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ABOUT THIS COFFEE

The story of Finca Himalaya begins in the 1870s, when Mauricio's great-great-grandfather planted coffee in Apaneca during El Salvador's export boom. Located in Apaneca, Finca Himalaya is a 24-hectare **farm** belonging to the Salaverria family. Recognized as El Salvador's first specialty coffee **farm**, it benefits from excellent **terroir**, with clay and volcanic soils that contribute to the production of remarkable coffees.

Today, Mauricio manages five **farms**, including Himalaya, as well as the El Divisadero project — his ideas lab, centered around a **dry mill** at Finca Villa Galicia where he experiments with dozens of **lots**, varieties, and processing methods each harvest. Mauricio has an instantly recognizable signature style across his entire portfolio: tropical, fruity, and expressive profiles, anchored by a sweetness that balances and supports the whole. He was among the first **producers** in El Salvador to sell single-estate coffee, to implement natural processing on a large scale, and to develop fermentation techniques that have since become his hallmark.

Producer	Mauricio Salaverria
Species	Arabica
Varieties	SL 28
Process	Natural

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