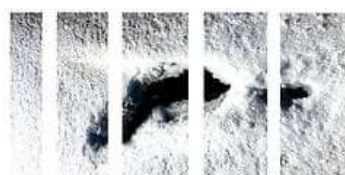
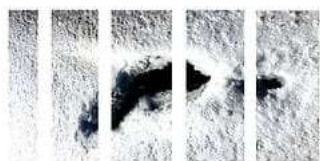


# CAMINO REAL DE TIERRA ADENTRO



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In April 1598, an advance group of Spanish soldiers got lost in the desert south of El Paso, looking for the best route to the Rio Grande. A captive Indian named Mompil traced in the sand a map of the only safe passage, which would soon form part of the Camino Real de Tierra Adentro, which was in its historical period the largest land trade route in the world. The path that we propose starts from the border with the US marked by the Rio Grande and the wall that Trump wanted to build to defend its nation from less economically prosperous countries, in the "well-known" Ciudad Juárez. This itinerary, which in some places exactly follows the route of the Camino Real, a monumental 2,560-kilometer-long trade route that ran from the city of Santa Fe to Mexico City, will lead us to discover a wonderful country rich in culture, art, traditions and with a surprising nature. From the view of imposing sand dunes and very deep canyons that remind us that we are guests on this planet, we discover and relate with the dolphins, the most intelligent and sensitive animals on earth, and then we meet the stunning colonial architecture, one of the few positive legacies of Spanish colonialism. Statues and images of the Catholic religion, interpreted with the culture of suffering desired and imposed by Isabel la Católica, coexist with relics of pre-Hispanic tradition in the harmony of a faith that knows no religious distinctions. Finally, the meeting with the great muralist José Clemente Orozco and with the Sistine Chapel of Mexico that he painted to interpret the history of this magical country whose sublime art is certainly not secondary to the art of other countries in the world. Colours, smells, languages remind us of lands that are close and at the same time far from our daily habitat, giving us a splendid childlike sensation of wonder and admiration.



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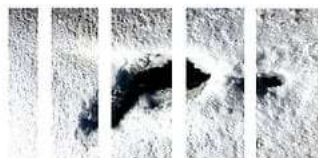
## DAY 1

09:00 am: pick up of travelers and luggage at the hotel reception – transfer to the airport Benito Juarez of Ciudad de Mexico.

11:35 am: flight departure number AM 115 to Ciudad Juarez

01:14 pm: arrival at Ciudad Juarez airport – pick up of travellers and luggage – transfer by minivan to the desert of Samalayuca.

03:00 pm: arrival at the desert – lunch -walking tour over the dunes – possibility of doing sandboarding over the dunes.



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05:00 pm: transfer in minivan to Chihuahua

08:30 pm: arrival Chihuahua – Central boutique hotel

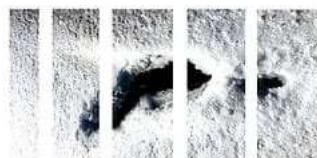


## DAY 2

10:00 am: pick up of travelers and luggage at the hotel reception – transfer by minivan to Grutas Nombre de Dios – visit of las Grutas.



12:30 pm: lunch on the open air after the visit of las Grutas.



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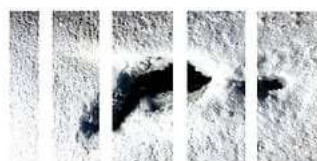
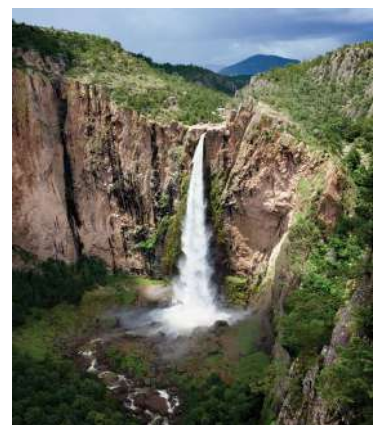
01:30 pm: walking city tour: Catedral – Palacio del Gobierno y sus murales -  
Plaza de Armas – Plaza del Ángel.



07.00 pm: return to the hotel

## DAY 3

09:00 am: transfer en minivan to Cascadas de Basaseachi – Creel



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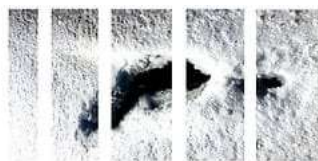


04:30 pm: transfer en minivan to Barrancas del Cobre

05.30 pm: arrival at Barrancas del Cobre and transfer to Hotel Mirador Barrancas.



07:00 pm: cocktail and dinner at the hotel.

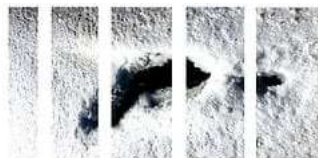
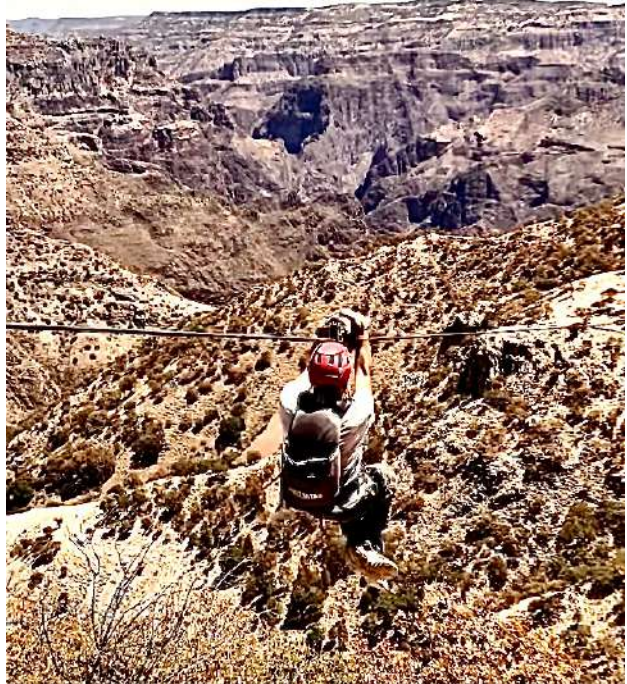


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## DAY 4

09:00 am: visit of the Adventure Park – sightseeing by cable car or as an alternative, for those who like risk sightseeing by doing the 7 Tyrolean Circuit.



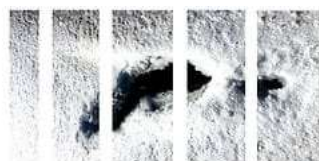
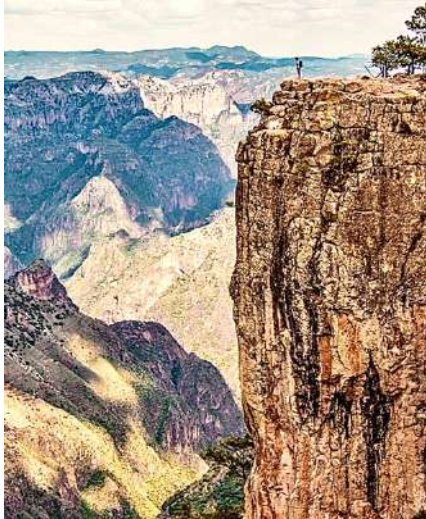
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12:30 pm: return to the hotel and lunch.

02:30 pm: visit by a jeep 4x4 or a 4-wheeled motor of various Park's View Points:  
Mirador de las Estrellas – Mogotabo – Mirador del Cielo – Nido Águilas.

05:30 pm: return to the hotel – cocktail and dinner.



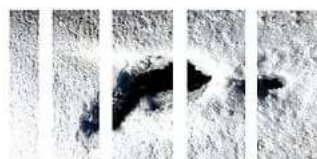
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## DAY 5

08:45 am: pick up of travelers and luggage – transfer by minivan to Chepe train station; as an alternative if there is not the service offered by Chepe Express, the transfer will be organized by Regional Train or minivan.

09:22 am: departure of the train to Los Mochis.

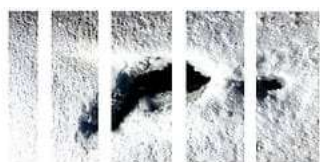


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05:30 pm: arrival at Chepe train station of Los Mochis – transfer by minivan to Best Western Hotel.



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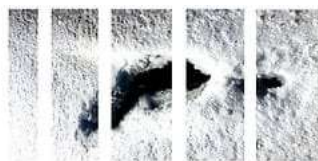




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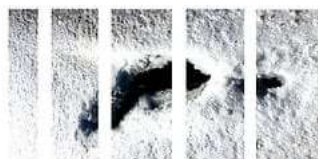
09:00 am: pick up of travelers and luggage at the hotel reception - transfer by minivan to Topolobambo.

09:45 am: arrival in Topolobambo and boat tour of Topolobambo Bay - sighting of dolphins who live all the year round in the bay.



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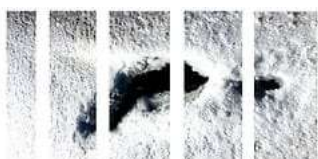




Noon: arrival by boat at Playa El Maviri – lunch in a palapa and beach.

04:00 pm: pick up of travelers and transfer by minivan to Mazatlán.

08:00 pm: arrival in Mazatlán and transfer to hotel DoubleTree by Hilton.



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## DAY 7

09:00 am: pick up of travelers and luggage – visit of the historical centre of Mazatlán.

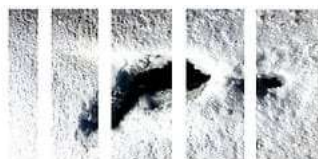


Noon: transfer by boat to Playa de Isla de Piedra and lunch in a palapa.



04:00 pm: pick up of travelers and transfer by minivan to Guadalajara.

08:00 pm: arrival in Guadalajara and transfer to Hotel Morales.



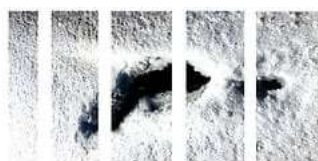
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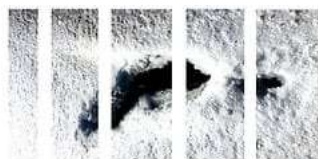
## DAY 8

09:30 am: walking visit of the historical centre: Catedral – Palacio del Gobierno and José Clemente Orozco murals – Temple of Nuestra Señora de la Mercedes – Temple of Nuestra Señora de Aranzazu - Teatro Degollado Hospicio Cabañas, the Sistine Chapel of Mexico.



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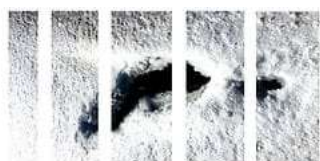


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06:00 pm: return to the hotel.



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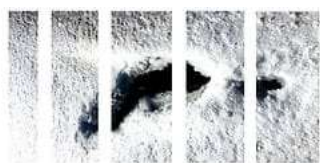


## DAY 9

09:30 am: pick up of travelers and luggage at the hotel reception – visit tour of the city by minivan: Glorieta de la Minerva – Casa Atelier of José Clemente Orozco – Museum MUSA – Mercado San Juan de Dios



01:00 pm: lunch at the Mercado.



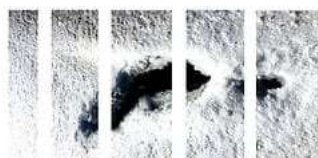
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02:30 pm: pick up of travelers and transfer by minivan to Guanajuato.

05:30 pm: arrival in Guanajuato and transfer to Hotel Casa del Rector.



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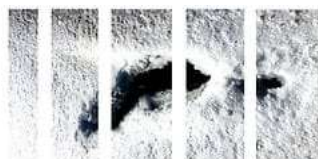


## DAY 10

09:30 am: walking visit of the historical centre: Catedral – Teatro Juárez – Universidad Jardín de la Unión – Alhondiga de Granaditas.



12:30 pm: lunch in a restaurant.



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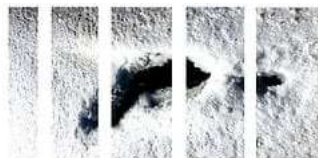


02:00 pm: city tour by minivan: Temple of San Cayetano en la Valenciana  
Mercado Hidalgo – Paseo de la Presa – Mirador El Pipila – Ancient Mine.



06:00 pm: walking around the streets and squares of the city.

08:00 pm: return to the hotel



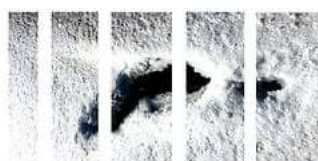
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## DAY 11

09:00 am: pick up of travelers and luggage at the hotel reception – transfer by minivan to San Miguel de Allende.

10:00 am: arrival in San Miguel de Allende – El Mirador – visit of the historical centre.



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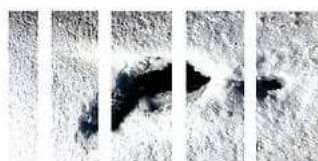


01:00 pm: lunch in a restaurant



03:30 pm: pick up of travelers and transfer by minivan to Ciudad de Mexico.

08:00 pm: arrival in Ciudad de Mexico and transfer to the hotels.



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