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HOLY WEEK IN Antigua Guatemala

The commemoration of Lent and Holy Week in Antigua Guatemala boasts centuries-old origins, which shaped many of the traditions and customs, which are part of the religious-cultural heritage of Guatemalans, today declared Intangible Heritage of Humanity by UNESCO.

The collective feeling of the Antiguans has a special eagerness, to see again their processions, touring malls, neighborhoods, and squares of the city that saw them grow, which has marveled thousands of visitors for decades and that only to live a Holy Week in such a mystical city, they understand why they call it "the Jerusalem of America."

Once again, under the burning sun characteristic of the major week, all the glory of Guatemalan baroque will be seen, expressed in the processional walks, before the sumptuous passage of the Nazarene, the Painful or the buried Lord; balconies will display beautiful decorations in rich tapestry and purple flowers; pilgrims will come to the annual appointment with the image of their devotion, in authentic days of faith, which give life to these blessed traditions.

In the framework of the commemoration of the fifth centenary of the first Christian celebration on Guatemalan soil, this destination of faith shares with the world its rich traditions, during the most representative season for the influx of religious tourism in Guatemala.

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Holy Week Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity



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Wake orchards in en La Antigua Guatemala



During Lent and Holy Week there are particular elements that distinguish this period from the others belonging to the liturgical calendar, such as the gastronomy, processions and wake orchards distinctive symbolisms of this cycle.

The garden is dedicated to commemorating the Passion of Jesus Christ. Therefore, the main image is an image of passion. The most common is that of Jesus of Nazareth (Jesus with the cross on his back), the other frequent is that of the crucified. The least frequent are those of Jesus buried, Jesus of the Column and others. In addition, the garden can be dedicated to the veneration of Our Lady of Sorrows. Today the orchard is in the process of transformation. However, it can be found in some departments such as Sacatepéquez, especially in rural communities and very sporadically in some houses or churches in the capital city, where its memory is reproduced.

In the few houses that the orchard is made, it shows special signs, such as:

- **The “milpitas”** that are corn seed suckers planted in small tin cans and lined with purple China tissue paper.
- **Essential fruits**, especially fragrant, are mango, mamey, cashew apple, melon, watermelon, pineapple, among others.
- **Odorous flowers and plants**, such as roses, corozo, pine leaves and lilies.

The orchards usually reach half of the temple, and the rest are occupied by musicians on the day of the waking. Neighbors send containers with vegetables, fruits, and cages with canaries, distributed inside the church. To conclude, the famous orchards that are made in



Antigua Guatemala are as follows:

- **Aldea de Santa Ana**, dedicated to Jesus Nazarene of the Sweet Glance.
Fourth Friday of Lent
- **San Bartolomé de Becerra**, dedicated to Jesus of the Nazarene of the Fall.
Fifth Friday of Lent
- **Ermita de San Cristóbal el Bajo**, dedicated to Jesus Nazarene of humility.
Dolores Friday
- **Parroquia San Sebastián**, Templo la Merced, dedicated to Jesus of Nazareth.
Holy Monday
- **San Francisco El Grande**, Santuario del Santo Hermano Pedro, dedicated to Jesus of the Nazarene of Forgiveness.
Holy Tuesday
- **Parroquia Nuestra Señora de los Remedios**, Templo de la Escuela de Cristo, dedicated to the buried Lord.
Holy Wednesday.

Excerpt from the book; History and Popular Traditions of Lent and Holy Week in Guatemala, Celso Lara, 2003.



Lent



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18 FEB.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesús Nazareno de la Salvación “Protector Perpetuo de La Antigua Guatemala”

Templo de Santa Catarina Bobadilla

Address: Plazuela Aldea Santa Catarina Bobadilla, La Antigua Guatemala



During the first years of its procession this was held on Holy Tuesday, for Lent of 1948 it was decided to move the procession to the already traditional First Sunday of Lent. The image by tradition is attributed to the sculptor of the seventeenth century Juan Perales.

The morning dew still keeps the coffee plantations of the old haciendas moist, the smell of pine, incense and corozo is very present in the three kilometers that lead from El Calvario to the village of Santa Catarina Bobadilla. The Nazarene “Perpetual Protector of La Antigua Guatemala” will once again bless his people on a beautiful Lenten Sunday.



EXIT 10:00 HRS.
INCOME 23:00 HRS.



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25 FEB.

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesús Nazareno de Santa Inés

Templo Santa Inés del Monte Pulciano

Address: Calle Real de Santa Inés del Monte Pulciano, La Antigua Guatemala

The image is of an unknown author, its temple was in ruins after the earthquake of Santa Marta on July 29th, 1773, for many years the images were kept in the shelter of parishioners in their homes. The current temple is located at a distance of 100 meters where the original was founded.

On the second Sunday of Lent, the village of Santa Inés, is loaded with an atmosphere of fuss, the neighbors coordinate to decorate the front of their houses and the road that leads to Antigua Guatemala.



Activities

Second Friday of Lent
February 23rd, 2024

Traditional Wake of Jesus Nazarene of Santa Inés.

Schedule:

Start 8:00
Completion 24:00

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EXIT 13:00 HRS.
INCOME 23:00 HRS.

03 MAR.

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesús Nazareno Dulce Rabí

Parroquia Nuestra Señora de la Asunción Jocotenango

Address: Calle Real de Jocotenango, Sacatepéquez



The town of Jocotenango dazzles visitors with its beautiful rugs that pay homage to the sublime image of Jesus the Nazarene, the Sweet Rabbi, at a rhythmic pace advance among flowers, sawdust and incense.

Due to its sculptural style, it can be located in the middle of the eighteenth century, its brotherhood was founded in 1895 and in the year 2001 the image is consecrated for its devotion and roots in the town of Jocotenango.





10 MAR.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT Jesús Nazareno de Santa Ana

Templo Santa Ana

Address: Calle Real de Santa Ana, La Antigua Guatemala
www.hermandadsantaana.com



The image has a perfect waist, the fine detail of his hair frames the divine face that shows a look of compassion, sweetness and love to the viewer. According to tradition, the beautiful image was exhibited in colonial times on Holy Thursday to go out in procession in the morning hours of Good Friday; from this account it is recounted by the Franciscan Chronicler Fray Francisco Vasquez that the Holy Brother Pedro de San José de Betancur "never forgot to visit Jesus of Santa Ana, before midnight of Holy Thursday, when he remained in a veil, prior to the procession of Good Friday", at the time Villa de Santa Ana.



EXIT 08:00 HRS.
INCOME 22:00 HRS.

Activities

Fourth Friday of Lent March 8th, 2024

Traditional wake of Nazarene Jesus from Santa Ana

Schedule:

Start 8:00
Completion 24:00



17 MAR.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Soberano Rey y Señor, Jesús Nazareno de la Caída

Templo San Bartolomé Becerra

Address: Calle Real de San Bartolomé Becerra, La Antigua Guatemala



The carving of Jesus Nazarene from the Fall is attributed to the sculptor Pedro de Mendoza in the first half of the seventeenth century, it was consecrated by Mons. Ramiro Pellecer On April 5th, 1984, his official march is Jesus Nazarene of San Bartolo, work of the master Manuel Antonio Ramirez Croker.

The Aguirre Matheu spouses, owners of the Retana farm asked their sons Jorge and Carlos to organize a procession with the Nazarene of the Fall, they with the help of Don Encarnacion Sicay were the organizers of the first procession of the Sovereign King and Lord of the Fall, on Sunday morning, March 23rd, 1902. The procession rested in a simple altar, prepared in the main house of the farm, in the shade of a leafy amate tree, and in the afternoon, it was taken back to its Hermitage.

EXIT 04:00 HRS.
INCOME 00:30 HRS.

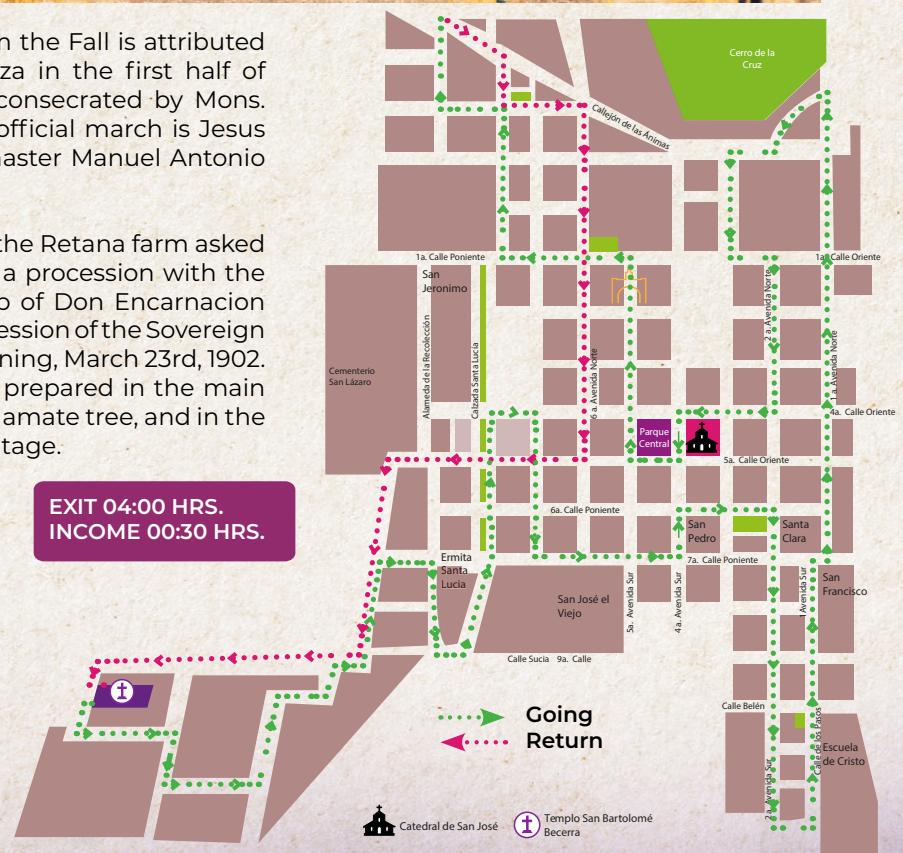
Activities

Fifth Friday of Lent
March 15th, 2024

- Traditional wake of Jesus Nazarene from the Fall

Schedule:

Start 8:00 + Completion 24:00



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23 MAR.

SATURDAY BEFORE RAMOS

Cristo de las Misericordias

Parroquia Nuestra Señora de los Remedios Templo Escuela de Cristo

Address: 1.ª avenida y 10.ª calle Sur, Calle de los Pasos La Antigua Guatemala
www.cristoedec.org

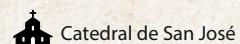


This image could have been found around the year 1705 in the Hermitage of Santa Isabel, where it had its own chapel attached to the Hermitage, which demonstrates the roots in the popular devotion of what was Santiago de Guatemala. Excerpt from the book, Historical Facts of the Image of the Crucified Christ of the School of Christ, Mario Ubico, 2011

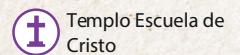
The peaceful square of the School of Christ is interrupted by the sound of the tzijolaj and the redoubling of the drums. The Christ of mercies goes out in walks to tour the mysticism of Antigua Guatemala, his expressive features immediately move the viewer and among his devotees there is joy to see once again in the streets the Christ of their devotion.



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Catedral de San José



Templo Escuela de Cristo

EXIT 16:00 HRS.
INCOME 22:00 HRS.

23 MAR.

SATURDAY BEFORE RAMOS

Velación Cristo Yacente de San Felipe

Santuario San Felipe de Jesús

Address: Calle Real de San Felipe de Jesús, Aldea San Felipe de Jesús, La Antigua Guatemala
www.sepultadodesanfelipe.org



The solemn wake of the Recumbent Christ of San Felipe is one of the most popular in Antigua Guatemala, each year they present artistic altars with hand-painted tapestry with special techniques to represent biblical passages.

Activities

Saturday before Palm Sunday

March 23rd, 2024

Solemne Velación de Cristo Yacente de San Felipe

Schedule:

Start 8:00

Completion 23:00



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Holy Week



24 MAR.

PALM SUNDAY

Jesús Nazareno de La Merced y su procesión de "La Reseña"

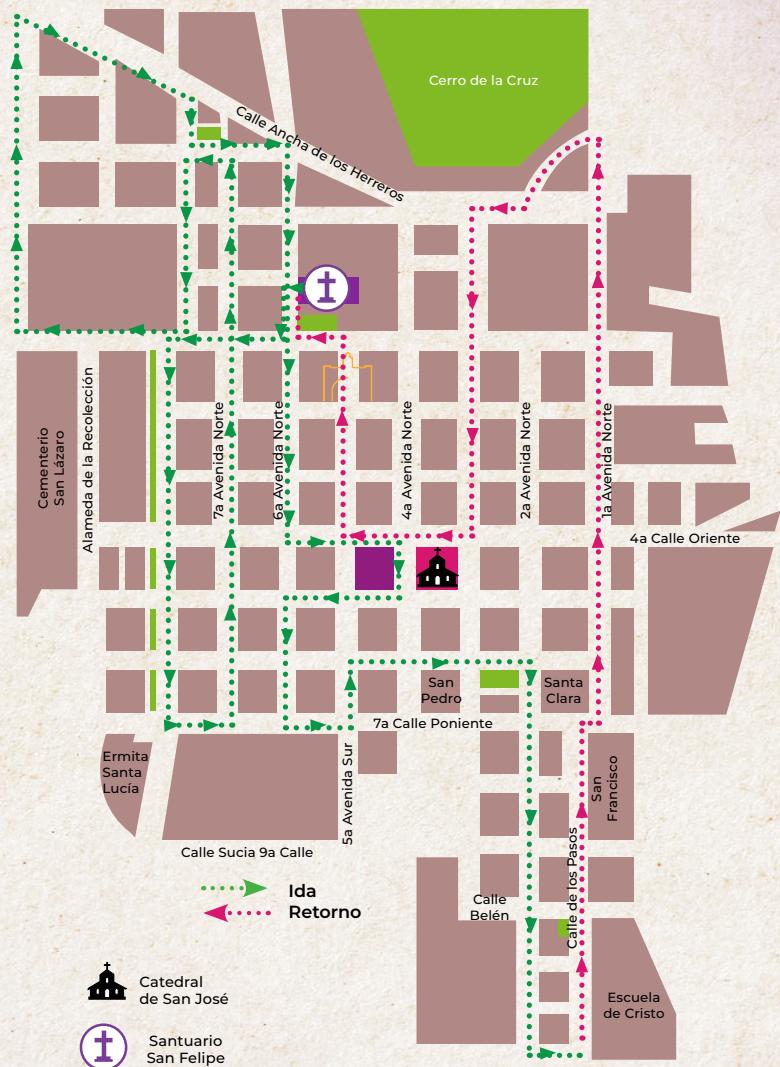
Parroquia San Sebastián La Merced

Address: 6.ª avenida Norte y 1ª calle Poniente La Antigua Guatemala
www.hermandadlamerced.com



The traditional procession of La Reseña is characterized by monumental decorations and exquisite details.

Each devotee carries in his hands a bouquet of palm leaf decorated with corozo flower and purple statisias, the colors burst under the hot midday sun, multicolored rugs, purple robes of cucuruchos, white sunshades, jacaranda trees, tapestry on the balconies and the magnificent yellow facade of the temple "La Merced". All these symbols are combined in the retinas of the thousands of faithful visitors who will keep in their hearts another Palm Sunday, in the city World Heritage and Monument of America.



EXIT 08:30 HRS.
INCOME 00:00 HRS.

25 MAR.

HOLY MONDAY

Velación de Jesús Nazareno de La Merced

Parroquia San Sebastián La Merced

Address: 6.^a avenida Norte y 1.^a Calle Poniente La Antigua Guatemala
www.hermandadlamerced.com

The theological argument of the Wake Gardens is based on the moment when Jesus climbs the Olive Garden also called Mount Gethsemane, thus marking the beginning of his hours of agony, praying and sweating blood, while being comforted by an angel.

In Guatemala it is a living tradition, combining ephemeral art and the richness of Guatemalan soil, showing the variety of legumes and fruits of the season, as offerings to the images of passion that are venerated inside the temple, it functions as the axis of the social economic and cultural dynamics of a neighborhood, village or community.

Activities

Holy Monday
March 25th, 2024

...Traditional wake of Nazarene
Jesus de la Merced.

Schedule:

Start 8:00

Completion 24:00



26 MAR.

HOLY TUESDAY

Jesús Nazareno del Silencio

Ermita de El Calvario

Address: Alameda de El Calvario, La Antigua Guatemala



Cevery Holy Tuesday there are pious acts around the beautiful image of the Nazarene Jesus of Silence, it is very traditional to see how the antiques walk along the street of the Pasos in the direction of El Calvario to meditate the Holy Way of the Cross.

This year 2024 the Guatemalan Institute of Tourism -INGUAT-, will pay tribute in the historic enclosure with the elaboration of a beautiful rug of dyed sawdust to be a complement to that overflow of faith and devotion in the city Monument of America.



27 MAR.

HOLY WEDNESDAY

Velación Señor Sepultado de la Escuela de Cristo

Parroquia Nuestra Señora de los Remedios Templo Escuela de Cristo

Address: 1.^a avenida y 10.^a Calle Sur, Calle de los Pasos La Antigua Guatemala
www.cristoedec.org



The solemn wake of the Lord buried in the School of Christ, takes place every Holy Wednesday receiving thousands of parishioners in his artistic wake altar that begins in the morning and ends after the solemn concert of funeral marches, performed by a martial band that pays homage from the temple atrium. In the surroundings you can taste the gastronomy of the Lent and Easter season and other traditional dishes of Guatemalan cuisine such as the delicious dessert of plantains in mole.

Activities

**Holy Wednesday
March 27th, 2024**

Solemn wake of the Lord buried in the School of Christ

Schedule:

Start 8:00
Completion 23:00

27 MAR.

HOLY WEDNESDAY

Jesús Nazareno del Milagro

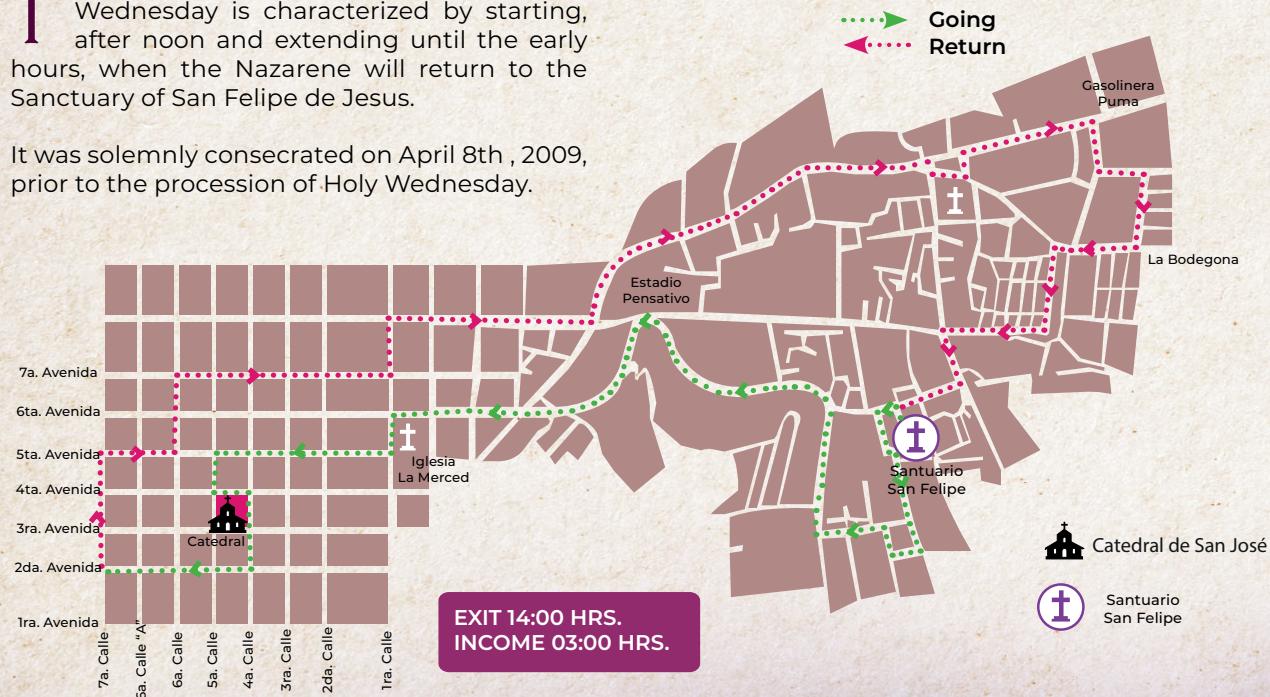
Santuario San Felipe de Jesús

Address: Calle Real de San Felipe de Jesus, Aldea San Felipe de Jesus, La Antigua Guatemala
www.sepultadodesanfelipe.org.



The traditional procession of Holy Wednesday is characterized by starting, after noon and extending until the early hours, when the Nazarene will return to the Sanctuary of San Felipe de Jesus.

It was solemnly consecrated on April 8th , 2009, prior to the procession of Holy Wednesday.





For thou hast seen me, Thomas, thou
hast believed; blessed are they that
have not seen, and have believed.

John, 20:29



28 MAR.

HOLY THURSDAY

Jesús Nazareno de La Humildad y su “Pregón Romano”

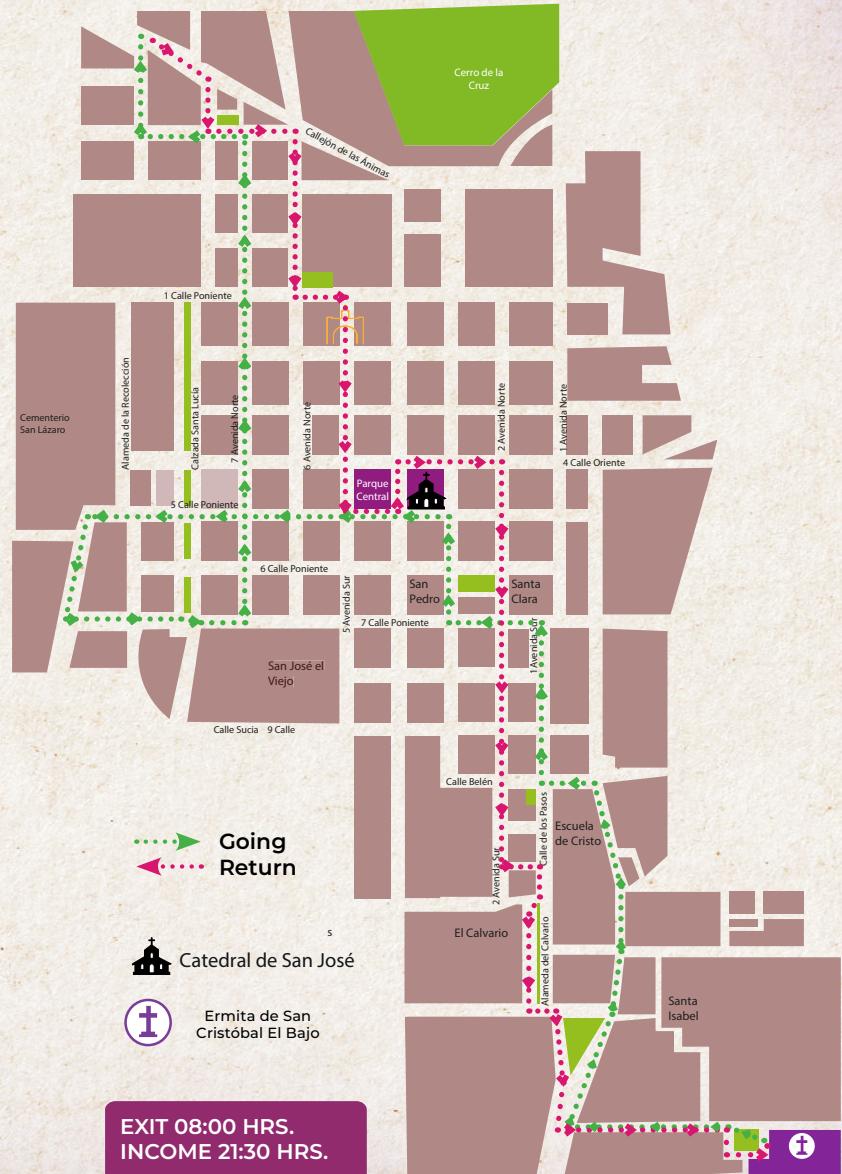
Ermita de San Cristóbal El Bajo

Address: Calle Real de San Cristóbal el Bajo, Aldea San Cristóbal el Bajo, La Antigua Guatemala
www.nazarenodelahumildad.com



A live performance precedes the procession, which is composed of Romans, Palestinians, holy women, among other characters of the Passion of Christ, who theatrically stage moments such as the judgment of Christ. The ancient streets of the Monument City of America are the perfect setting to immerse oneself in the narrations that precede the traditional procession of the Humbleness Nazarene.

The traditional procession of Jesus Nazarene of Humility is one of the most solemn, which runs through those of Antigua Guatemala, during the major week.



28 MAR.

HOLY THURSDAY

Jesús Nazareno del Perdón

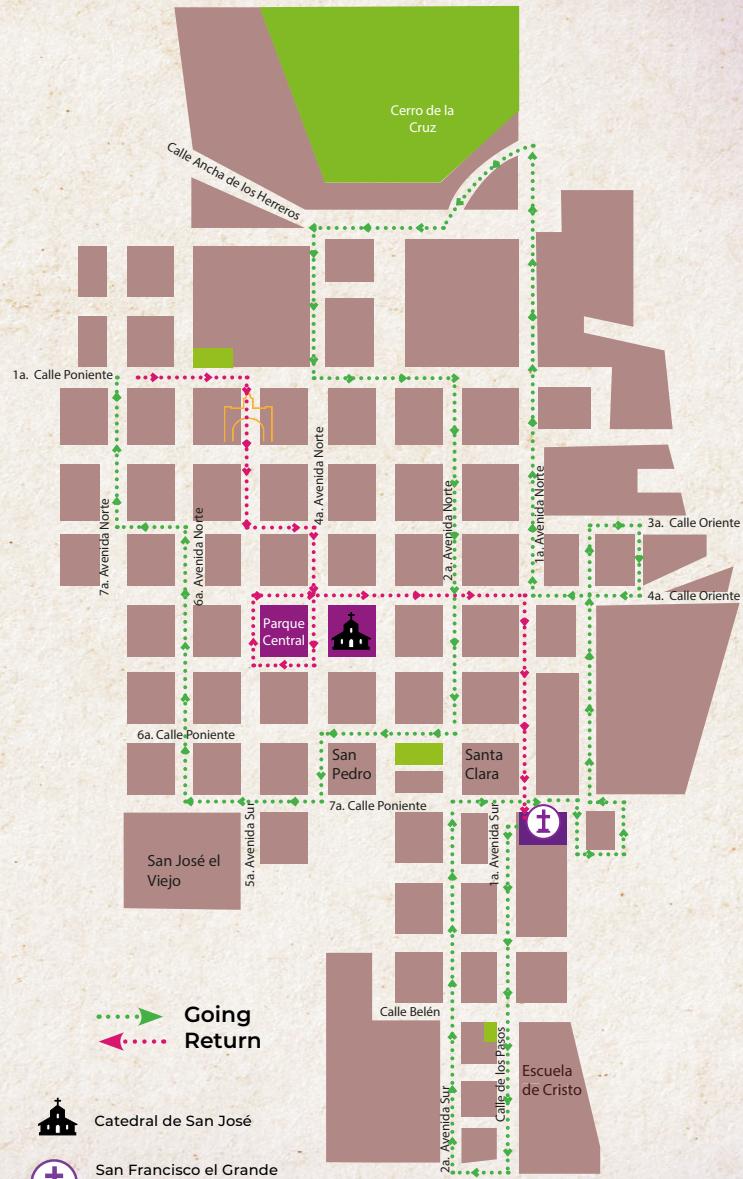
San Francisco el Grande Santuario del Santo Hermano Pedro

Address: 7.ª Calle Oriente y 1.ª avenida Sur La Antigua Guatemala
www.consagradojesusdelperdon.es.tl



The image remained until the earthquakes of 1773 in a chapel of the Franciscan temple. Later, the image was stored in the second station of the viacrucis that begins in front of the temple, in the street of the steps.

The image of the Nazarene was found until the beginning of the 20th century; in 1932 the brotherhood got on its knees, then it was made reparation for the abandonment of the image, and it was placed the name of Jesus Nazarene of Forgiveness.



Catedral de San José



San Francisco el Grande
Santuario del Santo
Hermano Pedro

29 MAR.

GOOD FRIDAY

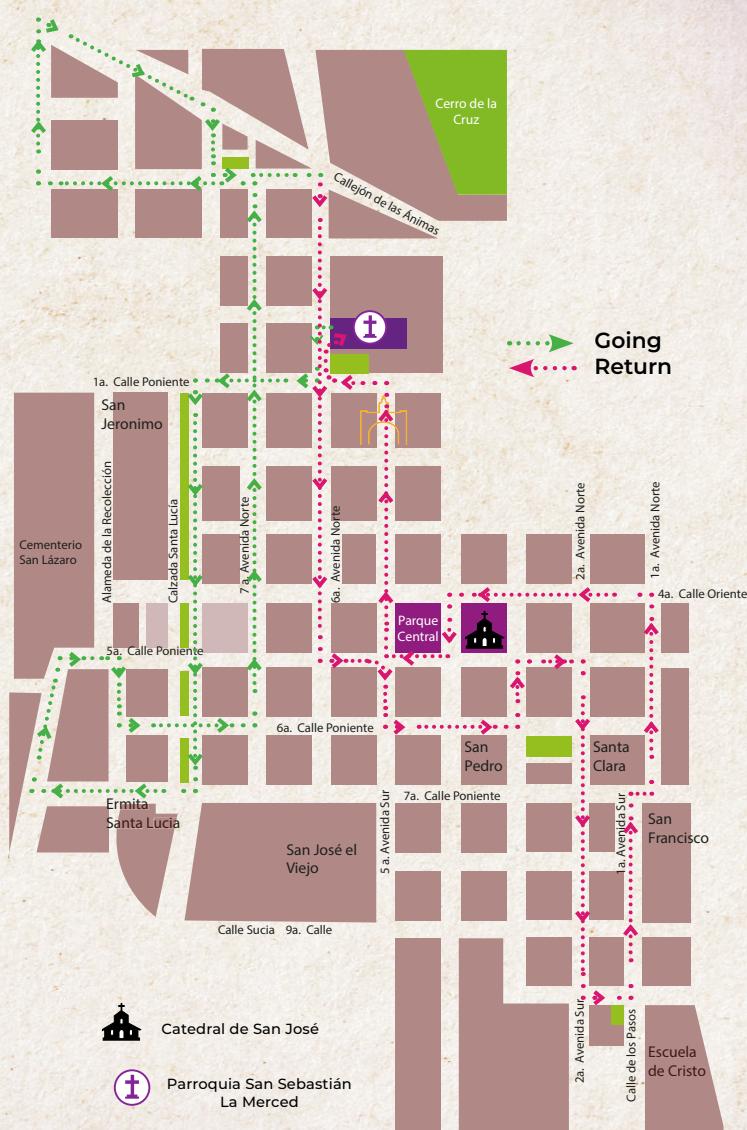
Jesús Nazareno de La Merced

Parroquia San Sebastián La Merced

Address: 6.ª avenida Norte y 1.ª Calle Poniente La Antigua Guatemala
www.hermanadadlamerced.com



The drums and clarines resonate, marking the reading of Christ's sentence around the temple of La Merced. The mystique of Antigua Guatemala is lived in the early morning of Good Friday, while families present their best designs of dyed sawdust rugs, pine leaves and flowers for the Nazarene to bless their homes as they pass over these ephemeral works of art. Jesus of the Merced in ancient times belonged to the Temple of St. Gerónimo, today he runs through the streets covered with smooth red robe, simple cross and a crown made with real thorns brought from the Holy City of Jerusalem.



EXIT 02:45 HRS.
INCOME 14:30 HRS.

Jesus called out with a loud voice,
“Father, into your hands I commit my spirit.”
When he had said this, he breathed his last.

Luke, 23:46



29 MAR.

GOOD FRIDAY

Señor Sepultado de la Escuela de Cristo

Parroquia Nuestra Señora de los Remedios Templo Escuela de Cristo

Address: 1.ª avenida y 10.ª Calle Sur, Calle de los Pasos, La Antigua Guatemala
www.cristoedec.org



The beautiful work of sculptural art is located in the middle of the eighteenth century, its face presents its mouth half open, and eyes half closed, its wounds and abundant blood give it great drama and an indisputable character.

The Jerusalem of America overflows in fervor on the evening of Good Friday, the City of Perpetual Roses changes character, suddenly time stops, the balconies show the sadness reflected in its black banners, mourning that staged the death of the Redeemer. The vibrant funeral notes shake the thousands of faithful who crowd the square of the School of Christ, majestic decorations enhance the famous "Sevillian urn" of the buried Lord.



EXIT 16:00 HRS.
INCOME 00:00 HRS.

29 MAR.

GOOD FRIDAY

Cristo Yacente de San Felipe

Santuario San Felipe de Jesús

Address Calle Real de San Felipe de Jesus, Aldea San Felipe de Jesus, La Antigua Guatemala
www.sepultadodesanfelipe.org



The Recumbent Christ of San Felipe is said to have been carved at the end of the 17th century, it is of unknown author, its sculptural quality and intrinsic value merge to achieve an impact on the viewer. On Good Friday afternoon thousands of faithful come to the Holy Burial of the village of San Felipe de Jesus, this procession being the last to return to their temple with the first rays of the sun on Holy Saturday.

The consecrated image of the Recumbent Christ attracts crowds of pilgrims, visitors, Guatemalan and foreign worshippers. According to oral tradition, neighbors of the San Juan el Perdido region, a town of Santa Lucia Cotzumalguapa, were hit by a plague of locusts, bats, and smallpox in 1670; due to the calamity they requested the transfer of their region and were granted a place to settle on the outskirts of the city of Santiago de Guatemala.



The tradition of giving condolences to Our Lady of Solitude is as old as the celebrations of Holy Week itself in Guatemala. There were two images that had the greatest roots during the splendor of Santiago de Guatemala, being the Virgin of Manchen and Our Lady of Solitude of the temple of Santo Domingo. Thus was established the pious act of condolence to our mother. La Antigua Guatemala surrenders at the feet of the Solitude of the School of Christ every Friday and Holy Saturday.

30 MAR.

HOLY SATURDAY

Nuestra Señora de Soledad de la Escuela de Cristo

Parroquia Nuestra Señora de los Remedios, Templo Escuela de Cristo

Address: 1.^a avenida y 10.^a Calle Sur, Calle de los Pasos, La Antigua Guatemala.
www.escueladecristo.org



The beautiful sculpture is attributed to the artist Pedro de Mendoza, and on Holy Saturday it travels through the streets of Antigua Guatemala, offerings and prayers are deposited at its feet and thus end the funeral processions in a melancholic company to the solitude of Mary.

The oral tradition tells that when the master sculptor finished the work, it was late at night and he ran out of the material to finish the incarnate that gave color to the image and what would be his surprise when returning to his workshop, the next morning, he would find the job miraculously finished.





31 MAR.

RESURRECTION SUNDAY

Jesús Resucitado San José Catedral

Parroquia San José Catedral

Address: 5.^a Calle Oriente y 4.^a avenida Sur, frente a la Plaza Central, La Antigua Guatemala

At dawn on Easter Sunday, the rockets and thunder bombs joyfully announce to the city that the Lord has risen, as the festive procession of the Resurrected Jesus from the San José Cathedral, amidst applause, cheers and pyrotechnics, shares the joy of Easter with all its people.

Activities

Resurrection Sunday

March 31, 2024

Holy Mass of Resurrection

Schedule:

7:00 horas



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Holy Week Traditional Dishes in Antigua Guatemala

According to the former cooks of Antigua Guatemala and its surroundings, the traditional Holy week meals are as follows:

Flakes: Made with flour, orange juice, eggs and sugar; with these ingredients a homogeneous dough is prepared, which is then fried and finally bathed with white honey.

Empanadas: Made with butter, eggs, sugar, salt, salpor flour and wheat, which are mixed to make a dough with which the empanadas are made, filled with delicious delicacy of milk or herbs in its salty version, finally, they are baked.

Chinchivir: Drink prepared with ginger, lemon, mint leaves and spices.

Molletes: are shell-shaped breads with the lid removed, the center is dug out to be soaked in a honey made with water, sugar and a little liquor, which is then filled with a paste made of cream, sugar and cinnamon powder; they are covered, wrapped in egg and fried, and once fried they are served in the aforementioned honey.

Garbanzo en dulce: They are chickpeas cooked in honey made with water, sugar and cinnamon.

Torrejas: Yolk bread is used that is wrapped in egg, then fried and placed in honey made with sugar, clove and cinnamon.

Mole: fried plantains dipped in a chocolate batter, garnished with sesame seeds.

Biscaine cod: Cod in tomato-based sauce, to which olives, slices of hard-boiled eggs and sprigs of parsley are added.

Tamalitos de viaje: Its base is corn with salt and butter, which already cooked and kneaded is wrapped in taza; at the time of eating, it unwraps and is cut into slices, then heated to the griddle.

Fresco de chilacayote: It is chilacayote cooked in water with cinnamon sticks and cloves, already boiling it adds rapture or sugar. It should be served cold.

Fresco de Súchiles: it is a ferment based on pineapple peel, jocotes, roasted corn, panela, barley, anise, cinnamon, pepper, ginger and water, it is drunk especially at noon on Holy Thursday and Good Friday.

Excerpt from the book: Historia y Tradiciones Populares de Cuaresma y Semana Santa en Guatemala, Celso Lara, 2003.

RESTAURANT DIRECTORY



Holy Week Flavors

Traditional Gastronomy Restaurants



◆ **San Felipe Cafeteria**

Calle Real de San Felipe de Jesus, on the side of the market in front of the temple.

◆ **Cafeterias, snacks and refreshments**

Interior Municipal Market of La Antigua
4.^a Calle Poniente, Calzada Santa Lucía, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **El Peregrino**

Calle Real de San Felipe de Jesus, next to the temple.

◆ **Traditional gastronomy outside La Merced**

6. ^a avenida Norte y 1.^a Calle Poniente, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **San Antonio de Chepe Armas Store “Refresco Chinchivir”.**

7. ^a avenida Norte No. 92, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **7 caldos**

3. ^a calle Oriente No.24, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Arrin cuan**

Callejón Concepción No. 2, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Como Como**

2.^a avenida Sur No.2, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **El “Adobe”**

5. ^a calle Oriente No.10A, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **El Criollo**

4. ^a Calle Oriente No.14, interior C.C la Fuente Local #12, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **La Cuevita de Los Urquizú**

2. ^a calle Oriente 9D, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **La Fonda de la Calle Real**

5. ^a avenida Norte No.12, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Mesón Pansa Verde**

5. ^a avenida Sur No.19, La Antigua Guatemala

- ◆ **Posada de Don Rodrigo**
5. ^a avenida Norte No.17, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Restaurante del Arco**
5. ^a avenida Norte No.28, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Restaurante los Pasos**
9. ^a calle Oriente 9 "A", La Antigua Guatemala
Interior Hotel Los Pasos
- ◆ **Saberico**
6. ^a avenida Sur No.7, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Rincón Típico**
3. ^a avenida Sur No.3, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **San Martin**
6. ^a calle Poniente No.5, La Antigua Guatemala

Local and international gastronomy

- ◆ **Barriga Llena, Corazón Contento**
6. ^a avenida Norte No.5 "B", La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Bistrot Cinq**
4. ^a calle Oriente No.7, La Antigua Guatemala

- ◆ **Casa Colibri**
3. ^a calle Oriente No.25, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Casa Escobar**
6. ^a avenida Norte No.3, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Clio's.**
3. ^a calle Oriente 16A, Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **El Comalote**
4. ^a calle Oriente No.44 "C", La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **El Refractorio**
3. ^a calle Oriente 28 "A", interior Hotel Casa Santo Domingo, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **El Sabor del Tiempo**
3. ^a calle Poniente No.5, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Fridas**
5. ^a avenida Norte No.29, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Kabuki**
6. ^a avenida Norte 14 "B", La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Las Antorchas**
3. ^a avenida Sur No. 1, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Luna de Miel "Creps"**
6. ^a avenida Norte No. 40, La Antigua Guatemala

- ◆ **Osteria Di Francesco**
Alameda del Calvario No.30, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Quesos y Vinos**
5. ^a calle Poniente No. 1, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Quiltro**
6. ^a calle Poniente 14 "A", La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Restaurante Welten**
4. ^a calle Oriente No. 21, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Rosso di Roma**
4. ^a calle Oriente No. 14, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Saul Bistro**
Calle del Hermano Pedro No. 12, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Sobre Mesa**
4. ^a calle Oriente No. 4, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Rosso di Roma**
4. ^a calle Oriente No.14, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **TaCool**
6.^a calle Poniente 14 "A", La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Vegetarian & Vegan Food La Bruja**
3. ^a avenida Sur 1A, La Antigua Guatemala

- ◆ **Once Doce**
2. ^a calle Oriente No.22, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Samsara**
6. ^a calle Poniente No.33, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **SatNam**
4.^a avenida Sur No.5, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Wachuma**
5.^a calle Oriente No.12, La Antigua Guatemala

Traditional sweets



- ◆ **Casa de los Dulces Típicos**
7.^a calle Oriente No.20, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Chocolalala**
5.^a Avenida Norte No.25 "B", La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Doña María Gordillo**
4.^a calle Oriente No.11, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **El Sombrerón**
4. ^a calle Poniente No.11, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Guatelaria**
5.^a avenida Norte No.33A, La Antigua Guatemala

Artisanal bakeries



◆ **Doña Luisa Xicotencatl**

4.^a calle Oriente No.12, La Antigua
Guatemala

◆ **Panadería 3 Volcanes**

1. ^a avenida Norte No.9B, La Antigua
Guatemala

◆ **Panadería El Hermano Pedro**

Calle del Hermano Pedro No.15, La
Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Panadería San Antonio Cuchi**

Cuchi
4. ^a calle Oriente No.54, La Antigua
Guatemala

◆ **Pastelería La Cenicienta**

7. ^a avenida Norte No.6, La Antigua
Guatemala

Ice cream parlors



◆ **La Tienda de Doña Gavi**

3. ^a avenida Norte No.2, La Antigua
Guatemala

◆ **Della Antigua Gelateria**

5. ^a avenida Sur No.12, La Antigua
Guatemala

◆ **Glacy Cream**

6. ^a avenida Norte No.9B, La Antigua
Guatemala

◆ **Helados Sobremesa**

4. ^a calle Oriente No.4, La Antigua
Guatemala

Bars and Coffee Shops

- ◆ **Antigua Brewing Company**
3. ª calle Poniente No.4, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Aqua Oasis Urbano**
4. ª avenida Norte No.16, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Artista Café**
5. ª avenida Sur No. 34B, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Basil & Café**
4. ª calle Oriente No.5B, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Café Boceto**
4. ª avenida Sur No.1, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Café Boheme**
5. ª calle Póniente No.12B, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Cafe Condesa**
5. ª avenida Norte No.5A, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Café Sky**
1. ª avenida Sur No.15, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Café Sol**
Callejón del Sol No.12, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Casa del Ron**
4. ª calle Oriente No.22, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Cerveza Antigua**
5. ª avenida Norte No.20B, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Cerveza Antigua El Bosque**
Avenida del Desengaño No.2, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **El Viejo Café**
6. ª avenida Norte No.12, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Fat Cat Coffee House**
4. ª calle Oriente No.14A, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Lava Terrace**
4. ª avenida Sur No.3, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Macondo**
5. ª avenida Norte No.28, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Red Zebra**
3. ª avenida Sur 8ª Avenida Sur esquina, La Antigua Guatemala
- ◆ **Vivero y Café de la Escalonia**
5. ª avenida Sur No.36, La Antigua Guatemala

Volcán Acatenango

This ascent provides a unique hiking experience and coordination with a company or tour guide is necessary to develop this activity due to the degree of difficulty.

Once the services are arranged, you will enjoy the attractive geography of Guatemala. From the summit of Acatenango you are less than a mile away from the spectacular Volcán de Fuego, still active, which offers an eruptive spectacle during your visit.



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Squares



◆ **Mirador Cerro de la Cruz**

Ingreso 1.º avenida Norte Final, La Antigua Guatemala
Hours: From 7:00 to 18:00 hours

◆ **Plaza de Belén**

Calle del Hermano Pedro y Calle Fray Rodrigo de la Cruz, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Plaza de San Pedro**

3.º avenida Sur y 6.º calle Oriente, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Plaza La Merced**

6.º avenida Norte 1.º calle Poniente, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Plaza Mayor**

4.º avenida Sur y 5.º calle Poniente, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Plaza Santa Rosa**

1.º avenida Norte y 1.º calle Oriente, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Plazuela San Sebastián**

Calle del Desengaño y Calle de Chajón, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Plazuela De La Escuela de Cristo**

1.º avenida Sur y Calle Fray Rodrigo de la Cruz, La Antigua Guatemala

Monuments



◆ **Antigua Iglesia y Convento Capuchinas**

2th North Avenue and 2th East Street, La Antigua Guatemala
Hours from 9:00 to 17:00 hours

◆ **Antigua Iglesia y Convento La Recolección**

1.º calle Poniente y calle Recoletos, La Antigua Guatemala
Hours from 9:00 to 17:00 hours

◆ **Antiguo Convento La Merced**

4.º avenida Sur y 5.º calle Oriente, La Antigua Guatemala
Hours from 8:30 to 17:45 hours

◆ **Arco de Santa Catalina**

5.º avenida Norte y 2.º calle Poniente, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Fuente de las Delicias**

2.º avenida Sur y 6.º calle Oriente, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Monumento a Fray Bartolomé de Las Casas**

5.º avenida Norte y 1.º calle Oriente, La Antigua Guatemala

Museums



◆ **Monumento a Landívar**

Alameda de Santa Lucía y 5.ª calle Poniente, La Antigua Guatemala
Hours from 9:00 to 17:00 hours

◆ **Monumento al Hermano Pedro**

Calle de los Duelos y 4.ª calle Oriente
La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Ruinas de La Catedral**

4.ª avenida Sur y 5.ª calle Oriente La Antigua Guatemala
Hours from 09:00 to 17:00 hours

◆ **Ruinas de San Francisco el Grande**

4.ª calle Oriente y Callejón del Sol, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Ruinas de Santa Clara**

2.ª avenida Sur y 6.ª calle Oriente La Antigua Guatemala
Hours from 9:00 to 17:00 hours

◆ **Tanque de la Unión**

6.ª calle Oriente, La Antigua Guatemala

◆ **Museo de Arte Colonial**

4.ª avenida Sur y 5.ª calle Oriente, La Antigua Guatemala
Hours from 9:00 to 16:00 (open from Tuesday to Sunday)

◆ **Cooperación Española**

4.ª avenida Sur y 5.ª calle Oriente, La Antigua Guatemala
Opening hours Monday to Friday from 8:30 to 17:30:00
Saturday hours from 9:30 to 14:00 hours.
(closed on Sunday)

◆ **Museo de las Tradiciones de la Semana Santa Sor Juana de Maldonado**

4.ª avenida Oriente y Callejón del Sol No.45
A La Antigua Guatemala
Hours from 9:00 to 17:00 (open from Tuesday to Sunday)

◆ **Museo del Libro Antiguo**

4.ª avenida Sur y 4.ª calle Poniente, La Antigua Guatemala
Hours from 9:00 to 16:00 (open from Tuesday to Sunday)

◆ **Museo Nacional de Arte de Guatemala -MUNAG-**

4.ª avenida Sur y 5.ª calle Poniente, La Antigua Guatemala
Hours from 10:00 to 19:00 hours. (open from Tuesday to Sunday)



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