

"La noche está estrellada,

y tiritan, azules, los astros, a lo lejos"

--- Pablo Neruda, "Poema 20", Veinte poemas de amor y una canción desesperada



A panoramic view of the Milky Way Galaxy from El Paranal, Chile. (Photo courtesy of the European Southern Observatory.)

"The night is shattered and the blue stars shiver in the distance"

- Pablo Neruda, "Poem 20," Twenty Love Poems and a Song of Despair