**Cast**

**PROFESSIONALS IN KACHITU**

**JOHN HERRICK** first North American missionary in Kachitu.

**THE ROBISONS** one of the first missionary families in Kachitu.

**DR. FRANK BECK** first Methodist missionary physician in Kachitu during the 1950s and 1960s.

**DR. MAURICIO SABAS** the town doctor in 1976 and 1977.

**DR. HIPOLITO TALLACAGUA** missionary-trained, Aymara physician serving briefly in Kachitu in 1977.

**DR. ALEJO ACIETUNO** replacement for Sabas and Tallacagua in 1978.

**THE REVEREND ANGEL** the Methodist minister.

**FATHER CHRISTIAN** the Catholic priest.

**MESTIZOS**

**DON RAFAEL SALAZAR** El Corregidor 1936–1944.

**DOÑA VICTORIA CASTELLANO** owner of the town pension.

**DOÑA ANTONIA DE VILLAZON** a poor mestiza who washed linens at the hospital.

**DON LORENZO VILLAZON** her husband, a rural schoolteacher.

**DOÑA LEONORA DE UGALDE** a poor mestiza whose daughter was the only vecina to join the Methodist church.

**DON VALENTINO UGALDE** her husband.

**DOÑA ELSA DE NESTARES** another poor mestiza.

**DON RAFAEL NESTARES** her husband.

**COLONEL JUAN CARLOS CORDOVA** first vecino in Kachitu, and direct descendant from the last reigning Inca.

**DOÑA MIRIAM** an elderly member of an old vecino clan.

**DOÑA TERESA CORDOVA** granddaughter to Colonel Juan Carlos, and town aristocrat; she also manages the town archives.

**DON ASCARUNZ** Doña Teresa’s husband.

**DON ALEJANDRO CORDOVA** Doña Teresa’s father.

**DOÑA MARIA DE LA PAZ** Doña Teresa’s sister.

**DOÑA LOURDES** Doña Teresa’s other sister.

**DOÑA ANA** a mestiza neighbor.

**DOÑA SOÑA ROMAN** a socially self-exiled mestiza.

**DOÑA SOÑA ROMAN’S HUSBAND** the town curmudgeon.

**DOÑA MARGARITA GARCIA VIUDA DE BILIS** small landowner who rents out a room to the Aymara Bonifacia and her two boys Oldemar and Bartolo and who rents a small parcel of land to Renita’s father, Norberto, who is also Aymara.
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JUDGE DON JUAN MARQUEZ VASQUEZ judge in the 1930s, '40s, and '50s, and head of the vecino effort to oust the missionaries.

JUDGE RICARDO MARQUEZ his son.

DOÑA EVA DE MARQUEZ Judge Ricardo’s widow.

LUIS MEZA her current husband.

GLADIS her eldest daughter.

MARISOL her second daughter.

PELUQUILLA PAUCARA the town crazy lady.

GONZALO one of her three sons.

MARIO one of her three sons.

DANERI one of her three sons.

DON MAGNO her alcoholic husband, long since passed away.

AYMARA

SEFERINO QARURU campesino from Chojña Kanata trying to join the Methodist church.

EULOGIO ANGUYA head of the local campesino movement; once a Methodist, he prefers Aymara campesino identity.

EUSEBIA POMA campesina in Kachitu.

EUGENIO CALLISAYA campesino from Chojña Kanata.

PORFIRIO MONTORO aspirant to be a mozo in a North American household and speak English, he is ostracized by the town; he serves as my research assistant.

VICENTE CALLISAYA his father.

JULIA his aunt and Vicente’s sister.

GENARA his aunt, and Vicente’s other sister.

SERGIO Genara’s son.

PRIMITIVA MAMANI VIUDA DE YANIQUE old blind lady.

BONIFACIA VIZCACHANI landless Aymara who rents a room from Doña Margarita García viuda de Bilis.

BARTOLO her mischievous son.

OLDEMAR his mischievous brother and her other son.

RENITA AYLLASU a young Aymara woman looking for a husband.

NORBERTO her father.

MARIA her daughter.

TEODORO APAZA the corregidor.

METHODOIST AYMARA

NOEL PEÑARANDA first Kachituño to convert; invites Herrick and Beck to Kachitu.

CLET� ZAMBRANA requests mission school in Chojña Kanata.

EUSEBIO PANDO campesino turned schoolteacher.
FRANCISCO APAZA first Indian head of the Evangelical Commission in Kachitu in 1949.
MARIANO MAMANI first Indian head of secular activity in the Methodist church in Kachitu in 1949.
ABELARDO ZUIDENA hospital chauffeur.
FELIPE APAZA head nurse at the hospital.
EMILIO ORDOÑEZ town baker; richest man in Kachitu.
ENRIQUE ORDOÑEZ his son.
IRIS QUISPE part-time nurse at the hospital.
PEDRO QUISPAYA Iris's husband and one of nine men who collectively own a tractor.
MERCEDES ALARCON a friend to Renita.
DR. GERONIMO TALLACAGUA graduate of the Methodist school and winner of a scholarship from the church.