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Northwestern Argentina has a great diversity of habitats and birds and, even at high elevations in the puna, birds are numerous. Highlights included Greater Rhea; Ornate Tinamou; Red-legged Seriemas (in fantastic counter-calling display); eleven Andean Condors; a rare Red-faced Guan; Moreno's Ground-Dove; Hoy's Screech-Owl; a beautiful Chaco Owl; Alder Parrots; two male Wedge-tailed Hillstars (only recently found in Argentina); several male Slender-tailed Woodstars; a pair of Chaco Puffbirds; the three "long-billed" woodcreepers—Scimitar-billed, Great Rufous, and Red-billed Scythebill; Giant Antshrike; White-throated Antpitta; several scarce tyrannulets including Buff-banded and Sclater's; five species of elaenias; a pair of Rufous-throated Dippers; five species of yellow-finches; and a group of rare, high-elevation Red-backed Sierra-Finches. Finally, I cannot forget the wonderful family of four grisons playing on a road bank and crossing the road in a wiggling huddle, a rare sighting indeed.

As is often the case, a survey of memorable species and events produces a wide range of responses—on this tour, ranging from Giant Antshrikes and scythebills to our nights in the chaco with the sights and sounds of Little Nightjars (so close we could almost touch them) and Common Potoos, as well as the magnificent Chaco Owl. I also regard the display of three male Lyre-tailed Nightjars around a single female as something extremely special—something that, years ago, my wife and I once hiked over 20 miles to witness in Colombia—but the most unexpected drama may have been the pair of Red-legged Seriemas which responded so vigorously to Hector's brief playback.

Lago Pozuelos is virtually dry now and, because we were able to find almost all of the altiplano aquatic species at small remnant lagoons near Abra Pampa—albeit in far fewer numbers than once occurred at Pozuelos—we elected to visit a new area to the east of La Quiaca. This new area allowed us to see two rare Wedge-tailed Hillstars (a species scarce even in Bolivia), as well as a Citron-headed Yellow-Finch, a group of rare Red-backed Sierra-Finches, two Black-fronted Ground-Tyrants, and a Puna Canastero among others. This new area of altiplano also was one of the most beautiful I have seen in Argentina—truly inspiring.

I believe everyone was surprised, as is almost always the case, with the beauty of northwestern Argentina. Some may say it is like southern Arizona only more spectacular. The canyons, deserts, soaring cliffs eroded and sculptured into fluted patterns, immense braided riverbeds, colorful uptilted rock layers, mossy yungas forests, and golden puna grasslands spread beneath ultraviolet skies are not soon forgotten. This area contains, I believe, the most dramatic scenery on any tour that I guide. That we built a list of over 340 species of birds with only parts of two days spent inside forest is testament to the richness of this region. We hope that you come again to see the rest of Argentina and also tell your friends what a great place it is.

KEY:

Boldface and underlined = uncommon or of special interest

(*) asterisk = heard only.

LIST OF BIRDS:

Greater Rhea	<i>Rhea americana</i>
*Tataupa Tinamou	<i>Crypturellus tataupa</i>
Ornate Tinamou	<i>Nothoprocta ornata</i>
Brushland Tinamou	<i>Nothoprocta cinerascens</i>
Andean Tinamou	<i>Nothoprocta pentlandii</i>
Pied-billed Grebe	<i>Podilymbus podiceps</i>
Great Grebe	<i>Podiceps major</i>
Neotropic Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax olivaceus</i>
Whistling Heron	<i>Syrigma sibilatrix</i>
Cocoi (White-necked) Heron	<i>Ardea cocoi</i>
Great Egret	<i>Egretta alba</i>
Snowy Egret	<i>Egretta thula</i>
Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>
Striated Heron	<i>Butorides striatus</i>
Black-crowned Night-Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>
Wood Stork	<i>Mycteria americana</i>
Maguari Stork	<i>Ciconia maguari</i>
Buff-necked Ibis	<i>Theristicus melanopis</i>
White-faced Ibis	<i>Plegadis chihi</i>
Puna Ibis	<i>Plegadis ridgwayi</i>
Roseate Spoonbill	<i>Ajaia ajaia</i>
Chilean Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus chilensis</i>
Andean Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus andinus</i>
Puna (James) Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus jamesi</i>
Southern Screamer	<i>Chauna torquata</i>
Fulvous Whistling-Duck	<i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i>
White-faced Whistling-Duck	<i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>
Coscoroba Swan	<i>Coscoroba coscoroba</i>
Andean Goose	<i>Chloephaga melanoptera</i>
Comb Duck	<i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>
Torrent Duck	<i>Merganetta armata</i>
Speckled Teal	<i>Anas flavirostris</i>
Crested Duck	<i>Lophonetta specularioides</i>
Yellow-billed Pintail	<i>Anas georgica</i>
White-cheeked Pintail	<i>Anas bahamensis</i>
Puna Teal	<i>Anas puna</i>
Cinnamon Teal	<i>Anas cyanoptera</i>
Black Vulture	<i>Coragyps atratus</i>
Turkey Vulture	<i>Cathartes aura</i>
Andean Condor	<i>Vultur gryphus</i>
King Vulture	<i>Sarcoramphus papa</i>
Swallow-tailed Kite	<i>Elanoides forficatus</i>
Snail Kite	<i>Rostrhamus sociabilis</i>
White-tailed Kite	<i>Elanus leucurus</i>
Snail Kite	<i>Rostrhamus sociabilis</i>
Rufous-thighed Kite	<i>Harpagus diodon</i>
Plumbeous Kite	<i>Ictinia plumbea</i>
Savanna Hawk	<i>Buteogallus meridionalis</i>
Harris' Hawk	<i>Parabuteo unicinctus</i>
Black-chested Buzzard-Eagle	<i>Geranoaetus melanoleucus</i>
Roadside Hawk	<i>Buteo magnirostris</i>
Short-tailed Hawk	<i>Buteo brachyurus</i>

Variable Hawk	<i>Buteo poecilochrous</i>
Mountain Caracara	<i>Phalcoboenus megalopterus</i>
Southern Crested-Caracara	<i>Polyborus plancus</i>
Chimango Caracara	<i>Milvago chimango</i>
Barred Forest-Falcon	<i>Micrastur ruficollis</i>
*Collared Forest-Falcon	<i>Micrastur semitorquatus</i>
American Kestrel	<i>Falco sparverius</i>
Aplomado Falcon	<i>Falco femoralis</i>
Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>
Chaco Chachalaca	<i>Ortalis canicollis</i>
Red-faced Guan	<i>Penelope dabbeni</i>
Dusky-legged Guan	<i>Ortalis obscura</i>
*Limpkin	<i>Aramus guarauna</i>
Rufous-sided Crake	<i>Laterallus melanophaius</i>
Gray-necked Wood-Rail	<i>Aramides cajanea</i>
Giant Wood-Rail	<i>Aramides ypecaha</i>
Plumbeous Rail	<i>Rallus sanguinolentus</i>
Purple Gallinule	<i>Porphyrio martinica</i>
Common Gallinule (Moorhen)	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
White-winged Coot	<i>Fulica leucoptera</i>
Red-gartered Coot	<i>Fulica armillata</i>
Red-fronted Coot	<i>Fulica armillata</i>
Red-legged Seriema	<i>Cariama cristata</i>
Wattled Jacana	<i>Jacana jacana</i>
South American (White-backed) Stilt	<i>Himantopus melanurus</i>
Andean Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra andina</i>
Southern Lapwing	<i>Vanellus chilensis</i>
Andean Lapwing	<i>Vanellus resplendens</i>
American Golden-Plover	<i>Pluvialis dominica</i>
Puna Plover	<i>Charadrius alticola</i>
Yellowlegs sp; prob. Lesser	<i>Tringa (flavipes)</i>
Baird's Sandpiper	<i>Calidris bairdii</i>
White-rumped Sandpiper	<i>Calidris fuscicollis</i>
Wilson's Phalarope	<i>Phalaropus tricolor</i>
Gray-breasted Seedsnipe	<i>Thinocorus orbignyianus</i>
Brown-hooded Gull	<i>Larus maculipennis</i>
Andean Gull	<i>Larus serranus</i>
Rock Pigeon (Feral Pigeon)	<i>Columba livia</i>
Picazuro Pigeon	<i>Columba picazuro</i>
Spot-winged Pigeon	<i>Columba maculosa</i>
Band-tailed Pigeon	<i>Columba fasciata</i>
Pale-vented Pigeon	<i>Columba cayennensis</i>
Eared Dove	<i>Zenaida auriculata</i>
Ruddy Ground-Dove	<i>Columbina talpacoti</i>
Picui Ground-Dove	<i>Columbina picui</i>
Bare-faced Ground-Dove	<i>Metriopelia ceciliae</i>
Moreno's Ground-Dove	<i>Metriopelia morenoi</i>
Golden-spotted Ground-Dove	<i>Metriopelia aymara</i>
Black-winged Ground-Dove	<i>Metriopelia melanoptera</i>
White-tipped Dove	<i>Leptotila verreauxi</i>
White-faced (Yungus or Large-tailed) Dove	<i>Leptotila megalura</i>
Golden-collared Macaw	<i>Ara auricollis</i>
Blue-crowned Parakeet	<i>Aratinga acuticaudata</i>
Mitred Parakeet	<i>Aratinga mitrata</i>
*White-eyed Parakeet	<i>Aratinga leucophthalmus</i>
Green-cheeked Parakeet	<i>Pyrrhura molinae</i>
Monk Parakeet	<i>Myiopsitta monachus</i>

Gray-hooded Parakeet	<i>Bolborhynchus aymara</i>
Mountain Parakeet	<i>Bolborhynchus aurifrons</i>
Scaly-headed Parrot	<i>Pionus maximiliani</i>
Alder Parrot	<i>Amazona tucumana</i>
Turquoise-fronted (Blue-fronted) Parrot	<i>Amazona aestiva</i>
Dark-billed Cuckoo	<i>Coccyzus melacoryphus</i>
Squirrel Cuckoo	<i>Piaya cayana</i>
Smooth-billed Ani	<i>Crotophaga ani</i>
Guira Cuckoo	<i>Guira guira</i>
Striped Cuckoo	<i>Tapera naevia</i>
Tropical Screech-Owl	<i>Megascops choliba</i>
Hoy's Screech-Owl	<i>Megascops hoyi</i>
Ferruginous Pygmy-Owl	<i>Glaucidium brasilianum</i>
Chaco Owl	<i>Strix chacoensis</i>
Spectacled Owl	<i>Pulsatrix perspicillata</i>
Burrowing Owl	<i>Athene cunicularia</i>
Common Potoo	<i>Nyctibius griseus</i>
Rufous Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus rufous</i>
Little Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus parvulus</i>
Lyre-tailed Nightjar	<i>Uropsalis lyra</i>
White-collared Swift	<i>Streptoprocne zonaris</i>
Ashy-tailed Swift	<i>Chaetura andrei</i>
Andean Swift	<i>Aeronautes andecolus</i>
Sparkling Violetear	<i>Colibri coruscans</i>
Glittering-bellied Hummingbird	<i>Chlorostilbon aureoventris</i>
White-bellied Hummingbird	<i>Amazilia chionogaster</i>
Andean Hillstar (or hillstar sp.)	<i>Oreotrochilus (estella?)</i>
Wedge-tailed Hillstar	<i>Oreotrochilus adela</i>
Giant Hummingbird	<i>Patagona gigas</i>
Red-tailed Comet	<i>Sappho sparganura</i>
Blue-tufted Starthroat	<i>Heliomaster furcifer</i>
Slender-tailed Woodstar	<i>Microstilbon burmeisteri</i>
Blue-crowned Trogon	<i>Trogon curucui</i>
Ringed Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle torquata</i>
Green Kingfisher	<i>Chloroceryle americana</i>
Chaco Puffbird	<i>Nystalus striatipectus</i>
Toco Toucan	<i>Ramphastos toco</i>
White-barred Piculet	<i>Picumnus cirratus</i>
Checkered Woodpecker	<i>Picoides (Dendrocopus) mixtus</i>
Smoky-brown Woodpecker	<i>Veniliornis fumigatus</i>
Dot-fronted Woodpecker	<i>Veniliornis frontalis</i>
Golden-olive Woodpecker	<i>Piculus rubiginosus</i>
Green-barred Woodpecker	<i>Chrysoptilus melanochloros</i>
Andean Flicker	<i>Colaptes rupicola</i>
Cream-backed Woodpecker	<i>Campephilus leucopogon</i>
Common Miner	<i>Geositta cunicularia</i>
Puna Miner	<i>Geositta punensis</i>
Rufous-banded Miner	<i>Geositta rufipennis</i>
Plain-breasted Earthcreeper	<i>Upucerthia jelskii</i>
Straight-billed Earthcreeper	<i>Upucerthia ruficauda</i>
Rock Earthcreeper	<i>Upucerthia andaecola</i>
Chaco Earthcreeper	<i>Upucerthia certhioides</i>
Bar-winged Cinclodes	<i>Cinclodes fuscus</i>
Rufous Hornero	<i>Furnarius rufus</i>
Crested Hornero	<i>Furnarius cristatus</i>
Plain-mantled Tit-Spinetail	<i>Leptasthenura aegithaloides</i>
Brown-caped Tit-Spinetail	<i>Leptasthenura fuliginiceps</i>

Ochre-cheeked Spinetail	<i>Poecilurus scutatus</i>
Azara's Spinetail	<i>Synallaxis azarae</i>
Sooty-fronted Spinetail	<i>Synallaxis frontalis</i>
Pale-breasted Spinetail	<i>Synallaxis albescens</i>
Stripe-crowned Spinetail	<i>Cranioleuca pyrrhophia</i>
Rusty-vented (Creamy-breasted) Canastero	<i>Asthenes dorbignyi</i>
Maquis Canastero	<i>Asthenes heterura</i>
Cordilleran Canastero	<i>Asthenes modesta</i>
Puna Canastero	<i>Asthenes sclateri</i>
Rufous-fronted (Common) Thornbird	<i>Phacellodomus rufifrons</i>
Streak-fronted Thornbird	<i>Phacellodomus striaticeps</i>
Spot-breasted Thornbird	<i>Phacellodomus maculipectus</i>
Lark-like Brushrunner	<i>Coryphistera alaudina</i>
Streaked Xenops	<i>Xenops rutilans</i>
Buff-browed Foliage-gleaner	<i>Syndactyla rufosuperciliata</i>
Olivaceous Woodcreeper	<i>Sittasomus griseicapillus</i>
Scimitar-billed Woodcreeper	<i>Drymornis bridgesii</i>
Great Rufous Woodcreeper	<i>Xiphocolaptes major</i>
Narrow-billed Woodcreeper	<i>Lepidocolaptes angustirostris</i>
Red-billed Scythebill	<i>Campylorhamphus trochilirostris</i>
Giant Antshrike	<i>Batara cinerea</i>
Great Antshrike	<i>Taraba major</i>
Variable Antshrike	<i>Thamnophilus caeruleus</i>
Rufous-capped Antshrike	<i>Thamnophilus ruficapillus</i>
Stripe-backed Antbird	<i>Myrmorchilus strigilatus</i>
Black-capped Antwren	<i>Herpsilochmus pileatus</i>
White-throated Antpitta	<i>Grallaria albigula</i>
Zimmer's (formerly White-browed) Tapaculo	<i>Scytalopus superciliaris</i>
White-tipped Plantcutter	<i>Phytotoma rutila</i>
Southern Beardless-Tyrannulet	<i>Camptostoma obsoletum</i>
Greenish Elaenia	<i>Myiopagis viridicata</i>
White-crested Elaenia	<i>Elaenia albiceps</i>
Small-billed Elaenia	<i>Elaenia parvirostris</i>
Slaty Elaenia	<i>Elaenia strepera</i>
Sooty Tyrannulet	<i>Serpophaga nigricans</i>
White-crested Tyrannulet	<i>Serpophaga subcristata subcristata</i>
Gray-crowned Tyrannulet	<i>Serpophaga griseiceps</i>
Sepia-capped Flycatcher	<i>Leptopogon amaurocephalus</i>
Mottle-cheeked Tyrannulet	<i>Phylloscartes ventralis</i>
Sclater's Tyrannulet	<i>Phyllomyias sclateri</i>
Southern Scrub-Flycatcher	<i>Sublegatus modestus</i>
Chaco Suiriri Flycatcher	<i>Suiriri suiriri</i>
White-throated Tyrannulet	<i>Mecocerculus leucophrys</i>
Buff-banded Tyrannulet	<i>Mecocerculus hellmayri</i>
Plain Tyrannulet	<i>Inezia inornata</i>
Greater Wagtail-Tyrant	<i>Stigmatura budytoides</i>
Yellow-billed Tit-Tyrant	<i>Anairetes flavirostris</i>
Tufted Tit-Tyrant	<i>Anairetes parulus</i>
Tawny-crowned Pygmy-Tyrant	<i>Euscarthmus meloryphus</i>
Pearly-vented Tody-Tyrant	<i>Hemitriccus margaritaceiventer</i>
Ochre-faced Tody-Flycatcher	<i>Todirostrum plumbeiceps</i>
Bran-colored Flycatcher	<i>Myiophobus fasciatus</i>
Cinnamon Flycatcher	<i>Pyrrhomyias cinnamomea</i>
Cliff Flycatcher	<i>Hirundinea ferruginea</i>
Fuscous Flycatcher	<i>Cnemotriccus fuscatus</i>
Euler's Flycatcher	<i>Lathrotriccus euleri</i>
Smoke-colored (Greater) Pewee	<i>Contopus fumigatus</i>

Black Phoebe	<i>Sayornis nigricans</i>
Vermilion Flycatcher	<i>Pyrocephalus rubinus</i>
D'Orbigny's Chat-Tyrant	<i>Ochthoeca oenanthoides</i>
White-browed Chat-Tyrant	<i>Ochthoeca leucophrys</i>
Streak-throated Bush-Tyrant	<i>Myiotheretes striaticollis</i>
White Monjita	<i>Xolmis irupero</i>
Black-billed Shrike-Tyrant	<i>Agriornis montana</i>
Gray-bellied Shrike-Tyrant	<i>Agriornis microptera</i>
Spot-billed Ground-Tyrant	<i>Muscisaxicola maculirostris</i>
Rufous-naped Ground-Tyrant	<i>Muscisaxicola rufivertex</i>
Andean Negrito	<i>Lessonia rufa</i>
Cinereous Tyrant	<i>Knipolegus striaticeps</i>
Andean Tyrant	<i>Knipolegus signatus</i>
White-winged Black-Tyrant	<i>Knipolegus aterrimus</i>
Spectacled Tyrant	<i>Hymenops perspicillatus</i>
Black-backed Water-Tyrant	<i>Fluvicola albiventer</i>
Yellow-browed Tyrant	<i>Satrapa icterophrys</i>
Cattle Tyrant	<i>Machetornis rixosus</i>
Rufous Casiornis	<i>Casiornis rufa</i>
Dusky-capped Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus tuberculifer</i>
Swainson's Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus swainsoni</i>
Brown-crested Flycatcher	<i>Myiarchus tyrannulus</i>
Great Kiskadee	<i>Pitangus sulphuratus</i>
Streaked Flycatcher	<i>Myiodynastes maculatus</i>
Piratic Flycatcher	<i>Legatus leucophaeus</i>
Variegated Flycatcher	<i>Empidonomus varius</i>
Crowned Slaty-Flycatcher	<i>Griseotyrannus aurantioatrocristatus</i>
Tropical Kingbird	<i>Tyrannus melancholicus</i>
Fork-tailed Flycatcher	<i>Tyrannus savana</i>
*White-winged Becard	<i>Pachyramphus polychopterus</i>
Brown-chested Martin	<i>Progne tapera</i>
Gray-breasted Martin	<i>Progne chalybea</i>
Southern Martin	<i>Progne elegans</i>
White-rumped Swallow	<i>Tachycineta leucorrhoa</i>
Blue-and-white Swallow	<i>Notiochelidon cyanoleuca</i>
Hellmayr's Pipit	<i>Anthus hellmayri</i>
Rufous-throated Dipper	<i>Cinclus schulzi</i>
House Wren	<i>Troglodytes aedon</i>
Mountain Wren	<i>Troglodytes solstitialis</i>
Grass Wren	<i>Cistothorus platensis</i>
Patagonian Mockingbird	<i>Minimus patagonicus</i>
Brown-backed Mockingbird	<i>Mimus dorsalis</i>
*Spotted Nightingale-Thrush	<i>Catharus dryas</i>
Swainson's Thrush	<i>Catharus ustulatus</i>
Chiguanco Thrush	<i>Turdus chiguanco</i>
Glossy-black Thrush	<i>Turdus serranus</i>
Andean Slaty-Thrush	<i>Turdus nigriceps</i>
Rufous-bellied Thrush	<i>Turdus rufiventris</i>
Creamy-bellied Thrush	<i>Turdus amaurochalinus</i>
Masked Gnatcatcher	<i>Polioptila dumicola</i>
Plush-crested Jay	<i>Cyanocorax chrysops</i>
House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>
Red-eyed Vireo	<i>Vireo olivaceus</i>
Rufous-browed Peppershrike	<i>Cyclarhis gujanensis</i>
Purple-throated Euphonia	<i>Euphonia chlorotica</i>
Golden-rumped Euphonia	<i>Euphonia cyanocephala</i>
Hooded Siskin	<i>Carduelis magellanica</i>

Black Siskin	<i>Carduelis uropygialis</i>
[Yellow-rumped Siskin	<i>Carduelis uropygialis</i>
Tropical Parula	<i>Parula pitiayumi</i>
Masked Yellowthroat	<i>Geothlypis aequinoctialis</i>
Brown-capped Redstart	<i>Myioborus bruniceps</i>
Two-banded Warbler	<i>Basileuterus bivittatus</i>
Pale-legged Warbler	<i>Basileuterus signatus</i>
Common Bush-Tanager	<i>Chlorospingus ophthalmicus</i>
Orange-headed Tanager	<i>Thlypopsis sordida</i>
Rust-and-yellow Tanager	<i>Thlypopsis ruficeps</i>
Lowland Hepatic-Tanager	<i>Piranga flava</i>
Sayaca Tanager	<i>Thraupis sayaca</i>
Blue-and-yellow Tanager	<i>Thraupis bonariensis</i>
Fawn-breasted Tanager	<i>Pipraeidea melanonota</i>
Many-colored Chaco-Finch	<i>Saltatricula multicolor</i>
Red-crested Finch	<i>Coryphospingus cucullatus</i>
Black-hooded Sierra-Finch	<i>Phrygilus atriceps</i>
Gray-hooded Sierra-Finch	<i>Phrygilus gayi</i>
Mourning Sierra-Finch	<i>Phrygilus fruticeti</i>
Red-backed Sierra-Finch	<i>Phrygilus dorsalis</i>
Band-tailed Sierra-Finch	<i>Phrygilus alaudinus</i>
Ash-breasted Sierra-Finch	<i>Phrygilus plebejus</i>
Black-crested Finch	<i>Lophospingus pusillus</i>
Common Diuca Finch	<i>Diuca diuca</i>
Rufous-sided Warbling-Finch	<i>Poospiza hypochondria</i>
Rusty-browed Warbling-Finch	<i>Poospiza erythrophrys</i>
Black-and-chestnut Warbling-Finch	<i>Poospiza whitii</i>
Tucuman Mountain-Finch	<i>Poospiza baeri</i>
Black-capped Warbling-Finch	<i>Poospiza melanoleuca</i>
Blue-black Grassquit	<i>Volatina jacarina</i>
Lined Seedeater	<i>Sporophila lineola</i>
Double-collared Seedeater	<i>Sporophila caerulea</i>
Lined Seedeater	<i>Sporophila lineola</i>
Band-tailed Seedeater	<i>Catamenia analis</i>
Plain-colored Seedeater	<i>Catamenia inornata</i>
Puna Yellow-Finch	<i>Sicalis lutea</i>
Saffron Finch	<i>Sicalis flaveola</i>
Bright-rumped Yellow-Finch	<i>Sicalis uropygialis</i>
Citron-headed Yellow-Finch	<i>Sicalis luteocephala</i>
Greenish Yellow-Finch	<i>Sicalis olivaceus</i>
Great Pampa-Finch	<i>Embernagra platensis</i>
Red-crested Cardinal	<i>Paroaria coronata</i>
Fulvous-headed Brush-Finch	<i>Atlapetes fulviceps</i>
Stripe-headed Brush-Finch	<i>Atlapetes torquatus</i>
Saffron-billed Sparrow	<i>Arremon flavirostris</i>
Stripe-capped Sparrow	<i>Aimophila strigiceps</i>
Grassland Sparrow	<i>Ammodramus humeralis</i>
Rufous-collared Sparrow	<i>Zonotrichia capensis</i>
Grayish Saltator	<i>Saltator coerulescens</i>
Golden-billed Saltator	<i>Saltator aurantirostris</i>
Black-backed Grosbeak	<i>Pheucticus aureoventris</i>
Ultramarine Grosbeak	<i>Cyanocompsa cyanea</i>
Unicolored Blackbird	<i>Chrysomus (Agelaius) cyanopus</i>
Long-tailed Meadowlark	<i>Sturnella loyca</i>
Bay-winged Cowbird	<i>Molothrus badius</i>
Screaming Cowbird	<i>Molothrus rufoaxillaris</i>
Shiny Cowbird	<i>Molothrus bonariensis</i>

Epaulet Oriole	<i>Icterus cayanensis</i>
Golden-winged Cacique	<i>Cacicus chrysopterus</i>
*Solitary (Black) Cacique	<i>Cacicus solitarius</i>
Crested Oropendola	<i>Psarocolius decumanus</i>

MAMMALS:

Vicuna	<i>Lama vicugna</i>
Gray Fox	<i>Dusicyon gymnocercus</i>
Least Cavy or cavi sp.	<i>Microcavia australis</i>
Agouti (prob Azara's Agouti); w/blk rump	<i>Dasyprocta azarae</i>
Gray Brocket Deer	<i>Mazama guazoubira</i>
Grison	<i>Galictis cuja</i>
Bolivian Squirrel	<i>Sciurus aestuans</i> (presumed this sp)
European Hare	<i>Lepus capense</i>