



Mexico GTNay Harvest Update 2021



Malinal is back!

Our longest and most ardent supporters may remember that well before the existence of Grupo Terruño Nayarita, San Cristobal Coffee Importers directly worked with and imported from just one community in Nayarit - Malinal.

This year, the farmers of Malinal have asked to once again contribute their cherries to the group. It's going to be a small harvest, but we are excited to soon feature their coffee!

Location of Malinal, Nayarit



The Women Coffee Producers of La Yerba, Nayarit - Video

Many, many...many months ago, in March of 2020, a team of video journalists from Mexican coffee publication, El Mundo de Café la Revista, came to visit the CAFESUMEX office in Tepic.

They created this short video, which highlights the women producers of the ASTAL Society in La Yerba. Now with English captions, the video has been uploaded to YouTube, where it can be viewed and shared by the roasters who support this incredible group of farmers!

For some background: the community of La Yerba, situated at the base of a dormant volcano Cerro San Juan, is home to the ASTAL Society, with 14 women producers of the 36 total farmers. The society of ASTAL receives, separates, and processes coffee cherries from its women producers to create their exclusive microlots. Because of their hard work and dedication, they receive a premium for their Mujeres Productores certified microlots.

[Watch Video](#)



Donation from Auction in Australia

We are very proud to announce that our Australian counterpart, Bennetts Coffee Traders, auctioned off five bags of La Yerba Women's coffee. The proceeds from this auction, totaling MXN \$73,475, have been donated directly back to the 14 women producers of ASTAL for the purchase of machinery, new seedlings, and to fund support for their families.

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Happy Spring!

-Devorah, James, Kenneth, and Jacob