

Costa Rica trip

- 1 April 2 2005 Saturday Arrived at airport 10:00 at Bradley , walked to terminal 2 where TACA was. Long line moved very slowly . at 11:10 women brought us into terminal and said flight was closed. Sold our seats. Put on 12:35 flight(was 12:10 non stop) to San Salvador and then arrived at SanJose at 10:00 (8:00). To Marriott Courtyard, lunch at café outside hotel, to Msl, back for np. Weather 80s , not hot ate dinner at fish restaurant.
- 2 April 3 Sunday 10% cloudy, breakfast at hotel, tour of SJ and national museum. Drive over mountains, after lunch. Fruit stand, Centro Neoptroical sarapiquis short hike, Museum indigo people and video
- 3 April f Monday 30 sec rain last night. River rafting (sara pek) river 8 miles Back at hotel, Lunch at rafting headquarters. Wx overcast. Pineapple plantation in afternoon. Talk (lady bio), dinner
- 4 April 5 tues last night rain at sarapqui lodge. Rain forest walk in AM. Lunch at hotel 1 hour market, to chachaga Hotel. Down bad road. Rain , Dinner, Rain at night. No electricity 1110pm to 1200pm.
- 5 April 6 wed clear, school lecture at 9 and visit 10 12, home (Diana), 12 1330. Hike 3-4, Dinner.
- 6 April 7 thurs overcast, to Herb factory, organic farm and lunch there. To volcano lodge, Hike on hanging bridges, hot springs, and Dinner at hot springs.
- 7 April 8 Friday Rain in am, breakfast at hotel, Drive to Chiles, river trip (Birds, lizards, monkeys) , Lunch on River. Overcast for solar eclipse. Stop at Fortuna, internet and beer.
- 8 Liberia, to lodge 1610, 3000 feet. Aqua brewed mot-mot warm at lodge. Suset at bar. Dinner. Clear at night.
- 9 April 10 Sunday. Clear. Electricity off in am. Horse ride to mud hot springs. Ride one way and tractor back, Hike to falls. dinner , Walk after dinner.
- 10 April 11 Monday. Overcast. To south of Punto Areanas. Lunch on Bay. To river cruise crocs and birds to hotel , Hot and humid dinner . hot
- 11 April 12 Tuesday good breakfast at Hotel Lapin, to Punta Arenas. Left dock 920 to Manta Raya catamaran to beach on peninsula. Kayak, snorkel(bad) nice lunch. 30 min hike. Return to hotel 1755.
- 12 April 13 Wednesday clear. To SJ via winding road. To Marriott. Dinner at restaurant on hillside. Nice view.
- 13 April 14 Thursday to Airport then home.