

MARIACHI   
**GARIBALDI**  
de Jaime Cuellar



# MEET MARIACHI GARIBALDI DE JAIME CUÉLLAR

## Extended Biography

Mariachi Garibaldi de Jaime Cuéllar, founded in 1994 by Jaime Cuéllar, has captivated audiences for over 30 years with dynamic musicianship and vibrant performances. Now led by Jimmy Cuéllar, the group is one of Los Angeles' premier mariachi ensembles, sharing the stage with icons like Juan Gabriel, Alejandro Fernández, and Pepe Aguilar. They've performed at major venues nationwide and recently appeared on Tiny Desk Concerts with Camila Cabello, highlighting mariachi's global reach. Their viral collaborations and high-profile appearances—including at the White House—continue to elevate their reputation as one of California's leading mariachi groups.

## Brief Bio

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# DIRECTOR JIMMY K. CUÉLLAR

Originally from Bakersfield, California, Jimmy Cuéllar began his mariachi career as a teenager alongside his father, Jaime Cuéllar, and was a founding member of Mariachi Garibaldi de Jaime Cuéllar. A versatile multi-instrumentalist, he spent a decade with Mariachi Los Camperos and has performed with artists including Lila Downs, Aida Cuevas, and José Feliciano. A three-time Grammy Award winner and nominee, Jimmy is also a composer, arranger, and educator. He holds a degree from California State University, Long Beach and pursued graduate studies at University of Nevada, Las Vegas. He currently serves as head curriculum writer for the mariachi program at Orange County School of the Arts and leads CUE Music in Montebello, CA, mentoring the next generation of musicians.

# MUSIC SAMPLES

LA CAMINERA

POPURRI DE CANCIONES I

NAVIDAD JAROCHA

YO SIN TI

# QUOTES

"THE GENEROUS PROGRAM OF 13 NUMBERS, SEVERAL OF THEM TRIBUTES TO DEPARTED LEGENDS SUCH AS SELENA AND JUAN GABRIEL, DISPLAYS MARIACHI GARIBALDI'S POWERFUL VOICES. THE TROUPE'S MULTI-INSTRUMENTALISTS SWITCH WITH SEEMING EFFORTLESSNESS FROM FEVER-PACED VIOLINS TO MELLOW HORNS TO VARIOUS FORMS OF GUITARS."  
- JANICE STEINBERG, SAN DIEGO STORY

"THEY ARE AMAZING MUSICIANS. THE VOCALS WERE OUTSTANDING. THE MEXICAN EXTENDED FALSETTOS PERFORMED BY SEVERAL OF THEM WERE GREAT. MARIACHI GARIBALDI WAS EQUAL IN CALIBER TO ANY CLASSICAL STRING ORCHESTRA PERFORMING WITH OPERATIC SINGERS. THEIR MUSICIANSHIP AND PRESENTATION WAS IMPECCABLE, WELL-STYLED AND EXECUTED. THE PIZZICATO PASSAGES BY ALL THREE VIOLINISTS WERE OVER THE TOP."  
- TOM GREEN, PRESIDENT  
GILA VALLEY ARTS COUNCIL

"CAMILA CABELLO'S NEW SONG, "LA BUENA VIDA," FEATURES THE CALIFORNIA-BASED OUTFIT, MARIACHI GARIBALDI DE JAIME CUÉLLAR. THE SNAPPY TUNE FINDS CABELLO BELTING A KISS-OFF OVER A SWIFT RUSH OF STRINGS, HORNS, AND GUITARS."  
JON BLISTEIN  
ROLLING STONE

"THE STUDENT SHOW WENT VERY WELL! LOTS OF HAPPY STUDENTS IN THE AUDIENCE."  
DESIREE ONG  
ASU GAMMAGE EDUCATION PROGRAM MANAGER

"THE SHOW AT THE SORAYA WAS SEAMLESS THANKS TO THE MASTER MUSICAL ARRANGEMENTS BY JAIME CUELLAR AND HIS MARIACHI GARIBALDI."  
BENJAMIN C. HERNANDEZ  
PROFESSOR EMERITUS, EAST LOS ANGELES COLLEGE

"LAST EVENING'S PERFORMANCE BY MARIACHI GARIBALDI DE JAIME CUELLAR WITH FOLKLORICO DANCERS WAS THE HIGHLIGHT OF THIS YEAR'S CONCERT SEASON. SEVERAL OF OUR MEMBERS WENT SO FAR AS TO SAY THAT IT WAS AN ALL-TIME HIGHPOINT OF OUR 27 YEARS OF PRESENTING CONCERTS. EACH MEMBER OF THE GROUP IS AN OUTSTANDING MUSICIAN AND PERFORMER. THEIR PERFORMANCE OF THIS WONDERFUL TRADITIONAL MUSIC OF MEXICO'S STREETS AND BARRIOS EASILY LIFTED THE MUSIC TO THE CONCERT STAGE WITHOUT LOSING ITS CHARM AS A TRADITIONAL EXPRESSION OF THE SOUL OF THE PEOPLE OF MEXICO. IT IS IMPORTANT TO NOTE THAT EACH MEMBER OF THE MARIACHI IS AN OUTSTANDING PERFORMER, NOT ONLY ON THEIR CHOSEN INSTRUMENT, BUT EACH WAS A POWERFUL AND EXPRESSIVE SINGER OF THE MARIACHI TRADITION. THE AUDIENCE MEMBERS ARE ALREADY ASKING "WHEN CAN WE HAVE THEM BACK AGAIN?"  
JACK KUKUK, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR  
GOLD CANYON AND GILA VALLEY (AZ) ARTS COUNCIL





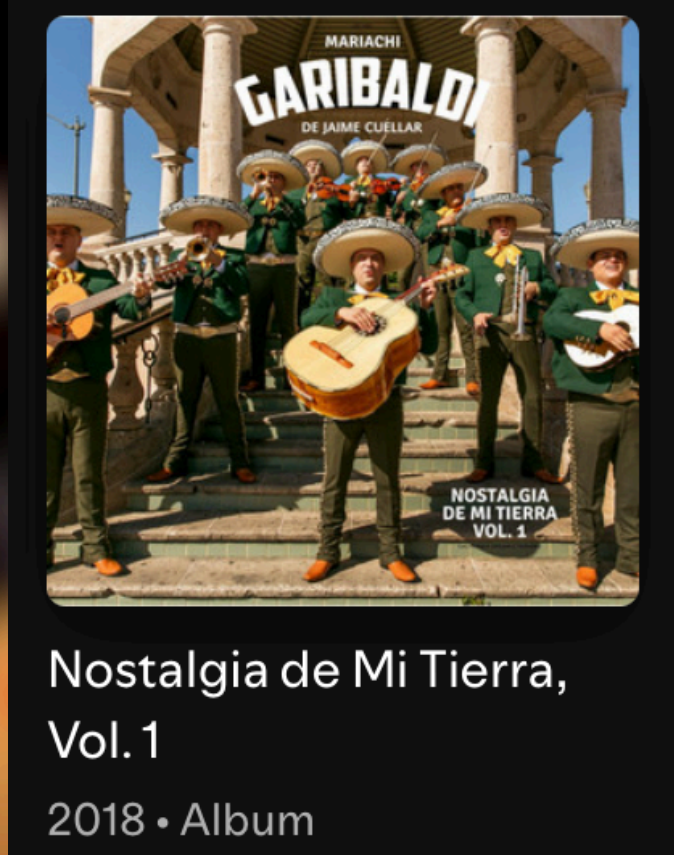
¡Viva la Tradicion!

2013 • Album



La Nueva Etapa

2015 • Album



Nostalgia de Mi Tierra,  
Vol. 1

2018 • Album

# ALBUMS



25 Aniversario

2020 • Album



La Bohemia

2025 • Album

# PAST DATES

## 2024

## 2025

### INGLEWOOD, CA

Kia Forum w/ Los Tigres del Norte

2/2

### SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA

Performing Arts Center San Luis Obispo

10/30

### LAS VEGAS, NV

Michelob ULTRA Arena w/Los Tigres del Norte

2/3

### CHICO, CA

Laxson Auditorium

11/1

### SAFFORD AND GOLD CANYON, AZ

Phoenix area residency.

2/4-10

### SANTA BARBARA, CA

Santa Barbara area residency

11/20-24

### RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA

LoanMart Field

4/13

### OGDEN, UT

Austad Auditorium

12/6

### CARLSBAD, CA

Carlsbad Library & Arts Foundation

5/11

### LA JOLLA, CA

Epstein Family Amphitheater

12/7

### ESCONDIDO, CA

Escondido Center for the Arts

5/31

### SANTA ANA, CA

santa Ana Stadium

12/8

### GOSHEN, IN

Goshen College Music Center

8/30

### SPOKANE, WA

Myrtle Woldson Performing Arts Center

12/14-15

### CHANDLER, AZ

Gila River Resorts & Casinos

9/13

### SAN ANGELO, TX

Murphey Performance Hall

12/17

### FULLERTON, CA

Muckenthaler Cultural Center

9/26

### RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA

Lewis Family Playhouse at Victoria Gardens Cultural Center

12/22

### TEMPE, AZ

Tempe Center For The Arts

10/5

### RICHARDSON, TX

Charles W. Eisemann Center for Performing Arts

12/28

### POWAY, CA

Poway Center for the Performing Arts

10/6

### HEMET, CA

Tahquitz High School

2/2

### MODESTO, CA

Gallo Center for the Arts

11/2

### COSTA MESA, CA

Renée and Henry Segerstrom Concert Hall

3/22

### WILMINGTON, NC

Kenan Auditorium

11/21

### SALEM, OR

Chemeketa Community College

5/2

### CHARLOTTE, NC

Carolina Theatre

11/22

### CARLSBAD, CA

Omni La Costa

6/26

### CINCINNATI, OH

Aronoff Center for the Arts

12/2

### CASPER, WY

FiestaWyo

8/30

### LA JOLLA, CA

Epstein Family Amphitheater

12/13

### LOS ANGELES, CA

Luckman Theater

9/6

### ORANGE, CA

Musco Center for the Arts

12/14

### LOS ANGELES, CA

El Grito

9/13

### SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA

Performing Arts Center San Luis Obispo

12/17

### OVERLAND PARK, KS

Midwest Trust Center @ Johnson County Community College

10/10

### CHICO, CA

Laxson Auditorium

12/18

### LEBANON, IL

Hettenhausen Center for the Arts at McKendree University

10/11

### SPOKANE, WA

Myrtle Woldson Performing Arts Center

12/20

### PROVO, UT

Covey Center for the Arts

10/30

### LIVERMORE, CA

Bankhead Theater

12/22

### OGDEN, UT

Peery's Egyptian Theater

11/1

### RICHARDSON, TX

Charles W. Eisemann Center for Performing Arts

12/27

### HARLINGEN, TX

Harlingen Municipal Auditorium

12/28



*Soñando con*  
**MÉXICO**  
*Dreaming of México*

# SOÑANDO CON MÉXICO

**Dreaming of México**

is a vibrant celebration of Mexico's rich musical heritage, brought to life through the timeless sound of mariachi. This dynamic concert experience honors the legends who shaped the genre while showcasing beloved classics that have defined generations. Audiences are taken on a musical journey across Mexico, with selections that highlight the unique traditions and sounds of different regions. Soñando con México is also fully customizable, allowing presenters to tailor the program around specific themes, cultural highlights, or audience preferences.

# FIESTAS DE MÉXICO

## A Cultural Celebration

Step into the enchanting world of "Fiestas de Mexico: A Cultural Celebration" where lively traditions come to life with each spirited performance. Witness the intricate choreography that beautifully captures the essence of Mexican celebrations, from the exuberant footwork of wedding dances to the graceful movements symbolizing quinceañeras. Mariachi Garibaldi de Jaime Cuéllar and Ballet Folklórico del Rio Grande bring you energetic portrayals of birthdays, rodeos, and other festive occasions that will immerse you in the joyous spirit of Mexican culture. The dancers, adorned in elaborate and colorful costumes, skillfully bring these traditions to the stage, creating a visual feast that mirrors the vibrancy of the celebrations themselves. It's a mesmerizing journey through time-honored customs and the heartwarming connections forged during these cherished moments.





# ETERNAMENTE SPECTACULAR

A Día de los Muertos Spectacular!

Mariachi Garibaldi de Jaime Cuéllar and Ballet Folklórico del Río Grande bring you the blockbuster show "Eternamente: A Día de los Muertos Spectacular." We invite the audience to join us in a celebration of life with lively music and dance, beautiful costumes, and a virtual altar to those we have lost.

This show, an homage to Mexico's rich cultural heritage, blends graceful traditional dance with vibrant storytelling that also tips a hat to the great Mexican singers of yesteryear such as Vicente Fernandez, Pedro Infante, Lucha Villa, and more.

"Eternamente" transcends mere spectacle it's a portal into the heart of us all, where every twirl and note will become a tribute to the beauty of remembrance. Join this unforgettable fiesta, where tradition and spectacle converge, and the spirit of Día de los Muertos is celebrated "Eternamente." Who knows: La Muerte herself may make an appearance!

# CAMPANA SOBRE CAMPANA

Christmas in México

Mariachi Garibaldi de Jaime Cuéllar and Ballet Folklórico del Rio Grande invite you to celebrate the holiday season with Campana Sobre Campana: Christmas in Mexico! Named for the beloved Andalusian Christmas Carol, this vibrant show weaves cherished Mexican traditions into a magical story of the season!

Through the joyous rhythms of "Bells Upon Bells" and the colorful spectacle of Mexican dance, we capture the heartwarming reenactment of Mary and Joseph's journey! You'll experience the spirit of Posadas, the majesty of the Reyes Magos, and the thrill of breaking piñatas! Join Mariachi Garibaldi de Jaime Cuéllar and Ballet Folklórico del Rio Grande for an unforgettable program where every note and dance step embodies the rich cultural tapestry of Christmas in Mexico!



# JOINT SHOWS

with El Ballet Folklórico Del Rio Grande



**Fiestas de México, Eternamente, and Campana Sobre Campana** are dynamic touring productions that unite **Mariachi Garibaldi de Jaime Cuéllar** and **Ballet Folklórico del Río Grande**. Together, these two acclaimed ensembles bring the vibrant music, dance, and traditions of Mexico to audiences across the country through visually stunning and culturally rich performances that celebrate heritage, storytelling, and artistry.

# CONCERT WITH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Mariachi Garibaldi has performed with several symphony orchestras across the United States, bringing the richness and energy of mariachi music to a wide range of concert settings. With a vast repertoire of traditional Mexican classics, fan favorites, and dynamic concert pieces, the group can also offer programming suggestions and creative input to help shape a memorable and well-balanced performance.

Mariachi Garibaldi has previously performed with distinguished orchestras including Pacific Symphony, the ASU Symphony Orchestra, the North State Symphony, the Culver City Symphony Orchestra, and the Holland Symphony Orchestra.

# PRESS PHOTOS



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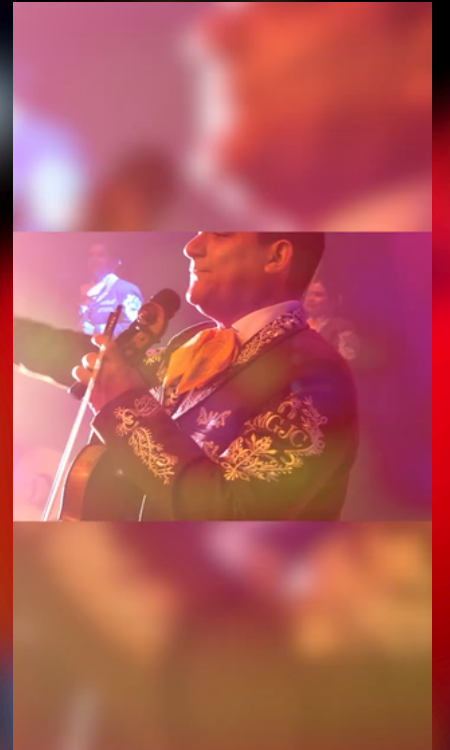


# PROMOTIONAL VIDEOS

## HORIZONTAL

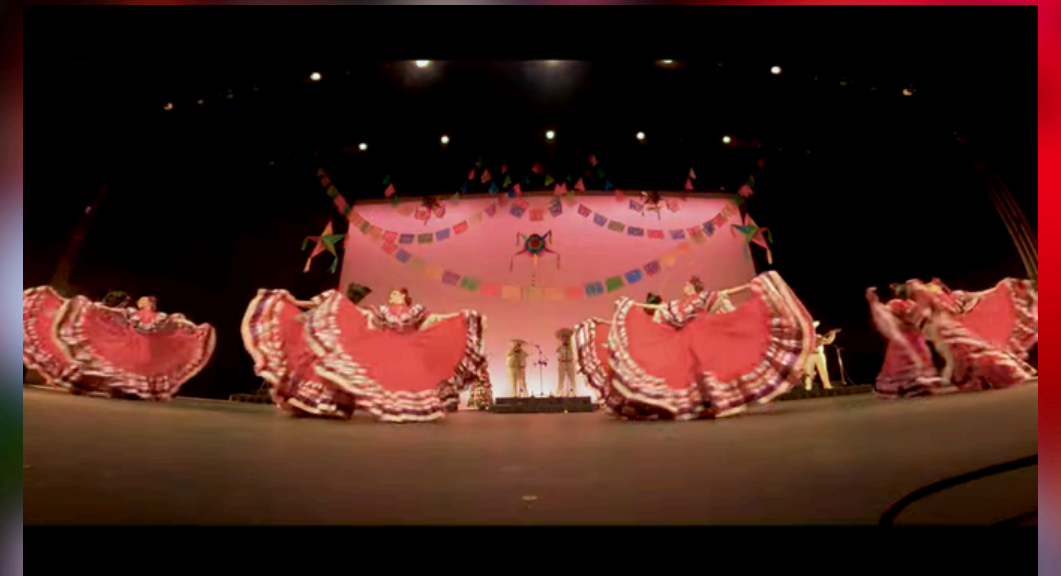


## VERTICAL



# VIDEOS

(YOUTUBE CLIPS)



# STAGE PLOT AND INPUT LIST

## INPUT LIST

### STAGE PLOT

Solo Mariachi/with Dancers

### STAGE PLOT

With Symphony Orchestra

## LIGHTING PLOT

# CONTACT INFO



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