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From Tierra del Fuego to Tijuana

On a journey from the southern tip of South America to the U.S.-Mexican border, we meet people who tell us about their daily lives and their country. We learn about history, politics, economics and society, as we travel through the breathtaking scenery of this huge continent. Encounters with people from all walks of life provide the focus of each reportage. They talk about their cultural roots, their concerns, hopes and visions for the future.

01 From Tierra del Fuego to the Capitals of Chile and Argentina

Tierra del Fuego – rugged terrain and unusual biographies. Patagonia – Mapuche Indians defend their territory. Santiago de Chile – scientists research what the future holds for mega-cities. Buenos Aires – art and design in the trendy district of Palermo.

02 From Uruguay to Brazil

Montevideo – the Afro-American rhythms of Candombe set the tone in Uruguay. Gramado – a slice of Germany in southern Brazil. Rio de Janeiro – Dona Marta, a deprived area picks itself up.

03 From Paraguay to Bolivia

Itaipú – superlative water power. Gran Chaco – Mennonites in Paraguay's "Green Hell". Sucre – Bolivia's true capital. Lake Titicaca – Copacabana is a pilgrimage site.

04 From Peru to Ecuador

Machu Picchu – a trekking tour to the ancient Inca city. Lima – street soccer as educational program. Galapagos – the magical archipelago. Mitad del Mundo (Middle of the World) – the displaced equator in Ecuador.

05 From Colombia to Venezuela

Medellin – hip -hop in the former drugs-mafia heartland. Cartagena – Caribbean flair, Colombian style. Caracas – beauty queens and class struggle. Orinoco Delta – Warao Indians, tradition and the modern world.

06 From Panama to Costa Rica

Panama Canal – the myth revived.

Boomtown Panama City – the bootblack's tale.

Costa Rica – reforestation of the jungle as a source of income.

07 From Nicaragua to El Salvador

Managua – the lakeside city. Intipucá – a symbol of emigration in El Salvador. San Salvador – film-making as a social project. Petén – the largest research project into the world of the Maya.

08 Mexico

Riviera Maya – the battle to save the mangrove forests. Mexico-City – disarming art. Puebla – reviving the dance of the Aztecs. Tijuana – prospects for the future.