

Peru Ronal Carranza Montenegro **Fair Trade Organic Micro-Lot**

PLUM - COCOA- ROSE



LATIN AMERIC



Producer: El Palto Cooperative, Farmer Ronal Carranza Montenegro Region: Gracias a Dios, Utcubamba

Province

Cultivar: Bourbon & Catimor



Processing: Washed



Elevation: 1675 meters



Harvest: October - December







Mr. Montenegro became a coffee producer at a very young age and was part of the creation of El Palto co-op. He has worked to instill goals into the co-op that include creating an organization that improves the livelihood of its members while employing sustainable, organic production methods. Montenegro's 10 hectare farm is located in Gracias a Dios, within the Lonya Grande region and greater Utcubamba Province. El Palto co-op produces certified Organic and Fair Trade coffee and has invested a portion of their premium to renovate their crops and convert their members to organic methods that strive to conserve the rainforest.

Through a joint partnership with our friends at Ecotierra, Atlantic Specialty Coffee has offset 6 tons of CO2 emissions related to the transport of select Microlots from El Palto. The <u>verified carbon credits</u> are generated from a forest preservation project developed by Peruvian based Bosques Amazonicos del Peru (BAM) and aims at reducing emissions from deforestation and degradation of virgin rainforest in southeastern Peru.

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