

# WORLD MUSIC

## PUERTO RICO

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WD-PR1 United States 1959

### CAVE

WD – Latin American – Salsa – Mambo – Vocal

**Comp:** Randy CARLOS & (?) GREENWALD (LY-WD4)

**Rts:** Morland Music Co.

**Perf:** Randy **CARLOS** and his orchestra

**Prod. Co:** Fiesta Record Co.; New York, NY

**Matrix:** F178

**Rel. Date:** Mar-May 1959

**Time:** 2:47

**Label:** Fiesta 45-099

**Flip Sd:** Satellite USA

**Spec:** 7" 45rpm

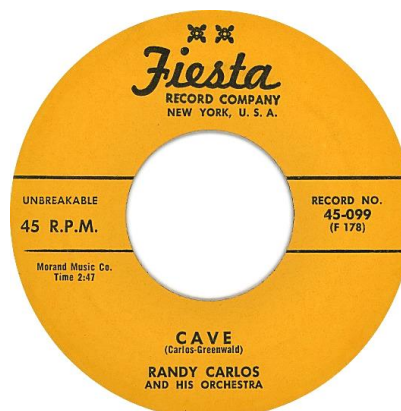
**Notes:** A lively salsa number with lots of zesty, hot rhythm. The title here should be, "La Cueva," because, though the song deals with a "cave," it is sung entirely in Spanish.

The lyrics tell the story of a guy who found his girl cheating on him with another guy in a cave in the woods. Throughout the song he keeps telling her to get out of the cave and leave this guy or there'll be trouble. One YouTube sample has a short intro in Spanish where the title is given as "La Cueva."

This song was used for the "Bal Spéléo" which followed the banquet at the 2000 National Congress of the Fédération Française de Spéléologie.

**Ref:** The Cave, Randy Carlos (3:12), with Spanish spoken intro, [YouTube](#) (◀ **COMPLETE AUDIO SAMPLE**)

The Cave, Randy Carlos (2:48), [YouTube](#) (◀ **COMPLETE AUDIO SAMPLE**)



WD-PR2 United States 2003

### LA CUEVA

WD – Latin American – Salsa – Mambo – Vocal

**Comp:** Randy CARLOS & (?) CHÁVEZ

**Perf:** **CUNJUNTO AFRICA**

**Prod. Co:** Peerless MCA S.A. de C.V.

**Liner Notes:** Jaime Almeida

**Time:** 2:36

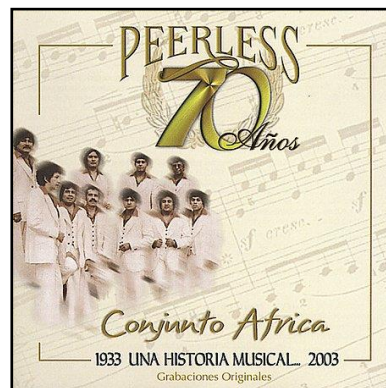
Compilation **CD:** 70 AÑOS PEERLESS UNA HISTORIA MUSICAL – 1933-2003

Warner WEA (Latina) International 60550 (Tk 2)

**Notes:** This is the same salsa song as Randy Carlos' "Cave." The 30-second audio clip seemed to have different lyrics and there is a slightly different treatment of the chorus –

Sal de la cueva, bonita !

Sal de la cueva, chiquita !



This is a Mexican salsa group under the direction of Carlos Garcialonso, which was very prolific during the 1970s. Nothing could be learned about its members.

Very likely this song was released on an earlier album by the Conjunto Africa as it appears here on a Peerless label compilation.

**Ref:** Conjunto Africa, 70 Anos Peerless una Historia Musical, La Cueva, [CDUniverse](#) (◀AUDIO SAMPLE)

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