

**Tour 5:
Antpitta “El Dorado” and noisy Cock-of-the-Rock:
Reserve “Paz de la Aves”**



Andean cock-of-the-rock (photo Bill Baston)



Ochre-breasted Antpitta (photo Bill Baston)

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Habitat: Mountain Cloud-Forest

Angel Paz, who owns this reserve, succeeded in attracting the elusive and hard-to-find antpittas to a feeding site where they can be seen at close range. If you are lucky you will see five different species. But to begin with we visit the noisy and bright red-coloured Cock-of-the-Rock at their display area. These are just some of the species on our list for this trip.

Distance: about 20 km drive (one way) and a few hundred metres of walking

Travelling: by car to get there, walking on forest trails

Difficulty: easy to slightly challenging, the slope can be slippery

Altitude: 1,500 m – 1,700 m

Species highlights: Western Wedge-billed Hummingbird, Tawny-bellied Hermit, Dark-backed Wood-quail, Giant Antpitta, Yellow-breasted Antpitta, Moustached Antpitta, Ochre-breasted Antpitta, Chestnut-capped Brush-finch, Andean Cock-of-the-Rock.

Persons: 1-4

Start/End of Tour: 05:15 am until noon (including driving time)

Price: 120 USD (1-2 persons); 180 USD (3-4 persons). To be paid in cash at beginning of tour

Included: English guided tour, transportation, water, bird list

Not included: Entrance fee, food

Recommendations: Hat, sun protection, insect repellent, rain gear depending on weather conditions.

Booking and reservations

You can book the day tours directly with me (info@mindolindo.de) – even on short notice.

In order to make a reservation for accomodation or a guided tour please contact us in advance via email or phone.

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