

“Corrido del general Zapata” /

Con mi guitarra en la mano,
voy a cantar el corrido,
de un general afamado
por todos muy conocido.

Nació Emiliano Zapata
en un risueño pueblito
del estado de Morelos
que se llama Anenecuilco.

En mil novecientos once
en armas se levantaba
ahí en la Sierra Suriana,
Don Emiliano Zapata.

Militaban en sus filas
Perdomo, que era el primero,
el temerario Varona,
y el valiente Genovevo.

Detrás de los tecorrales,
con su gente bien armada,
luchaba contra Carranza,
defendiendo el *Plan de Ayala*.

Montaba brioso caballo
que era de muy buena alzada,
un cuaco lobo gateado
con herraduras de plata.

En Chinameca murió
el agrarista suriano,
por la villana traición
del carrancista Juan Carlos.

Ya con ésta me despido,
ya me voy por el sendero,
aquí se acaba el corrido
del valiente guerrillero,

y Don Eufemio Zapata
y el general Salazar,
los dos hermanos Arenas
y Don Jesús Capistrán.

“General Zapata’s Corrido”

With my guitar in my hand,
I’m going to sing the corrido,
of a famous general
by all very well known.

Emiliano Zapata was born
in a smiling little town
in the state of Morelos
that is called Anenecuilco.

In nineteen eleven
in arms he rose
there in the Suriana Mountains,
Don Emiliano Zapata.

They fought keeping their lines
Perdomo, who was the first one,
the daring Varona,
and the brave Genovevo.

Behind the stone walls,
with his people well armed,
he fought against Carranza,
defending the *Plan of Ayala*.

He rode on a spirited horse
that was of very good seed,
a white grayish horse
with silver horseshoes.

He died in Chinameca
the southern fighter for land reform,
due to the villainous treason
of Carranza’s supporter, Juan Carlos.

With this one, I bid farewell,
I now leave through the path,
here ends the corrido
of the valiant fighter,

and of Mr. Eufemio Zapata
and the general Salazar,
the two Arenas brothers
and *Don Jesús Capistrán*.

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