



La-Esperanza Bird List

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SPECIES NAME	Cloud forest (2050 m.a.s.l)	White sand forest (1825 m.a.s.l)	Notes
Long Whiskered Owlet <i>Xenoglaux loweri</i>	X		Endemic , rare, Endangered
Hooded Tinamou <i>Nothocercus nigrocapillus</i>	?	X	
Black Vulture <i>Coragyps atratus</i>	X		
Turkey Vulture <i>Cathartes aura</i>	X	X	
Sharp-shinned Hawk <i>Accipiter striatus</i>		X	
Bicolored Hawk <i>Accipiter bicolor</i>	X		
Roadside Hawk <i>Buteo magnirostris</i>	X		
White-throated Hawk <i>Buteo albigula</i>		X	
Black and Chestnut Eagle <i>Oroaetus isidori</i>	X		
Black Hawk Eagle <i>Spizaetus tyrannus</i>	X		
Black Chested Buzzard Eagle <i>Geranoetus melanoleucos</i>	X		
White Rumped Hawk <i>Buteo leucorrhous</i>	X		
Red-backed Hawk <i>Buteo polyosoma</i>	X		
American Kestrel <i>Falco sparverius</i>		X	
Swallow Tailed Kite <i>Elanoides forficatus</i>	X		
Squirrel Cuckoo <i>Piaya cayana</i>	X		
Andean Guan <i>Penelope montagnii</i>		X	
Sickle Winged Guan <i>Chamaepetes goudotii</i>	X		
Wattled Guan <i>Aburria aburri</i>	X		
Rufus Breasted Wood-Quail <i>Odontophorus speciosus</i>	X		
Ruddy Pigeon	X	X	

<i>Patagioenas subvinacea</i>			
Band Tailed Pigeon <i>Patagioenas fasciata</i>	X	X	
Plumbeous Pigeon <i>Columba plumbea</i>	X	X	
White-tipped Dove <i>Leptotila verreauxi</i>	X	X	
White-throated Quail-Dove <i>Geotrygon frenata</i>	X		
Scarlet-fronted Parakeet <i>Aratinga wagleri</i>	X	X	
White-eyed Parakeet <i>Aratinga leucophthalmus</i>	X		
Red Billed Parrot <i>Pionus sordidus</i>	X	X	
Speckle Faced Parrot <i>Pionus tumultuosus</i>	X		
(White-capped) Parrot <i>Pionus (seniloides)</i>	X		
Scaly-naped Parrot <i>Amazona mercenaria</i>	X	X	
Rufous-banded Owl <i>Ciccaba albitarsis</i>	X		
Black-banded Owl <i>Ciccaba hulula</i>	X		
Vermiculated Screech-Owl <i>Megascops Guatenmalae</i>	X		Uncommon
Band-bellied Owl <i>Pulsatrix melanota</i>	X		
Rufescent Screech Owl <i>Megascops ingens</i>	X	X	Widespread in the tropical Andes but uncommon
Cinnamon Screech-Owl <i>Megascops petersoni</i>	X	X	Endemic to N Peru and S Ecuador, generally uncommon.
Andean Pygmy Owl <i>Glaucidium jardiinii</i>		X	
Rufous-bellied Nighthawk <i>Lurocalis rufiventris</i>	X	X	
Swallow-tailed Nightjar <i>Uropsalis segmentata</i>	X		Widespread in the tropical Andes but uncommon and spectacular.
Lyre-tailed Nightjar <i>Uropsalis lyra</i>	X		Widespread in the tropical Andes but uncommon and spectacular.
Common Pauraque <i>Nyctidromus albicollis</i>	X	X	
White Tipped Swift <i>Aeronautes montivagus</i>		X	
White-collared Swift <i>Streptoprocne zonaris</i>	X	X	
Swift sp. <i>Chaetura sp.</i>		X	
Tawny-bellied Hermit <i>Phaetornis syrmatophorus</i>	X		
Buff Tailed Sicklebill	X		

<i>Eutoxeres condamini</i>			
White-tipped Sicklebill <i>Euroxeres aquila</i>	X		
Pale Tailed Barbthroat <i>Threnetes leucurus</i>	X		
Green-fronted Lancebill <i>Doryfera ludovicae</i>	X	X	
Green Violetear <i>Colibri thalassinus</i>	X	X	
Sparkling Violetear <i>Colibri coruscans</i>		X	
White-bellied Hummingbird <i>Amazilia chionogaster</i>	X		
Speckled Hummingbird <i>Adelomyia melanogenys</i>	X	X	
Fawn-breasted Brilliant <i>Heliodoxa rubinoides</i>	X		
Violet-fronted Brilliant <i>Heliodoxa leadbeateri</i>		X	
Bronzy Inca <i>Coeligena coeligena</i>	X	X	
Chestnut-breasted Coronet <i>Boissonneaua matthewsii</i>	X		
Amethyst Throated Sunangel <i>Heliangelus amethysticollis</i>	X	X	
Royal Sunangel <i>Heliangelus regalis</i>		X	Endemic to N Peru and southernmost Ecuador, and very local within its small range. Listed as Threatened. Quite common at this white sand forest.
Greenish Puffleg <i>Haplophaedia aureliae</i>	X		
Green Tailed Trainbearer <i>Lesbia nuna</i>	X		
Booted Racket-tail <i>Ocreatus underwoodii</i>	X	X	
Rufous-capped Thornbill <i>Chalcostigma ruficeps</i>			
Long-tailed Sylph <i>Agelaiocercus kingi</i>	X	X	
Wedge-billed Hummingbird <i>Schistes geoffroyi</i>	X	X	
Tyrian Metaltail <i>Metallura tyrianthina</i>	X	X	
Purple-collared Woodstar <i>Myrtis fanny</i>		X	
White-bellied Woodstar <i>Acestura mulsant</i>		X	
Masked Trogon <i>Trogon personatus</i>	X		
Golden-headed Quetzal <i>Pharomachrus auriceps</i>	X	X	
Versicolored Barbet	X		

<i>Eubucco versicolor</i>			
Emerald Toucanet <i>Aulacorhynchus prasinus</i>	X	X	Rare to uncommon
Grey Breasted Mountain Toucan <i>Andigena hypoglauca</i>	X		Nearly Threatened
Bar Breasted Piculet <i>Picumnus aurifrons</i>	X		Uncommon
Speckle-chested Piculet <i>Picumnus steindachneri</i>		X	Endemic to N Peru and listed as Near-Threatened.
White Faced Nunbird <i>Hapaloptila castanea</i>			
Red Bellied Woodpecker <i>Veniliornis nigriceps</i>	X		
Smoky-brown Woodpecker <i>Venilornis fumigatus</i>	X	X	
Crimson Bellied Woodpecker <i>Campephilus haematogaster</i>	X		Rare
Crimson Mantled Woodpecker <i>Piculus rivolii</i>	X		
Golden-olive Woodpecker <i>Piculus rubiginosus</i>	X	X	
Strong Billed Woodcreeper <i>Xiphocolaptes promeropirhynchus</i>	X		
Olivaceous Woodcreeper <i>Sittasomus griseicapillus</i>	X		
Olive-backed Woodcreeper <i>Xiphorhynchus triangularis</i>	X	X	
Montane Woodcreeper <i>Lepidocolaptes lacrymiger</i>	X		
Brown-billed Scythebill <i>Campylorhamphus pusillus</i>	X		
Pale Legged Hornero <i>Furnarius leucopus</i>	X		
Rufous Spinetail <i>Synallaxis unirufa</i>	X		
Azara's Spinetail <i>Synallaxis azarae</i>	X	X	
Ash-browed Spinetail <i>Cranioleuca curtata</i>	X		
Rusty-winged Barbtail <i>Premnornis guttuligera</i>	X		
Spotted Barbtail <i>Premnoplex brunnescens</i>	X	X	
Pearled Treerunner <i>Margaornis squamiger</i>	X		
Lineated Foliage-gleaner <i>Syndactyla subalaris</i>	X		
Buff-browed Foliage-gleaner <i>Syndactyla rufosuperciliata</i>	X		
Streaked Tuftedcheek	X		

<i>Pseudocolaptes boissonneautii</i>			
Streaked Xenops <i>Xenops rutilans</i>	X	X	
Sharp Tailed Streamcreeper <i>Lochmias nematura</i>	X		Widespread but rare to uncommon
Uniform Antshrike <i>Thamnophilus unicolor</i>	X	X	
Variable Antshrike <i>Thamnophilus caerulescens</i>	X	X	
Plain Antvireo <i>Dysithamnus mentalis</i>	X	X	
Slaty Antwren <i>Myrmotherula schisticolor</i>	X		
Long-tailed Antbird <i>Drymophila caudata</i>	X	X	
Blackish Antbird <i>Cercomacra nigrescens</i>	X		
White-backed Fire-eye <i>Pyriglena leuconota</i>	X		
Barred Antthrush <i>Chamaeza mollissima</i>	X		
Short Tailed Antthrush <i>Chamaeza campanisona</i>	X		
Rufous Antthrush <i>Formicarius rufipectus</i>	X		
Undulated Antpitta <i>Grallaria squamigera</i>	X		
Ochre Breasted Antpitta <i>Grallaricula flavirostris</i>	X		
Scaled Antpitta <i>Grallaria guatemaltensis</i>	X	X	
Rusty-tinged Antpitta <i>Grallaria przewalskii</i>	X		Endemic to N Peru. Common at cloud forest site.
Chestnut-crowned Gnateater <i>Conopophaga castaneiceps</i>	X		
Rufous-vented Tapaculo <i>Scytalopus femoralis</i>	X	?	
White-crowned Tapaculo <i>Scytalopus atratus</i>		X	
Chestnut-crested Cotinga <i>Ampelion rufaxilla</i>	X		Widespread in the tropical Andes but generally rare.
Barred Fruiteater <i>Pipreola arcuata</i>		X	
Green-and-black Fruiteater <i>Pipreola riefferii</i>	X		
Olivaceous Piha <i>Snowornis cryptolophus</i>	X	X	
Red-ruffed Fruitcrow <i>Pyroderus scutatus</i>	X	X	Widespread in the tropical Andes but generally rare.
Andean Cock-of-the-rock <i>#upicola peruviana</i>	X		
Golden-winged Manakin	X		

<i>Masius chrysopterus</i>			
White-crowned Manakin <i>Pipra pipra</i>	X	X	
Jet Manakin <i>Chloropipo unicolor</i>	X		
Sierran Elaenia <i>Elaenia pallatangae</i>	X		
Common Tody-Flycatcher <i>Todirostrum cinereum</i>	X		
Streak-necked Flycatcher <i>Mionectes striaticollis</i>	X		
Inca Flycatcher <i>Leptopogon taczanowskii</i>	X		Endemic to Peru.
Rufous-Headed Pygmy Tyrent <i>Pseudotriccus ruficeps</i>	X		
Crowned Chat-Tyrant <i>Ochthoeca frontalis</i>	X		
Bronze-olive Pigmy-Tyrant <i>Pseudotriccus pelzeni</i>	X	X	
Cinnamon-Breasted Tody Tyrant <i>Hemitriccus cinnamomeipectus</i>		X	Known only from a few sites, Nearly Threatened
Johnson's Tody-Tyrant <i>Poecilotriccus luluae</i>	X		Endemic to N Peru. Recently described (1999) and listed as Near-threatened. Abundant and nesting in the cloud forest site.
Black-throated Tody-Tyrant <i>Hemitriccus granadensis</i>	?		
Black-capped Tyrannulet <i>Phyllomyias nigrocapillus</i>	X		
Sooty-Headed Tyrannulet <i>Phyllomyias griseiceps</i>	X		
Ashy-headed Tyrannulet <i>Phyllomyias cinereiceps</i>	X	X	
Plumbeous-crowned Tyrannulet <i>Phyllomyias plumbeiceps</i>	X		
Peruvian Tyrannulet <i>Zimmerius viridiflavus</i>	X	X	Endemic to Peru. The birds here belong to an undescribed population that is phenotypically like Golden-faced Tyrannulet <i>Z. chrysopterus</i> , but vocally and genetically like <i>Z. viridiflavus</i>
Red Billed Tyrannulet <i>Zimmerius cinereicapilla</i>	X		
White-tailed Tyrannulet <i>Mecocerculus poecilocercus</i>	X		
Rufous-winged Tyrannulet <i>Mecocerculus calopterus</i>	X		
White Banded Tyrannulet <i>Mecocerculus stictopterus</i>	X		
Sulphur-bellied Tyrannulet <i>Mecocerculus minor</i>	X		
Torrent Tyrannulet	X	X	

<i>Serpophaga cinerea</i>			
Mottle-cheeked Tyrannulet <i>Phylloscartes ventralis</i>		X	
Marble-faced Bristle-Tyrant <i>Phylloscartes opthalmicus</i>	X		
Variegated Bristle-Tyrant <i>Phylloscartes poecilloites</i>	X		
Ornate Flycatcher <i>Myiobius ornatus</i>	X	X	
Flavescent Flycatcher <i>Myiophobus flavicans</i>	X	X	
Cinnamon Flycatcher <i>Pyrrhomyias cinammona</i>	X	X	
Tawny-Breasted Flycatcher <i>Myiobius villosus</i>	X		
Olive Flycatcher <i>Mitrephanes olivaceus</i>	X		
Smoke-colored Pewee <i>Contopus fumigatus</i>	X	X	
Blackish Pewee <i>Contopus nigrescens</i>	X	X	Rare and local
Rufous-tailed Tyrant <i>Knipolegus poecilurus</i>		X	
Sepia-Capped Flycatcher <i>Leptopogon amaurocephalus</i>	X		
Dusky-capped Flycatcher <i>Myiarchus tuberculifer</i>	X	X	
Pale-edged Flycatcher <i>Myiarchus cephalotes</i>	X	X	
Black Phoebe <i>Sayornis nigricans</i>	X		
Tropical Kingbird <i>Tyrannus melancholicus</i>	X	X	
Barred Becard <i>Pachyramphus versicolor</i>	X		
Green Jay <i>Cyanocorax yncas</i>	X	X	
Rufous-browed Peppershrike <i>Cyclarhis gujanensis</i>	X	X	
Brown-capped Vireo <i>Vireo leucophrys</i>	X		
White-capped Dipper <i>Cinclus leucocephalus</i>	X	X	
Andean Solitaire <i>Myadestes ralloides</i>	X		
White-eared Solitaire <i>Entomodestes leucotis</i>	X		
Slaty-backed Nightingale-Thrush <i>Catharus fuscater</i>	X		
Great Thrush <i>Turdus fuscater</i>	X	X	
Glossy-black Thrush <i>Turdus serranus</i>	X		

Black Billed Thrush <i>Turdus ignobilis</i>		X	
Pale-Eyed Thrush <i>Turdus leucops</i>	X		
Swainon's Thrush <i>Catharus ustulatus</i>	X		
Andean Slaty-Thrush <i>Turdus nigriceps</i>	X		
Gray-mantled Wren <i>Odontorchilus branickii</i>	X	X	
House Wren <i>Troglodytes aedon</i>	X	X	
Mountain Wren <i>Troglodytes solstitialis</i>	X		
Gray-breasted Wood-Wren <i>Henicorhina leucophrys</i>	X	X	
Bar-winged Wood-Wren <i>Henicorhina leucoptera</i>	X	X	Endemic to N Peru and southernmost Ecuador and very local within its small range. Listed as Near Threatened.
Chestnut-breasted Wren <i>Cyphorhinus thoracicus</i>	X		
Blue-and-white Swallow <i>Notiochelidon cyanoleuca</i>	X	X	
Southern Rough-winged Swallow <i>Stelgidopteryx ruficollis</i>		X	
Hooded Siskin <i>Carduelis magellanica</i>	X		
Olivaceous Siskin <i>Carduelis olivacea</i>	X		
Tropical Parula <i>Parula pitiayumi</i>	X		
Slate-throated Redstart <i>Myioborus miniatus</i>	X	X	
Spectacled Redstart <i>Myioborus melanocephalus</i>	X		
Citrine Warbler <i>Basileuterus luteoviridis</i>	X		
Russet-crowned Warbler <i>Basileuterus coronatus</i>	X	X	
Three-striped Warbler <i>Basileuterus tristriatus</i>	X	X	
Blackburnian Warbler <i>Dendroica fusca</i>	X		
Rufous-collared Sparrow <i>Zonotrichia capensis</i>	X	X	
Slaty Finch <i>Haplospiza rustica</i>	X		
Rufous-naped Brush-Finch <i>Atlapetes rufinucha</i>	X		
Black and white seedeater <i>Sporophila luctuosa</i>	X		
Chestnut-capped Brush-Finch <i>Buarremon brunneinucha</i>	X		

Stripe-headed Brush-Finch <i>Buarremon torquata</i>	X		
Capped Conebill <i>Conirostrum albifrons</i>	X		
Grass-green Tanager <i>Chlorornis riefferii</i>	X		
White-capped Tanager <i>Sericossypha albocristata</i>	X		Widespread in the Andes but rare and spectacular.
Common Bush-Tanager <i>Chlorospingus ophthalmicus</i>	X	X	
Vermilion Tanager <i>Calochaetes coccineus</i>	X		Uncommon
Yellow Throat Brush Tanager <i>Chlorospingus flavigularis</i>	X		
Oleaginous Hemispingus <i>Hemispingus frontalis</i>	X		
Rufous-crested Tanager <i>Creurgops verticalis</i>	X		
Bleu and Black Tanager <i>Tanagra vassorii</i>	X		
Bleu-Grey Tanager <i>Thraupis episcopus</i>	X		
Blue-capped Tanager <i>Thraupis cyanocephala</i>	X		
Blue-winged Mountain-Tanager <i>Anisognathus somptuosus</i>	X	X	
Hepatic Tanager <i>Piranga flava</i>	X		
Yellow-throated Tanager <i>Iridosornis analis</i>	X	X	
Golden Rumped Euphonia <i>Euphonia cynacocephala</i>	X		
Orange-bellied Euphonia <i>Euphonia xanthogaster</i>	X	X	
Blue-naped Chlorophonia <i>Chlorophonia cyanea</i>	X	X	
Orange-eared Tanager <i>Chlorochrysa calliparaea</i>	X		
Saffron-crowned Tanager <i>Tangara xanthocephala</i>	X	X	
Flame-faced Tanager <i>Tangara parzudakii</i>	X	X	
Golden-naped Tanager <i>Tangara ruficervix</i>	X		
Metallic-green Tanager <i>Tangara labradorides</i>		X	
Blue-browed Tanager <i>Tangara cyanotis</i>	X		
Blue-necked Tanager <i>Tangara cyanicollis</i>	X		
Beryl-spangled Tanager <i>Tangara nigroviridis</i>	X		
Silver-backed Tanager	X		

<i>Tangara viridicollis</i>			
Purple Honeycreeper <i>Cyanerpes caeruleus</i>	X		
Bluish Flowerpiercer <i>Diglossa caerulescens</i>	X		
Deep-Bleu Flowerpiercer <i>Diglossa glauca</i>	X	X	
Rusty Flowerpiercer <i>Diglossopsis sittoides</i>	X	X	
Masked Flowerpiercer <i>Diglossa cyanea</i>	X		
Russet-backed Oropendola <i>Psarcolius agustifrons</i>		X	
Scarlet Rumped Cacique <i>Cacicus urophygialis</i>	X		
Yellow Rumped Cacique <i>Cacicus cela</i>	X		
Buff-Throated Saltator <i>Saltator maximus</i>	X		
Snowy Egret <i>Egretta thula</i>	X		

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