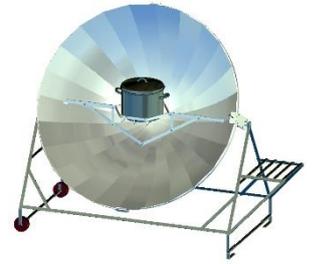


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## Out of sight but NOT out of mind!

In January 2021, we received an inquiry by Señor Gutiérrez an agricultural engineer and enthusiastic fan of solar cooking from Costa Rica.

He sent us pictures of his K10 (a former EG Solar model), which he eventually bought (after having had to wait quite a while) from a company in the province of Guanacaste more than 10 years ago.



The frame had some rusty spots here and there and some of the metal sheets were scratched. He was able to remove the rust, but he could not obtain aluminum sheets anywhere nearby and had therefore installed stainless steel sheets as a makeshift.

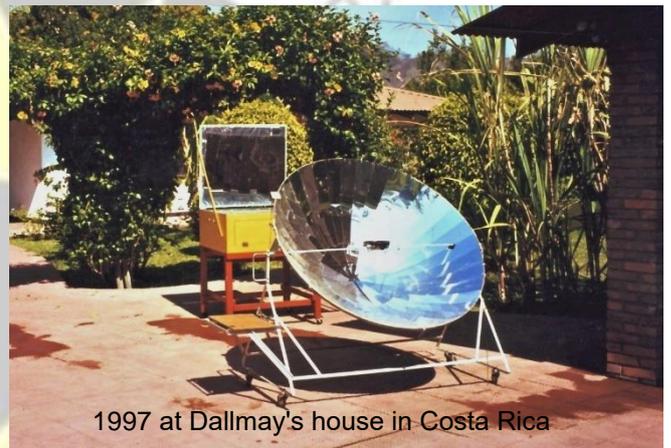


However, as a longtime user of solar cookers, Mr. Gutiérrez knew that steel sheets did not provide the desired reflection and thus wattage. So he asked us to send him two sets of replacement aluminum sheets for his solar cooker.

That was the moment we decided to use our network:

We got in touch with Gunter Dallmayr, an old & dear friend.

Mr. Dallmayr has been living in Costa Rica for quite some time and implemented a solar cooker project for the Maleku (indigenous people in Costa Rica) together with his wife and other EG solar "veterans" in 2008. Until recently, he also built solar cookers on site upon request and therefore still had the aluminum sheets required by Mr. Gutiérrez available.



1997 at Dallmayr's house in Costa Rica

He immediately contacted Señor Gutiérrez and hence Señor Gutiérrez is now the "proud" owner of a new SK14, which was assembled on site by Mr. Dallmayr as well as of one set of new reflector sheets for his old but not disused model.



We hope... no! we are certain that he will enjoy it a lot and we would like to take this opportunity to once more thank Mr. Dallmayr for his efforts.

It is always great to learn that after all these years the enthusiasm for the idea of solar cooking is still the same.

So on that note: **Muchísimas gracias y esperamos que nos mantengamos en contacto.**

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