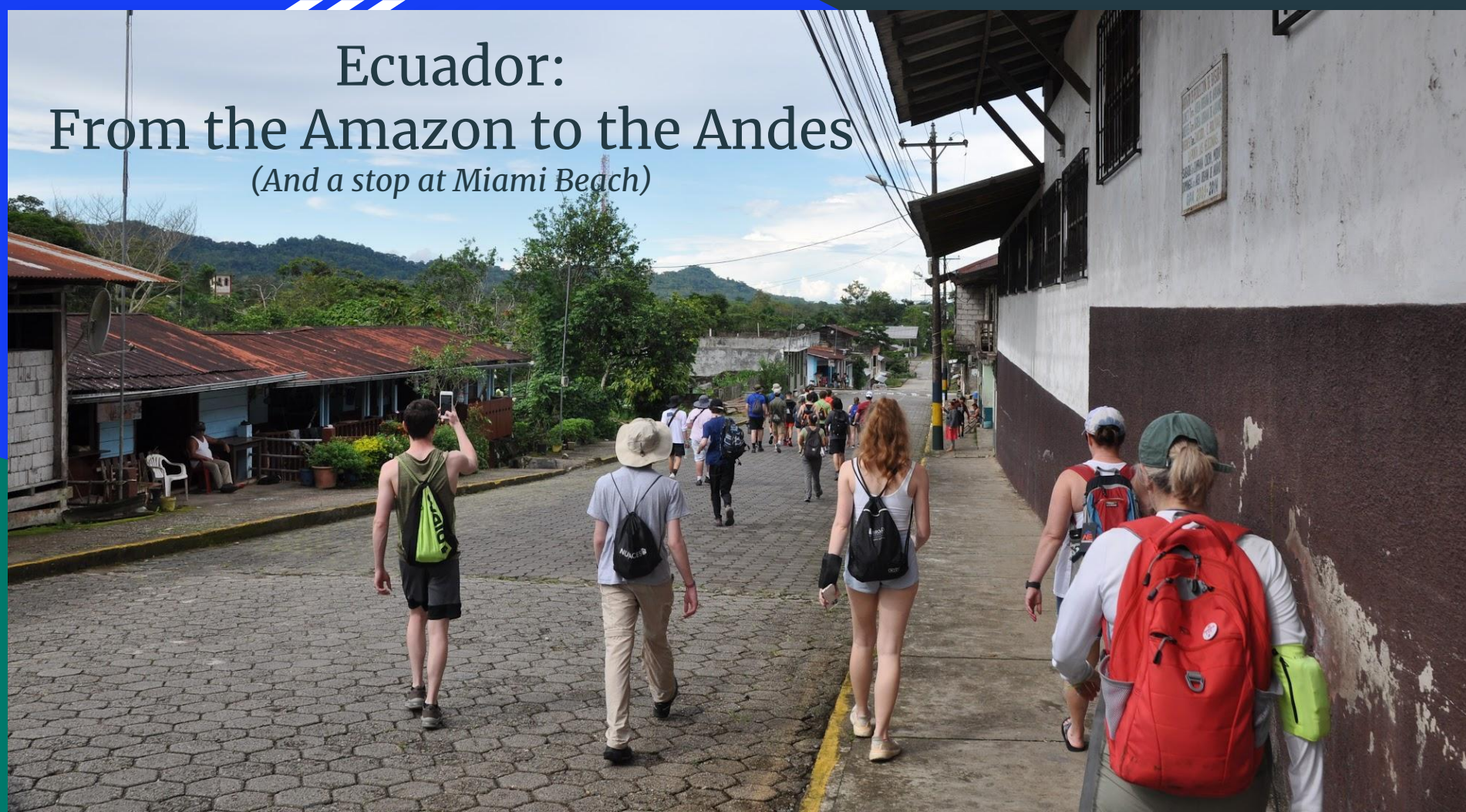


Ecuador: From the Amazon to the Andes

(And a stop at Miami Beach)







Landed in Quito
Let the Adventure Begin

Our First Day



Good Friday at the San Francisco Church and viewing the procession!







Local Snack of Fried dough and figs



Virgin of the Panecillo



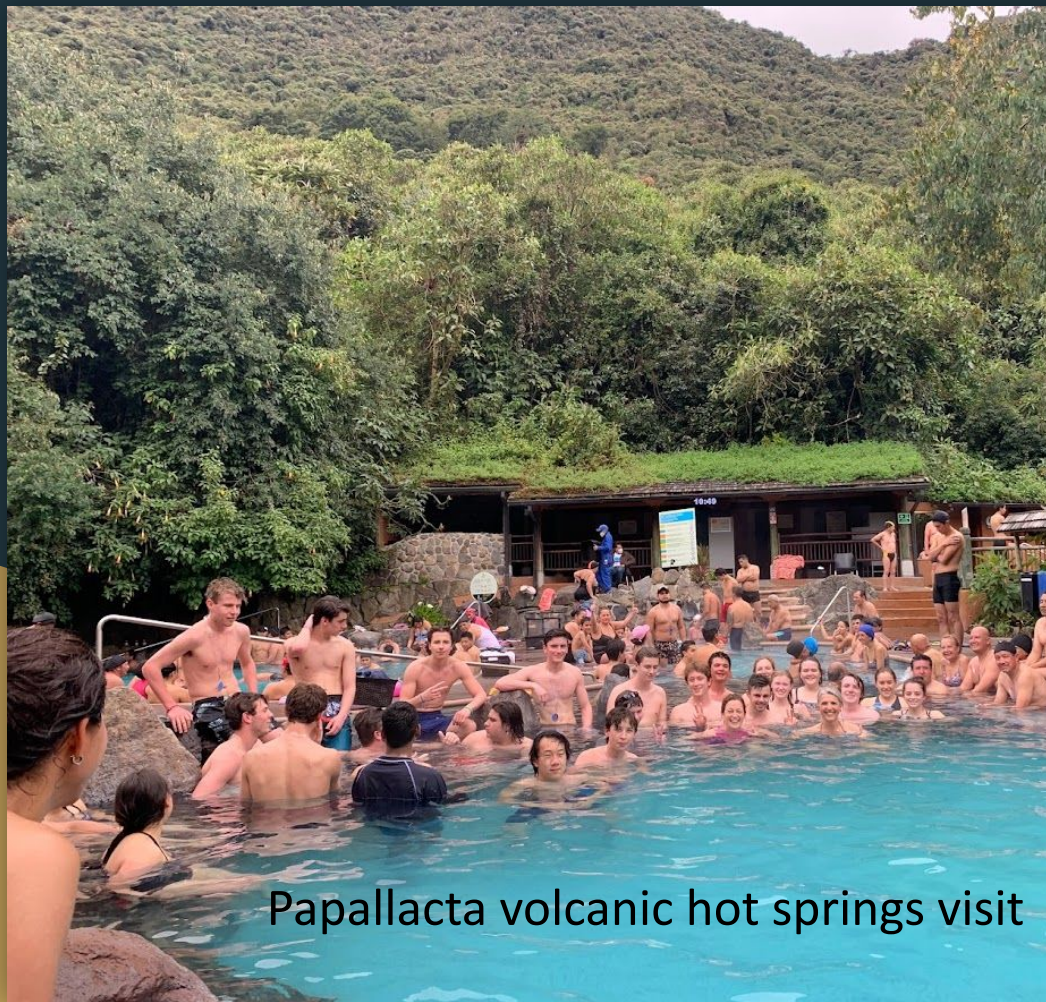
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We venture to the Amazon!







Papallacta volcanic hot springs visit





Tena and our lodge overlooking the river





Morning Jungle Hike





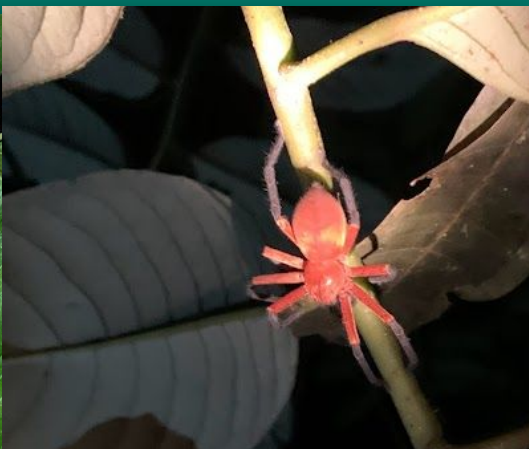
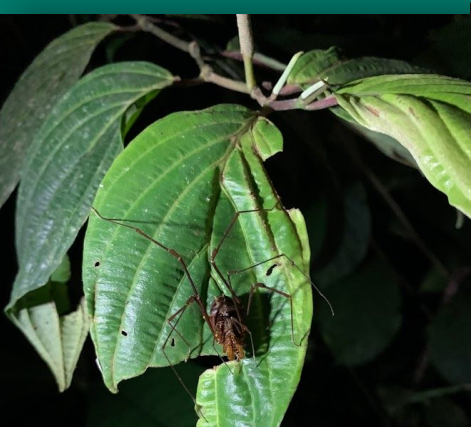




Indigenous Kichwa community visit







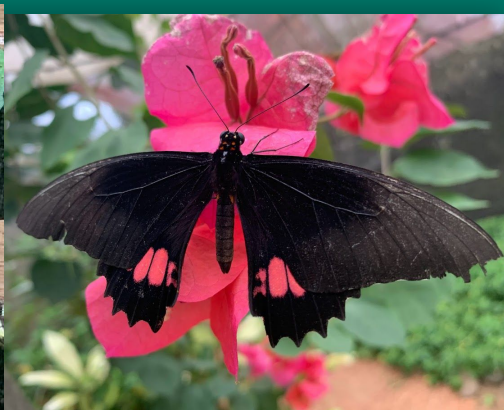
The Night Hike





Napo River white water rafting







Recovery from a day in the sun!

Good bye to Tena and the lower Basin!







El Pailon Del Diablo Waterfall



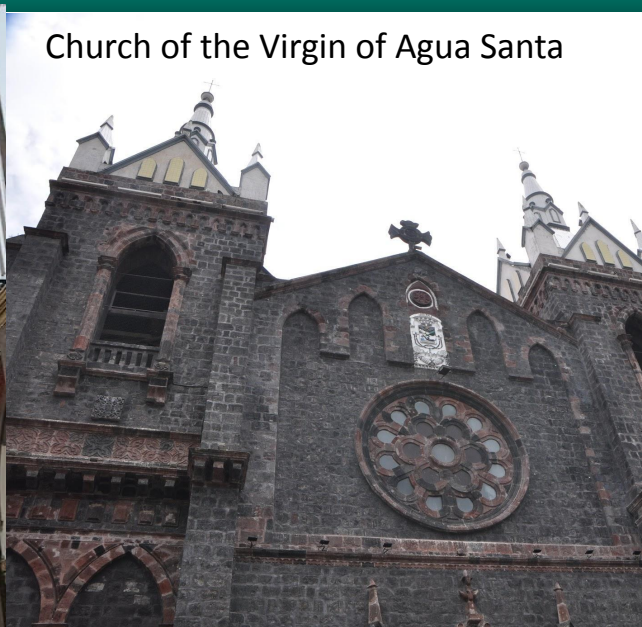
Celebrating Ecuador with our bus driver Manuel







Church of the Virgin of Agua Santa





Ziplining Through the Andes!









Cotopaxi National Park









La
Mariscal
artisanal
craft
market





An Afternoon hiking to Pichincha! 15,000 Feet!



Farewell Dinner!





Broken Engine, Cancelled Flight, One more night in Ecuador and an Early Flight to Miami!!





Forty Hours in
Miami – Pool time
while the
chaperones
continued the flight
negotiations, dinner
and a day at south
beach prior to
heading to DC!



Bus and Train Transportation, Lunch on South Beach, and some time in the sea and sun!





Midnight arrival at DC and arranging seven Cabs to get to the hotel because the shuttle stopped at 11:30!





Four Days of Travel, three extra hotel stays, and we arrive in Boston!