

# THE WIND JOURNEYS

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## DISCUSSION GUIDE

1. What do you think the major themes of **THE WIND JOURNEYS** are?
2. In what ways are the values of pride and honor expressed throughout the film?
3. What other past and present customs can you think of that are similar to the accordion duels seen in the film? (Hint: a very similar custom exists today in the world of hip-hop)
4. At what point in the film do you notice a shift in the dynamic between Fermín and Ignacio? How do the characters change after this point?
5. What are some of the possible challenges that could arise when embarking on a production of this scale, involving remote locations and over 100 cast members?
6. How would you compare **THE WIND JOURNEYS** to any other ethnographic films you have seen?
7. In your opinion, is the world depicted in **THE WIND JOURNEYS** fantasy or reality? Discuss the role of magic in the film.