray.

There are no restrictions for beach fishing at any beaches. Please respect our beaches and help protect the sea turtles; don't leave trash or drive on the dunes or beaches.

Ezio Colombo

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El restaurante continuó floreciendo al igual que Todos Santos. Muchos vieron lo que era posible a través de los logros de Paula y Ezio, y una nueva escena culinaria comenzó a cobrar vida. A medida que las cosas crecían y cambiaban, una cosa importante que nunca lo hizo fue el Café Santa Fé. Paula y Ezio establecieron sus vidas permanentemente en Todos Santos, regresando a Italia sólo por un breve descanso cada verano.

Cuando a Ezio le diagnosticaron cáncer de riñón, decidió regresar a La Spezia a recibir tratamiento. A pesar de que había tratamientos de clase mundial disponibles en otros lugares, él insistió en ser tratado en el hospital de su pequeña ciudad. Como dijo Paula, "Ezio era un hombre que quería ser recordado como alguien que siempre hacía las cosas a su manera." Ezio perdió su batalla contra el cáncer y falleció en el hospital de La Spezia en octubre de 2018.

En cuanto al futuro del Café Santa Fé, Paula está incierta. "Tengo empleados que cuidar y todavía estoy en shock. Solo vivo el día a día." Pero lo que sí sabe es que Todos Santos sigue siendo su hogar. "Ha sido mi hogar durante 30 años," dijo. "No sabría a dónde ir. Me quedaré aquí y lo resolveré. Superaré esto." En cuanto a cómo le gustaría a Paula que se recordara a Ezio, dijo con firmeza: "Quiero celebrarlo en todos los platillos."

Voces

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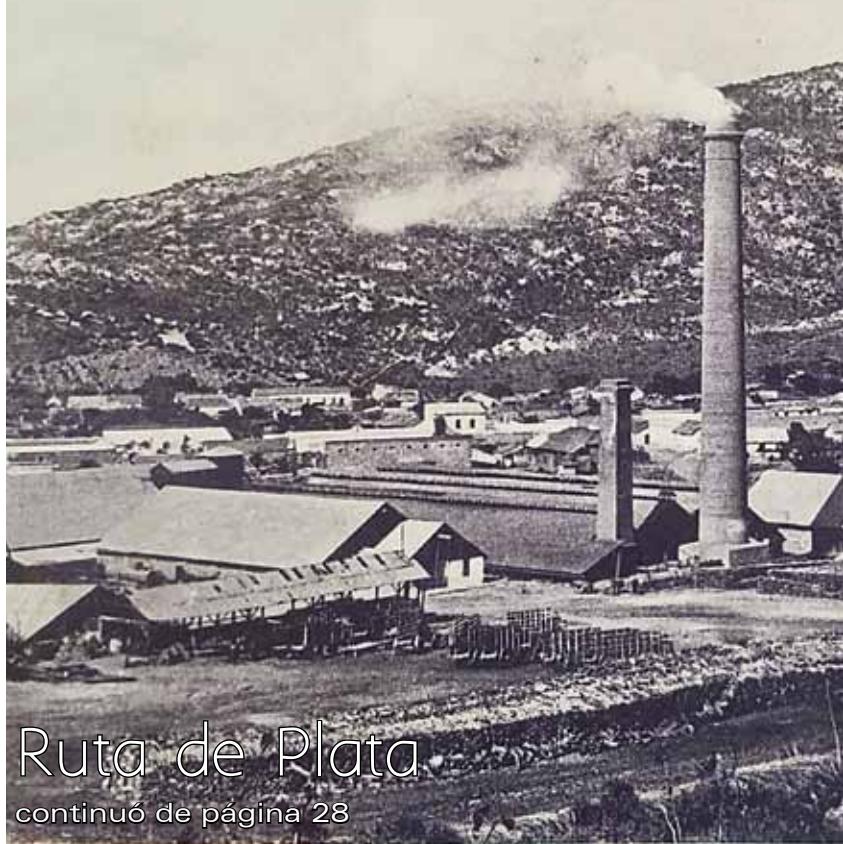
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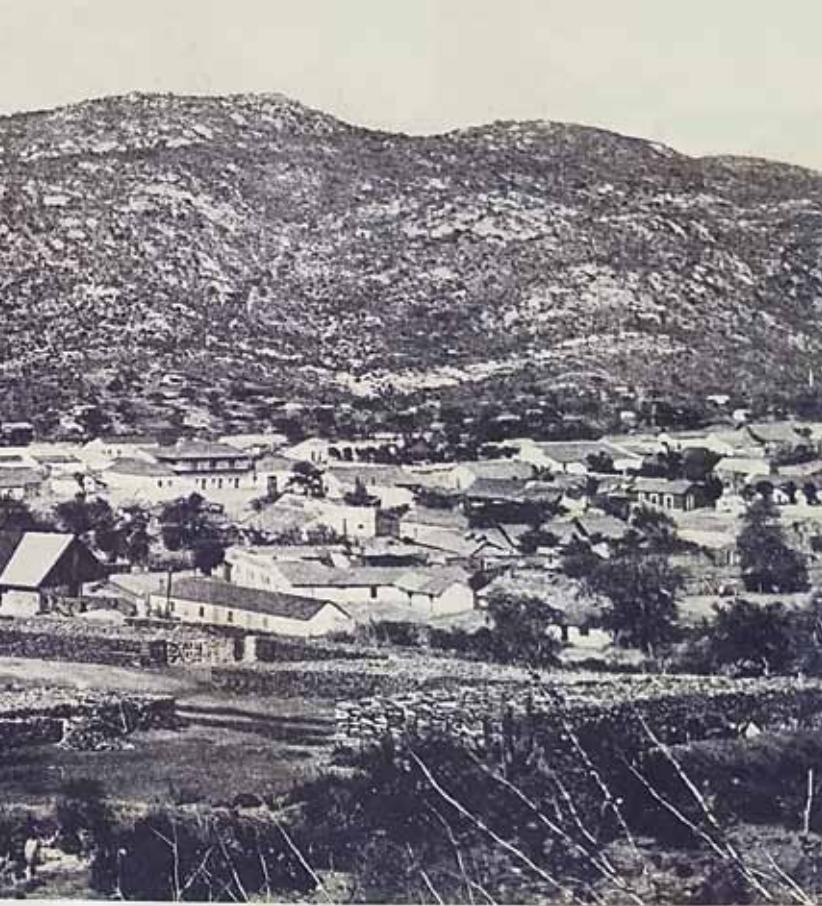


Ruta de Plata

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más grande de Christy Walton, heredera de una parte de la fortuna de Walmart, para fortalecer en la región de La Paz una "economía próspera y un sistema social comprometido que respeta y nutre a nuestro medio ambiente tan único." Sus compañías Innovaciones Alumbra con sede en Baja California incluyen: Rancho Cacachilas, una organización de gestión de tierras que se dedica al manejo de ganado, jardinería, producción de miel y queso, y actividades de ecoturismo; Earth Ocean Farms, una compañía de acuacultura en mar abierto; Sol Azul, que se dedica a la producción de ostras durante todo el año; y Tenaja Holdings, una empresa de desarrollo inmobiliario que administra el museo de la plata. La integración de todos estos proyectos se puede encontrar fácilmente en el complejo del museo que incluye el Restaurante-Bar El Minero, un maravilloso destino culinario construido sobre las ruinas de una antigua cantina, donde en un día cualquiera puede uno disfrutar de los quesos tradicionales del Rancho Cacachilas, ostras orgánicas de Sol Azul, y totoaba (críticamente en peligro de extinción) criada en las granjas de Earth Ocean Farms. El museo en sí fue construido en el sitio de edificios abandonados donde se cree que una vez albergó una curtiembre, justo al lado de ruinas de la industria minera y operaciones de molienda. De hecho, fue cuando Walton vio a algunos niños jugando en estas ruinas, que se inspiró para crear el museo como una forma de ayudar a revitalizar El Triunfo mediante la promoción de su patrimonio cultural, algo que quizás ya estaba perdiéndose en sus generaciones más jóvenes.

Manuel de Ocio comenzó un importante auge minero en el área y, desde 1862 a 1926, la red de operaciones mineras de oro y plata transformaron completamente el área, haciendo de El Triunfo y San Antonio las ciudades más ricas de Baja



California en el proceso. El Triunfo era un pueblo pequeño y apacible de 175 almas en 1857, pero para 1890, se había convertido en un centro vibrante de más de 4,000 personas que acudían a la zona para hacer fortuna. El dinero fluyó y los residentes invirtieron en la buena vida. Una gran cantidad de pianos fueron importados de Europa, y los conciertos de música clásica y las actuaciones artísticas fueron una característica regular en la vida cotidiana de la ciudad. Los gourmands importaron manzanas de San Francisco y las cantinas importaron cerveza estadounidense de St. Louis y Milwaukee. Incluso se rumoreaba que Gustav Eiffel, el de la torre de París, diseñó la chimenea aún en pie "La Ramona" en 1890 para la Compañía Minera El Progreso. Si bien el museo afirma que no hay evidencias de que Eiffel haya diseñado la torre, para los fanáticos de Eiffel se debe tener en cuenta que tampoco hay evidencia de que él no la haya hecho.

1890 fue un año importante para El Triunfo en otro frente también. Los Estados Unidos de Norteamérica promulgaron una ley federal llamada "Sherman Silver Purchase Act," que convirtió al gobierno de los Estados Unidos en el segundo mayor comprador de plata del mundo, solo por detrás de la Corona británica en la India. Bajo los términos de la ley, el gobierno debía comprar 4.5 millones de onzas adicionales de lingotes de plata cada mes, además de los 2 a 4 millones de dólares anteriormente requeridos. La minería de plata aumentó alrededor de El Triunfo. Pero la Ley de Compra de Plata de Sherman, concebida inicialmente como una forma de impulsar la economía y crear una inflación suficiente para permitir a los agricultores y mineros pagar las deudas que se habían vuelto insostenibles debido a la deflación, era insostenible. Contribuyó a una importante depresión económica en los EE.UU. y en 1893 fue derogada. Los RUTA DE PLATA continúa en página 63

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febrero

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2 de febrero | 1 a 6 pm, LA BAJA 100, gira de arte mensual. Primer sábado de cada mes, de noviembre a abril. Conozca la obra de artistas reconocidos y emergentes en un fin de semana divertido por el Centro Histórico de Todos Santos y el Otro Lado. Mayores informes: www.facebook.com/thebaja100art.

3 al 9 de febrero | RETIRO BAJA BLOOM: Alfarería, Yoga y Arte. Crea, relájate, renueva. Este retiro de 6 noches y 5 días incluye taller de alfarería de arcilla con Stephanie Friedman, clases de yoga inspiradoras con Emelie Eldridge, y diario de arte con Zoë Dearborn, en Casitas CalyCanto, al norte de Todos Santos. Disfrute de una hermosa piscina estilo playa, jacuzzi, y vista al mar. Se servirán deliciosas comidas. Las sesiones de masaje y reiki estarán disponibles por separado. El precio es de \$1375- \$1675 USD dependiendo de la elección de la habitación. La tarifa de taller y alimentos (sin hospedaje) para locales es de \$875 USD. (Depósito de \$500 USD para asegurar su lugar). Incluye todos los desayunos y almuerzos + 3 cenas. Visite www.bloompotterysf.com para registrarse o para más información.

8 de febrero | 6 a 8 pm, BRINDIS DE TEMPORADA es un evento especial para recaudar fondos para el programa de arte infantil de La Sociedad de La Palapa. Costo: \$150 pesos / \$10 USD, incluye: 2 copas de vino y quesos. Preventa en Librería El Tecolote a partir de enero y el día del evento en el Centro Educativo La Palapa, o en línea: bit.ly/TSOpenStudioTour, todossantosopenstudio.org

9 y 10 de febrero | 10 am a 4 pm, TOUR ABIERTO DE ESTUDIOS DE TODOS SANTOS. Costo: \$250 pesos / \$15 USD por pase de dos días, gratuito para estudiantes con identificación. Preventa en Librería El Tecolote a partir de enero;

El día del evento, venta de 9 am a 3 pm en Centro Educativo La Palapa; sábado en La Cocina de Cleo; y por internet en bit.ly/TSOpenStudioTour o TodosSantosOpenStudio.org

9 de febrero | 7 pm, TODOS SANTOS OPEN STUDIO presenta a Joseph Arthur, artista nominado al Grammy, música y pintura en vivo en **Todos Santos Brewing**. No se pierdan esta presentación especial, con la oportunidad de obtener una obra de este talentoso artista para su colección. Los boletos de entrada participarán en una rifa por crédito de mil pesos en Todos Santos Brewing. Los fondos recaudados por el evento serán destinados a los programas educativos de la Sociedad de La Palapa,

A.C. Costo: \$250 MN, preventa en **Todos Santos Brewing** o via internet en <http://bit.ly/JosephArthur>

9 y 10 de febrero | 10 am a 4 pm, GRAN FIESTA Y EXPOSICIÓN INAUGURAL, como parte del Tour Abierto de Estudios de Todos Santos, en **Taller de Terreno Arts + Wellness Center**, al norte de Todos Santos. Mayores informes: tallerdeTerreno.org/new-events/

13 de febrero | 10 am a 4 pm, TOUR DE ESTUDIOS DE ARTE de Los Barriles. Visite 15 diferentes estudios de artistas en la zona de Los Barriles. Boletos: \$100MX / \$5 USD. Recaudación a beneficio de los jóvenes de 19 escuelas

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Carlito's Place, **Do Mar Mier Ju Vi Sa 3 a 5 pm**, 2x1 en bebidas de la casa, bebidas nacionales y cervezas.

Cerritos Beach Inn, Lu Mar Mier Ju Vi 4 a 6 pm, Cerveza, vino y well drinks mitad de precio.

Chez Laura, Mar Mier Ju Vi Sa 4 a 5 pm, Tapas gratis con su vino o coctel.

Chill N Grill, Lu Mar Mier Ju Vi 4 a 6 pm, 2x1 cerveza y well drinks.

FreeSouls, Do Lu Mar Mier Ju Vi Sa 4 a 5 pm, Margaritas, mojitos, y cerveza especiales.

Gallo Azul, Lu Mar Mier Vi Sa 3 a 6 pm, 2x1 mojitos y margaritas.

Hotel Casa Tota, **Lu Mar Mier Ju Vi Sa 4 a 5 pm**, 2x1 cerveza y well drinks.

Hotel San Cristóbal, **Vi 5 a 9 pm**, Hora feliz junto a la alberca.

La Bohemia, **Do Lu Mar Mier Ju Vi Sa 4 a 5 pm**, 2x1 cerveza, especiales de tragos artesanales diariamente. ¡Pregunta por el pase para la alberca!

La Esquina **Lu Mar Mier Ju 5 a 6 pm**, 2x1 en alcohol.

La Morena **Lu Mar Mier Ju Vi Sa 4 a 6 pm**

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Rip Tide Bar **Do Lu Mar Mier Ju Vi Sa 3 a 6 pm**, 3 cervezas o margaritas por el precio de 2.

Sky Lounge en **Guaycura Boutique Hotel Do Lu Mar Mier Ju Vi Sa 2 a 4:30 pm**, 2 x 1 margaritas y cerveza con este anuncio.

Shaka's **Do Lu Mar Mier Ju Vi Sa 4 a 6 pm**, 2x1 cervezas y palomas Shakaritas de Jorge (tequila, limón y Squirt).

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domingo

9 am, **TIANGÜIS DE DOMINGO** en Baja Beans Café, el Pescadero.

9 am a 2 pm, **TIANGÜIS DE DOMINGO** en Jardín Alquimía, Todos Santos.

2 a 8 pm, **DOMINGO DE PAELLA** en el restaurante **El Mirador** con vista al mar.

6 pm, **SESIONES DOMINGUERAS** en **Todos Santos Brewing**. Música en vivo en el patio.

lunes

5 pm, **TLACUILOS CÍRCULO DE ESCRITURA** Todos Santos en Centro Cultural "Profe. Néstor Agúndez." Invitación abierta a compartir sus escritos. Sesiones bilingües. Mayores informes: facebook.com/tlacuilstodossantos. Eventos: facebook.com/events/189012501684966/

martes

8:30 am a 1 pm, **EL MERCADO ORGÁNICO DE LA PAZ** en calle Madero entre 5 de Mayo y Constitución, La Paz.

4 pm, **MARTES DE TACOS** en **Chill N Grill** en Todos Santos.

5 a 9 pm, **MARTES DE PALOMAZO** en el **MiniSuper Munchies**, el Pescadero.

6 pm, **CENA Y CINE** en **Cerritos Beach Inn**. Cena a las 6 pm, película a las 7 pm.

6:30 a 9:30 pm, **MÚSICA ACÚSTICA** con Tim Lang en Restaurant La Casita en Todos Santos.

8 pm, **NOCHE DE PELÍCULAS** en **Gallo Azul** en Todos Santos.

miércoles

9 am a 1 pm, **EL MERCADO AGRÍCOLA** en La Esquina, Todos Santos.

6 a 8:30 pm, **NOCHES DE INVIERNO MUSICALES** en **Todos Santos Brewing**, todos los miércoles.

jueves

8:30 am a 1 pm, **EL MERCADO ORGÁNICO DE LA PAZ** en calle Madero entre 5 de Mayo y Constitución, La Paz.

11 am a 1 pm, **NANCY JOYCE, ESPECIALISTA DE HIDRATACIÓN**, sesión de preguntas y respuestas en **Pura Vida**, Todos Santos, a partir del 1^{er} de noviembre.

3 a 6 pm, **3 X 2 PIZZAS** en **Gallo Azul** en Todos Santos.

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February 9-10 | 10 am – 4 pm | GRAND OPENING FIESTA + EXPOSICIÓN, as part of Todos Santos Artists' Open Studio Tour at **Taller de Terreno Arts + Wellness Center**, north of Todos Santos. For more information visit: <https://www.tallerdeterreño.org/new-events/>

February 13 | 10 am – 4 pm, ARTIST STUDIO TOUR OF LOS BARRILES. Tour 15 different artist studio's in the Los Barries area. Tickets are \$5 usd or 100 pesos. Proceeds benefit kids of 19 East Cape schools. For more information visit: <https://eastcapearts.com/artist-studio-tour>

February 13 | 6 pm, LIVE MUSIC with "Chello Dachance" at La Esquina on the otro lado of Todos Santos, no cover.

February 15 | 6 pm, TODOS SANTOS SPEAKER SERIES at Mi Pueblito Restaurant in Todos Santos. "The Tango War—The Struggle for the Hearts, Minds and Riches of Latin America during World War II" with Jo Ann McConahay, historian and author. The Tango War shows in a new way how WWII was truly a global war. Beginning in the thirties, both the Allies and the Axis were aware of the need to control not just the hearts and minds but also the resources of Latin America. The fight was often dirty: residents were captured to exchange for U.S. prisoners of war and rival spy networks shadowed each other across the continent. At all times it was a Tango War, in which each side closely shadowed the other's steps. Tickets \$200 pesos; seating is limited. Advance tickets available at **El Tecolote Bookstore** in Todos Santos.

February 17 | 4 pm, OPEN READING & STORYTELLING at Rumi Garden in Todos Santos. Up to 10 minutes of original writing. Contact: Zoe@cultivatecreativity.net

February 22 | 5 pm, MOONRISE AND SUNSET LIVE JAZZ at **El Mirador Oceanview Restaurant** in Todos Santos. Email: reservation@guaycura.com, Tel. (612) 175-0800.

February 22 | OSCAR NIGHT at **Gallo Azul** in Todos Santos, including Oscar Bingo! For more information: (612) 158-8457 www.galloazulpizzabar.com

February 28-March 5 | CARNAVAL LA PAZ

March

March 2 | 1 - 6 pm, THE BAJA 100 MONTHLY ART WALK/DRIVE. View works by established and emerging local artists in a fun weekend event in downtown Todos Santos and on *el otro lado*. For more information visit: www.facebook.com/thebaja100art. Takes place the first Saturday of every month, November - April.

March 14 | 7 – 10 pm, HAPPY DAYS, a Benefit for the Biblioteca

Elena Poniatowska bilingual community Library, at **Gallo Azul** restaurant in Todos Santos. Come dance to the music of the 50s and 60s at a benefit hosted by Library Director Donna Schultz.

March 17 | 3 pm until the food is gone, LUCKY 22ND ANNUAL ST. PATY'S DAY at **Shut Up Frank's**. Serving Frank's famous homemade, one-month-cured, corned beef and cabbage dinner with potatoes, carrots, hot mustard and special horseradish sauce.

March 17 | 4 pm, OPEN READING & STORYTELLING at Rumi Garden in Todos Santos. Up to 10 minutes of original writing. Contact: Zoe@cultivatecreativity.net

March 21-24 | 16TH FESTIVAL DE CINE DE TODOS SANTOS Y LA PAZ. Films shown in Todos Santos and La Paz. For information: Facebook @FestivalCineTodosSantos

March 22 | 5 pm, MOONRISE AND SUNSET LIVE JAZZ at **El Mirador Oceanview Restaurant** in Todos Santos. Email reservation@guaycura.com, Tel. (612) 175 0800.

April

April 6 | 1 – 6 pm, THE BAJA 100 MONTHLY ART WALK/DRIVE. View works by established and emerging local artists in a fun weekend event in downtown Todos Santos and on *el otro lado*. For more information visit: www.facebook.com/thebaja100art. Takes place the first Saturday of every month, November - April.

April 6 | 6 – 10 pm, NIGHT RUN LA PAZ HALF MARATHON (21k, 10k, 5k) For more information: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1598211930225390/>. Tickets at: <http://new.marcate.com.mx/>

April 19 | 5 pm, MOONRISE AND SUNSET LIVE JAZZ at **El Mirador Oceanview Restaurant** in Todos Santos. Email: reservation@guaycura.com, Tel. (612) 175 0800.

April 21 | 4 pm, OPEN READING & STORYTELLING at Rumi Garden in Todos Santos. Up to 10 minutes of original writing. Contact: Zoe@cultivatecreativity.net

April 22-29 | SPANISH IMMERSION TRIP to Guanajuato & San Miguel with **Hablando Mexicano**. Practice Spanish, shop, dine on authentic Mexican food, learn Mexican culture, dance and more. For more information visit: www.hablandomexicano.com or call (612) 145-1167

May

May 16-18 | GASTROVINO BAJA FOOD & WINE FESTIVAL in Todos Santos. For more information visit: Facebook: GastroVino Baja Food & Wine Festival

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thursday cont.

2X1 ON ALL APPETIZERS at **Chez Laura** in Todos Santos.

3 – 6 pm, **PIZZA 3 X 2** at **Gallo Azul** in Todos Santos.

4 - 5:30 pm, **DOTERRA ESSENTIAL OILS WORKSHOPS** at **Mini Super Munchies** in Pescadero. Check their Facebook page: **Baja Essential Oils** for details and weekly updates.

4 pm, **PIZZA NIGHT** at **Chill N Grill** in Todos Santos.

5 – 9 pm, **ARTWALK** in the San José del Cabo Gallery District. Takes place November through June.

6 pm, **LIVE MUSIC** at La Esquina on the *otro lado* of Todos Santos.

6 – 8 pm, **LADIES' NIGHT** at **Freesouls** at Cerritos Beach. Ladies drink for free.

friday

11 am – 4 pm, **FRIDAY STUDIO VISITS** with **Anne Hebebrand** and Gloria Santoyo Ruenitz. See the artists at work every Friday, January 4 - March 22, 2019. Drop in for a little art talk, a cup of mint tea, look at current work, talk about inspiration or pick up a gift of art. Artwork for sale. For more information visit www.annehebebrand.com and www.gloriasantoyoruenitz.com

6 pm, **FRIDAY NIGHT TRIVIA** at Todos Santos Brewing.

saturday

8:30 am – 1 pm, **LA PAZ FARMER'S MARKET** on calle Madero between 5 de Mayo and Constitución, La Paz.

9 am – 1 pm, **MALECÓN TIANGUIS NATURAL (MARKET)** at the Callejon Cabezud in La Paz—the area between Esquerro street and the *malecón* at the location of the Wyland mural and the seashell musician statue.

9 am – 3 pm, **SAN JOSÉ DEL CABO ORGANIC MARKET** (Mercado Orgánico) just outside the San José historic district in Huerta María on the Camino a Las Animas. Look for the signs at the big arroyo off Avenida Centenario. Takes place November through the end of June.

2 pm, **THE BREWER TALKS** at Todos Santos Brewing. Full taps wall tasting session and brewery tour.

6 pm, **ALL YOU CAN EAT PRIME RIB** at the **Sunset restaurant & bar** at **Cerritos Beach Inn** in Pescadero. \$450 pesos.

7 pm, **SALSA LESSONS** by Adrian Meza at Hotel San Cristóbal in Todos Santos. Free to guests, 150 pesos for locals. Pool passes 1000 pesos before or after class. Email: info@sancristobalbaja.com

8 pm, **SALSA NIGHT** at **Gallo Azul** in Todos Santos. Includes classes with Adrian Meza, salsa, bachata and cumbia. Takes place every other Saturday; for dates and information visit: www.galloazulpizzabar.com

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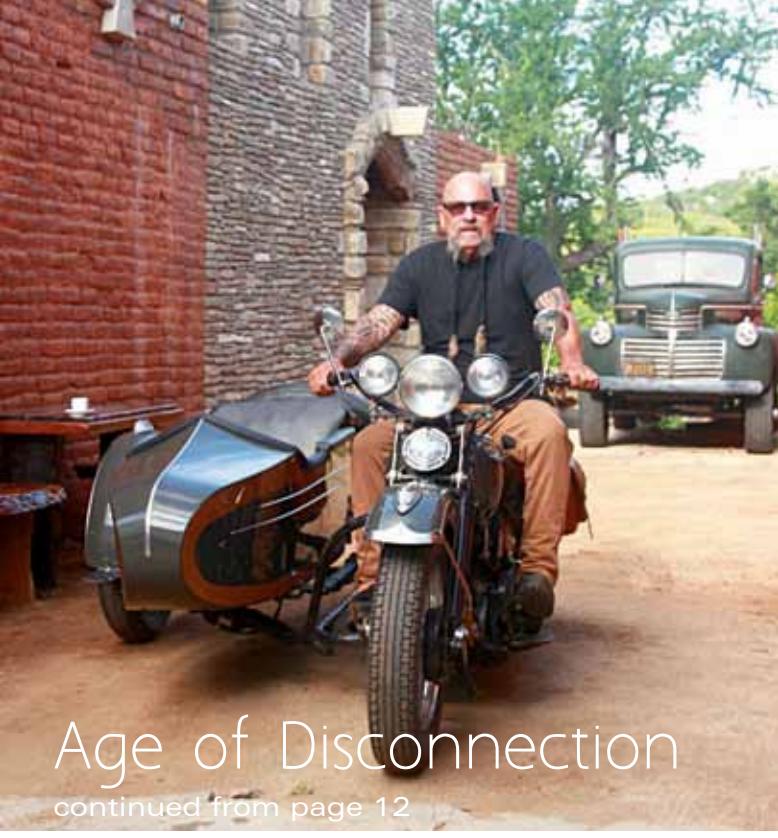
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Age of Disconnection

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rides a horse in fields of grass, or wind on your face as you travel down a desert road on a motorcycle. Peace being gradually established within; the inner voice is no longer drowned out by the sounds of desperation and despair. It is at this humbling time of reuniting and reintegration back into life that makes people, like Marcus, our real modern heroes. They went to hell and back and lived and thrived to tell the stories that will inspire. It is in the crossroad moment when they announce to themselves that enough is enough. Their respective journeys within lead them back to self, the point of origin, *the space and place of true self-empowerment*. Their journeys of courage included their significant statement of affirmation to their rightful claim of relationship and connection to nature and its wondrous grace and ability to help heal.

Marcus Spahr, a longtime resident of the Todos Santos then El Triunfo community, did this; he is our local hero that reconnected and is our cherished example. Marcus lived in the *hell* of a twenty-year drug addiction; he survived, and he triumphed. His personal story of a childhood riddled with fear and abuse drove him into a reckless and, at times, a brutal life. His crossroad moment came, and he seized it, and went into rehabilitation. After he completed his *12 Steps* program, Marcus got on the road and headed down the Baja peninsula in his '46 GMC pickup. Clean, sober, cocky (at times) and a bit wiser, he began his dreamed

renaissance life.

With the sun on his face, air in his lungs, strength in his hands, the new self he had claimed and with the help of God, created two successful restaurants in Baja California Sur. The first was the Caffé Todos Santos, in existence for 16 years, which he later sold to Magda and Angelo who continue the tradition in their own personal style of excellence.

Marcus then packed his bags, left his beautiful Todos Santos farm, and moved to the then almost abandoned small town of El Triunfo. He started over again from scratch by purchasing a run-down, two-story historical building, where he created another quaint and cozy bakery, Caffé El Triunfo. This year, Marcus will be celebrating his tenth year in El Triunfo.

Marcus's success is not only in his restaurants, but also that he is a loving, responsible father of three, and a loving supportive husband to his second wife, Lupita Castañeda (who holds three master's degrees in the field of psychology). In addition to his skill in the kitchen (his incredible baked goods leave the tummy satisfied and the palate not wanting for anything more), Marcus's hidden talent is his ability to tell stories. His tales of woes, wonders, and wisdom—seasoned with humor—will leave you wanting to hear "just one more." His stories are better than most novels. I hope one day he will write a book and fill it with photos and recipes.

Our world needs stories of triumph of individuals who against all odds found a path. In the film *The Age of Disconnection*, these individuals stopped looking for answers and relief outside themselves and dared to turn and look within. Somehow in that moment at the crossroad, within they found the ultimate place where all answers and strength reside... where love and peace truly exist and lives. Thank God for Marcus, the others depicted in *The Age of Disconnection*, and others just like them, creating a path that truly cures that offers hope and insight. Their very lives became and are, their affirmation. Each journey is a testament that we all can overcome our frailties and with newfound abilities we reconnect and find our self.

The Age of Disconnection is a 2018 documentary by Cristóbal González Camarena, Mexico, <https://www.filmmelier.com/en/ww/film/3321/the-age-of-disconnection>

The Age of Disconnection will be shown at the 16th Festival de Cine Todos Santos y La Paz, which takes place March 21 – 24.

Caffé El Triunfo is located in El Triunfo, BCS. They are open 7 days a week, 9 am to 5 pm.



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historia personal de una infancia plagada de miedo y abuso lo llevó a una vida imprudente y, a veces, brutal. Su encrucijada llegó, y entró en rehabilitación. Después de completar su programa de 12 pasos, Marcus se puso en camino y se dirigió a la península de Baja en su camioneta 46 'GMC'. Limpio, sobrio, engreído (a veces), y un poco más sabio, comenzó su vida renacentista soñada.

Con el sol en la cara, aire en los pulmones, fuerza en las manos, su nuevo yo, y la ayuda de Dios, creó dos restaurantes exitosos en Baja California Sur. El primero fue el Caffé Todos Santos, con 16 años de existencia, que luego vendió a Magda y Angelo, quienes continúan la tradición con su propio estilo personal de excelencia.

Marcus luego empacó sus maletas, dejó atrás su hermosa huerta de Todos Santos, y se mudó al pequeño pueblo de El Triunfo, entonces casi abandonada. Comenzó de nuevo desde cero comprando un edificio histórico de dos pisos en decadencia, donde creó otra pintoresca y acogedora panadería, Caffé El Triunfo. Este año, Marcus celebrará su décimo año en El Triunfo.

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El éxito de Marcus no es solo en sus restaurantes, sino también en que es un padre amoroso y responsable de tres hijos, y un esposo cariñoso y solidario con su segunda esposa, Lupita Castañeda (quien posee tres maestrías en el campo de la psicología). Además de su habilidad en la cocina (sus increíbles productos de panadería dejan el estómago satisfecho y el paladar no quiere nada más), el talento oculto de Marcus es su capacidad para

contar historias. Sus historias de desgracias, maravillas y sabiduría, sazonadas con humor, te dejarán con ganas de escuchar "una más." Sus historias son mejores que la mayoría de las novelas. Espero que algún día él escriba un libro y lo llene con fotos y recetas.

Nuestro mundo necesita historias de triunfo de individuos que, a pesar de todo, encontraron un camino. En la película *La Era de la Desconexión*, estos individuos dejaron de buscar respuestas y alivio fuera de sí mismos y se atrevieron a voltear y buscar dentro de si mismos. De alguna manera, en ese momento de la encrucijada, encontraron el lugar definitivo donde residen todas las respuestas y la fuerza... donde el amor y la paz realmente existen y viven. Gracias a Dios por Marcus, los otros representados en *La Era de la Desconexión* y otros como ellos, que crean un camino que realmente cura y ofrece esperanza y perspicacia. Sus propias vidas se hicieron y son, su afirmación. Cada viaje es un testimonio de que todos podemos superar nuestras debilidades y con nuevas habilidades nos reconectamos y encontramos nuestro ser.

The Age of Disconnection (La Era de la Desconexión) es un documental de 2018 de Cristóbal González Camarena, México, <https://www.filmmelier.com/en/ww/film/3321/the-age-of-disconnection>

La Era de la Desconexión será proyectada el 16º Festival de Cine de Todos Santos y La Paz, el cual tendrá lugar del 21 al 24 de marzo del presente año.

Caffé El Triunfo está ubicado en El Triunfo, BCS. Está abierto los siete días de la semana, de 9:00 a 17:00.

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1. NO PLASTIC STRAWS



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5. ASK

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6. PATRONIZE

RESTAURANTS AND HOTELS THAT HAVE ELIMINATED PLASTIC STRAWS, PLASTIC BAGS, STYROFOAM CONTAINERS AND PLASTIC BOTTLES FROM THEIR OPERATIONS AND PURCHASE CHAINS. ENCOURAGE THEM TO COMPOST AND RECYCLE.

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7. INVITE YOUR FRIENDS TO DO THE SAME!



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Eventos

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en la zona. Mayores informes en: <https://eastcapearts.com/artist-studio-tour>

13 de febrero | 6 pm, **MÚSICA EN VIVO** con "Chello Dachance" en La Esquina, Topete y Horizonte, Todos Santos. No cover.

15 de febrero | 6 pm, **SERIE ORADORES DE TODOS SANTOS** en Restaurante Mi Pueblito. "La guerra del tango: la lucha por los corazones, las mentes y las riquezas de América Latina durante la Segunda Guerra Mundial," con Jo Ann McConahay, historiadora y autora. La Guerra del Tango demuestra cómo la Segunda Guerra Mundial fue verdaderamente global. A partir de los años treinta, tanto los Aliados como los poderes del Eje estaban conscientes de la necesidad de controlar no sólo los corazones y las mentes, sino también los recursos de América Latina. La guerra a menudo fue sucia: Los prisioneros de guerra y las redes de espías rivales se observaban en todo el continente. En todo momento fue una guerra del tango, en la que cada lado seguía de cerca los pasos del otro. Boletos: \$200 pesos; cupo limitado. Preventa en Librería El Tecolote, Todos Santos.

22 de febrero | 5 pm, **JAZZ EN VIVO DE ATARDECER Y LUNA** en El Mirador Oceanview Restaurant en Todos Santos. correo: reservation@guaycura.com, Tel. (612) 175 0800.

22 de febrero | **NOCHE DE ÓSCARES** en Gallo Azul, Todos Santos, incluyendo Lotería de Óscares! Mayores informes: (612) 158-8457, www.galloazulpizzabar.com

28 de febrero al 5 de marzo | CARNAVAL DE LA PAZ.

marzo

2 de marzo | 1 a 6 pm, **LA BAJA 100**, gira de arte mensual. Primer sábado de cada mes, de noviembre a abril. Conozca la obra de artistas reconocidos y emergentes en un fin de semana divertido por el Centro Histórico de Todos Santos y el Otro Lado. Mayores informes: www.facebook.com/thebaja100art.

14 de marzo | 7 a 10 pm, "**HAPPY DAYS**," evento a beneficio de la Biblioteca Elena Poniatowska en Restaurante **Gallo Azul** en Todos

Santos. Ven a bailar a ritmo de los cincuentas y sesentas con su anfitriona Donna Shultz en apoyo de nuestra biblioteca comunitaria bilingüe.

17 de marzo | 3 pm hasta acabar, **22º FESTEJO ANUAL DE SAN PATRICIO** en **Shut Up Frank's**. Frank servirá su famosa cena irlandesa de carne en conserva y repollo, acompañados de papas, zanahoria, mostaza picante y salsa especial de rábano picante.

17 de marzo | 4 pm, **LECTURA ABIERTA Y CUENTACUENTOS** en Rumi Garden, Todos Santos. Lleve su literatura original de hasta 10 minutos de duración. Contacto: Zoe@cultivatecreativity.net

21 al 24 de marzo | 16º FESTIVAL DE CINE TODOS SANTOS Y LA PAZ. Proyección de filmes en todos Santos y La Paz. Mayores informes: Facebook [@FestivalCineTodosSantos](#)

22 de marzo | 5 pm, **JAZZ EN VIVO DE ATARDECER Y LUNA** en El Mirador Oceanview Restaurant en Todos Santos. correo: reservation@guaycura.com, Tel. (612) 175 0800.

abril

6 de abril | 1 a 6 pm, **LA BAJA 100**, gira de arte mensual. Primer sábado de cada mes, de noviembre a abril. Conozca la obra de artistas reconocidos y emergentes en un fin de semana divertido por el Centro Histórico de Todos Santos y el Otro Lado. Mayores informes: www.facebook.com/thebaja100art.

6 de abril | 6 a 10 pm, **NIGHT RUN LA PAZ HALF MARATHON** (21k, 10k, 5k) Mayores informes: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1598211930225390/>. Boletos: <http://new.marcate.com.mx/>

19 de abril | 5 pm, **JAZZ EN VIVO DE ATARDECER Y LUNA** en El Mirador Oceanview Restaurant en Todos Santos. correo: reservation@guaycura.com, Tel. (612) 175 0800.

22 al 29 de abril | VIAJE DE INMERSIÓN AL ESPAÑOL en Guanajuato y San Miguel de Allende con **Hablando Mexicano**. Practique el español, visite tiendas y restaurantes de auténtica cocina mexicana, conozca la cultura a través de las artes, la danza y más. Mayores informes: hablandomexicano.com o al (612) 145-1167.

mayo

16 al 18 de mayo | Festival de Vino y Gastronomía Gastrovino Baja en Todos Santos. Mayores informes: www.facebook.com/FestivalGastroVino

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jueves cont.

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4 a 5:30 pm, **TALLER DE ACEITES ESENCIALES DOTERRA** en Mini Super Munchies en Pescadero. Para más información y actualizaciones semanales, busca su página de Facebook: **Baja Essential Oils**.

4 pm, **NOCHE DE PIZZA** en Chill N Grill en Todos Santos.

5 a 9 pm, **CAMINATA DEL ARTE** en San José del Cabo, en el distrito de las galerías. Todas las galerías que participan estarán abiertas hasta las 9 pm y muchas tienen recepciones y eventos especiales. Noviembre hasta el fin de Junio.

6 pm, **MÚSICA EN VIVO** en La Esquina, Topete y Horizonte, Todos Santos.

6 a 8 pm, **LADIES' NIGHT** en Freesouls en Cerritos Beach.
viernes

11 am a 4 pm, **VIERNES DE VISITA AL ESTUDIO** con Anne Hebebrand y Gloria Santoyo Ruenitz. Visite a las artistas trabajando todos los viernes, del 4 de enero al 22 de marzo, 2019. Disfrute de charlas, un poco de té, conozca la obra reciente, hable sobre la inspiración, o adquiera una pieza de arte, que estará a la venta. Para mayores informes visite www.annehebebrand.com y www.gloriasantoyoruenitz.com.

6 pm, **VIERNES DE TRIVIA** en Todos Santos Brewing.

sábado

8:30 am a 1 pm, **EL MERCADO ORGÁNICO DE LA PAZ** en calle Madero entre 5 de Mayo y Constitución, La Paz.

9 am a 3 pm, **EL MERCADO ORGÁNICO** en San José del Cabo está ligeramente afuera del distrito de arte histórico en la Huerta María en el Camino a las Ánimas. Noviembre hasta el fin de Junio.

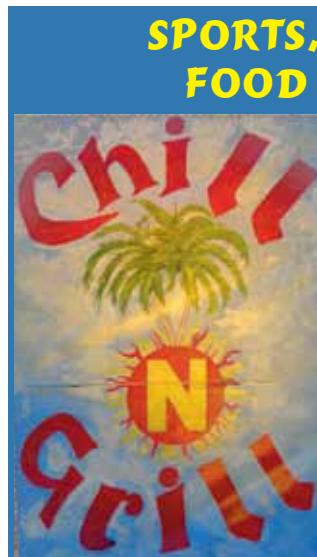
9 am a 1 pm, **TIANGUIS NATURAL MALECÓN** (Mercado) en el Callejon Cabezud es en La Paz—el área entre calle Esquerro y el Malecón ubicado en el mural Wyland y la escultura del músico tocando el caracol.

2 pm, **CHARLAS CERVECERAS** en Todos Santos Brewing. Cata de cervezas, visita guiada a la cervecería y más de 20 variedades de cerveza locales.

6 pm, **CENA DE PRIME RIB** en Sunset Restaurant & Bar en **Cerritos Beach Inn**, el Pescadero. Todo lo que pueda comer por \$450 pesos.

7 pm, **CLASES DE SALSA** con Adrián Meza en el Hotel San Cristóbal, Todos Santos. Gratis para huéspedes, 150 pesos para locales. Pase de alberca (1,000 pesos) antes o después de la clase. Correo: info@sancristobalbaja.com

8 pm, **NOCHE DE SALSA** en Gallo Azul, Todos Santos. Incluye clase con Adrián Meza; salsa, bachata y cumbia.



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the business were quite a challenge—from training an entire staff to a new way of cooking and serving food, to having to drive to La Paz early every morning to find fresh ingredients. Everything had to be done simply and done well.

In 1993, two writers from *Travel and Leisure* came through town and wrote an article about the Café Santa Fé. The article even included the phone number of the restaurant. According to Paula, "they came for 10 days. Rebecca Bruns (author of the article) really created the buzz. The phone started ringing off the hook. That article changed things a lot. It really put us and the town of Todos Santos on the map." The town began to grow quickly as did the expatriate community. Many celebrities made their way up to visit this now famous restaurant.

Ezio believed that Italian food was the only thing worth eating and would often come into the kitchen at Café Santa Fé to prepare his own meals. He loved pasta and his favorite ingredients were tomato and basil. He was always a very big presence in the restaurant and when he was there, everyone knew it.

Ezio was not only the main influence on the menu but was also the main influence in many people's lives. Mark Spahr, founder of Caffé Todos Santos and later Caffé El Triunfo, remembers those early days very fondly. "Ezio was a culinary genius and legendarily fanatical about simplicity in the kitchen. The Café Santa Fé was doing farm-to-table long before anyone." One of Mark's favorite dishes on the menu were the raviolis. "I watched the sous chef at Café Santa Fé one day rolling out the dough in a huge rectangular, super thin pasta sheet and piping the filling onto the dough in spaced rolls, then painting the dough with egg white between each little spot of filling to seal each ravioli individually after the chef expertly placed the top half of the dough and lowered it onto the lower half. It was amazing how he made these perfect little jewels and made it look so easy. I owe so much of my success to Ezio. I know that if I had never met him and had never eaten at the Café Santa Fé that I would not be as successful as I've become. What an honor it was to know him and to be able to say he was my friend."

The restaurant continued to flourish as did the town of Todos Santos. Many people saw what was possible through the accomplishments of Paula and Ezio, and a new culinary scene started to come to life. As things grew and changed the one major thing that never did was the Café Santa Fé. Paula and Ezio established their lives firmly in Todos Santos returning to Italy only for a short break each summer.

When Ezio was diagnosed with kidney cancer he decided to return to his home town of La Spezia for treatment. Even though there were world class treatments available elsewhere he insisted on being treated in his small-town EZIO COLOMBO continued on page 66

Ruta de Plata

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Estados Unidos se movieron al patrón oro y el precio de la plata se desplomó.

Fue el principio del fin para los pueblos mineros de BCS. Las minas estaban batallando y la Revolución Mexicana de 1910-1917 exacerbó sus desafíos. En última instancia, el auge de la plata terminó como comenzó, con una tormenta monumental. Esta vez, sin embargo, en lugar de arrojar riquezas a la costa, el huracán de 1918 las arrasó, destruyendo gran parte de la ciudad y lanzando arsénico de las minas destrozadas río abajo, devastando el ganado local en el camino. Se registraron 25 muertes humanas, y todos los barcos en La Paz fueron reportados dañados, hundidos, o encallados. La última mina en El Triunfo se cerró en 1926, y la ciudad se redujo a la pequeña y tranquila ciudad de unos pocos cientos de personas que es hoy.

Hoy en día, México es el mayor productor de plata del mundo. En el 2017 produjo 5,600 toneladas métricas. Pero nadie en El Triunfo parece estar reclamando un retorno a los viejos tiempos de la minería. Resulta que la calidad de la plata en el área no era tan buena de todos modos. Un informe consular de los Estados Unidos de 1906 en exhibición en el museo señala que el mineral de la zona "no es de alto grado y es muy rebelde." Pero el alto precio del oro en el mercado global actual ha generado persistentes

esfuerzos de compañías foráneas al Estado para establecer la minería de oro a cielo abierto en la zona una vez más. Por su parte, el Museo Ruta de Plata deja claro que si bien la extracción de minerales impulsó el asentamiento del área, la extracción de conocimiento es el camino económico más propicio a largo plazo para la región. Las exhibiciones en el Museo Ruta de Plata elogian la extraordinaria biodiversidad y la belleza natural de la zona, junto con la investigación científica, y las distintas oportunidades de ecoturismo que representan. Al igual que en lugares como las islas Galápagos que tienen un entorno similarmente único y biológicamente diverso, los empleos basados en el turismo sustentable, la conservación, y la investigación parecen ser la esperanza para el resurgimiento de El Triunfo y los pueblos circundantes de BCS. Hasta los jesuitas habrían estado felices con ese plan económico.

Las fuentes de este artículo incluyen: Harry W. Crosby, *Antigua California: Mission and Colony on the Peninsular Frontier, 1697-1768*; Juan José Cabuto del Museo Ruta de Plata; y las exhibiciones y sitios web del Museo Ruta de Plata. www.museorutadeplata.com.

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hospital. As Paula said, "Ezio was a man who would want to be remembered as someone who always did things his way." Ezio lost his battle with cancer and passed away in the hospital in La Spezia in October of 2018.

As for the future of Café Santa Fé, Paula is uncertain at this time. "I have employees to take care of and I'm still in shock. I'm just living day to day." But what she does know is that Todos Santos is still her home. "It's been my home for 30 years," she said. "I wouldn't know where else to go. I'll stay here and I will figure it out. I will get through this." As for how Paula would like for Ezio to be remembered she firmly said, "I want to celebrate him on every plate."

El Cielo

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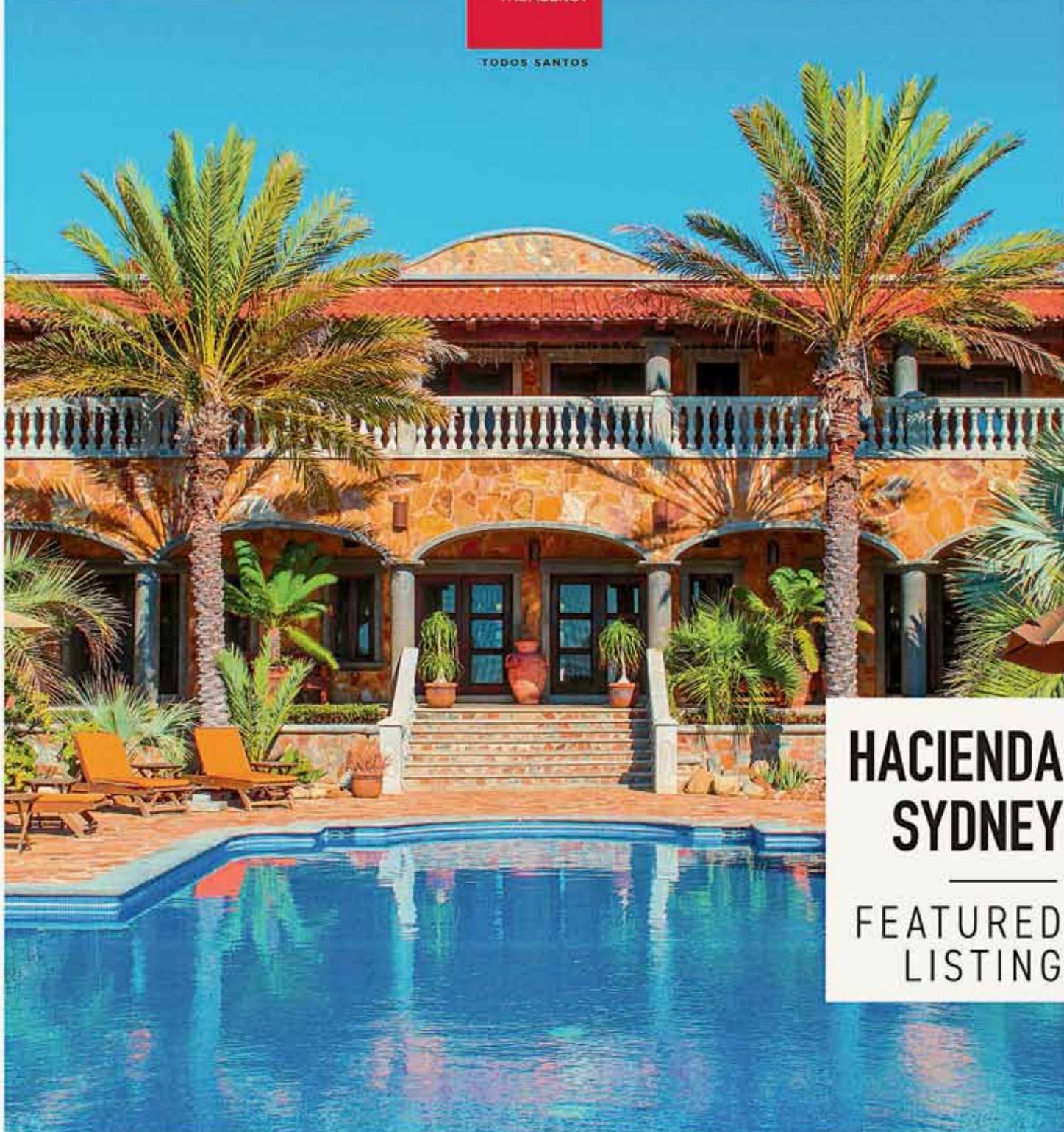
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