

MONARCH BUTTERFLY TOUR HOPE FOR THE MONARCHS

EMERGENCY CONTACT:

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DATES: January 2025

NIGHTS/DAYS: 1 Night / 2 Days AIRPORTS: Leon or Queretaro

PRICE: TBA

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT: TBA

DETAILED ITINERARY

Day 1. Day and Date TBA - Bienvenidos

Hotel Location: Tlalpujahua, Michoacan Mexico

Depart San Miguel de Allende by 9 AM and arrive in Tlalpujahua on time for lunch. If you would like to visit the mine museum, please let us

know so we can arrange this with the driver. Tlalpujahua is a Pueblo Magico famed for being Mexico's most enchanting Christmas town. Enjoy browsing the galleries. We will meet at 5 PM for dinner and a lecture with Dr. Pablo Jaramillo Lopez entitled "Hope for the Monarchs." Dr. Jaramillo will discuss obstacles this fragile migration faces, with ideas and solutions for mitigating threats to their environment.

Commute Times: To Tlalpujahua is about 3 hours

Day 2. Day and Date TBA - Meet the Methuselah Generation

This morning we will have breakfast at our hotel, departing by 10:30 for the Sierra Chincua Monarch Butterfly Sanctuary. We will hike into the reserve with Dr. Jaramillo, enjoying his insights into the flora, fauna and other theories Scientists have about why the Monarchs migrate to this region. After visiting the Methuselah Generation of hibernating Monarchs, we will return to the parking lot for lunch with the traditional Mazahua cooks. Feast on blue corn quesedillas, rice with chicken and mole, atole and more!

From the parking lot, guests will return to San Miguel de Allende.

Commute Times: Approximately 4 hours Total

WE HOPE YOU HAVE A WONDERFUL TRIP AND WILL JOIN US AGAIN!