

¡Hola, amigos! Saludos Divertidos en Latinoamérica

Fun Greetings in Latin America



Lo Básico

The Basics



Hola

Hello



Adiós

Goodbye



¿Cómo estás?

How are you?

You know the basics from your textbook. Now let's learn how real people talk on the streets!

Nuestro Viaje

Our Journey



México

Mexico

Costa Rica

Costa Rica

Colombia

Colombia

Argentina

Argentina

¡Vamos!

(Let's go!)





Parada 1: México

Stop 1: Mexico

El Saludo *(The Greeting)*



¿Qué onda?

Literal translation: "What wave?"

Real meaning: "What's up?"

**Very common among friends in Mexico!*

La Expresión *(The Expression)*

¡Qué padre!



Literal translation: “How father!”

Real meaning: “How cool!” or “Awesome!”

Use this when someone tells you great news or you see something amazing.



Parada 2: Colombia

Stop 2: Colombia

El Saludo *(The Greeting)*

¿Quiubo?

Origin: Short for “¿Qué hubo?” (What happened?)

Real meaning: “What’s up?”



*Often paired with the word for friend: “¿Quiubo, parce?”

Las Expresiones *(The Expressions)*



**Real meaning for both:
"Awesome!", "Great!", or "Cool!"*

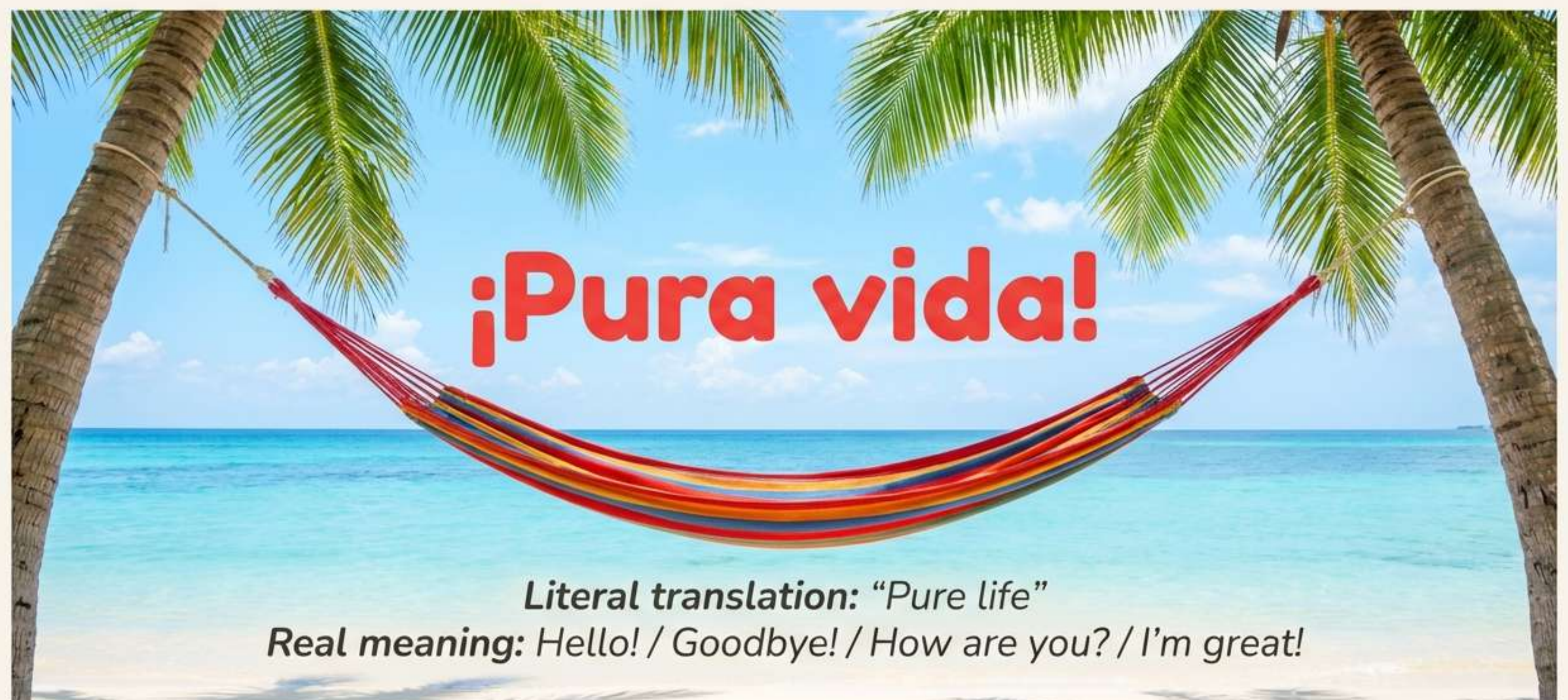
**Extremely common across Colombia to say everything is good.*



Parada 3: Costa Rica

Stop 3: Costa Rica

La Frase Mágica *(The Magic Phrase)*



¡Pura vida!

Literal translation: "Pure life"

Real meaning: Hello! / Goodbye! / How are you? / I'm great!

It's not just a word; it's a relaxed way of life.

Parada 4: Argentina

Stop 4: Argentina



El Saludo (The Greeting)

¿Cómo andás, che?

Literal translation: “How are you walking, hey?”

Real meaning: “How are you doing, friend?”



“Che” is a very common way to say “friend” or to get someone’s attention in Argentina.

Hora de decir adiós

Time to say goodbye



¡Chao!

Meaning: Bye! (Very common everywhere).



Nos vemos

Literal: We see each other.

Meaning: See you later!

Resumen

Summary



¿Qué
onda?



¿Quiubo?



¡Pura
vida!



¿Cómo
andás, che?

¡Ahora hablas como un nativo!

(Now you speak like a native!)