

= El Ejemplo =

El Ejemplo ( The Example ) is a studio album by Mexican recording artists Los Tigres del Norte . It was released by Fonovisa Records on May 2 , 1995 and includes fourteen tracks written by Teodoro Bello and Enrique Valencia , which span musical genres such as ballad , bolero , corrido , cumbia and ranchera .

The album was a commercial success peaking at number eight in the Billboard Top Latin Albums in the United States , where it was certified Gold by the Recording Industry Association of America . To promote the album , Los Tigres del Norte released four singles , " La Fama de la Pareja " , the title track and " Golpes en el Corazón " that reached top ten in the Billboard Hot Latin Songs , while the single " No Puedo Más " peaked at number 15 in the same chart . " Golpes en el Corazón " , was later included in the setlist of their live album MTV Unplugged : Los Tigres del Norte and Friends as a duet with Mexican singer Paulina Rubio .

= = Release and reception = =

Mexican band Los Tigres del Norte released their twenty @-@ sixth studio album titled El Ejemplo on May 2 , 1995 . The album included twelve tracks written by Teodoro Bello and two songs written by Enrique Valencia . Four corridos ( " El Tamal " , " Tiempos de Mayo " , " La Fama de la Pareja " and " Morir Matando " ) , seven rancheras ( " El Ejemplo " , " Devuélveme " , " No Puedo Más " , " Quién " , " Como Aceite y Como el Agua " , " Un Mar de Vino " and " Te He de Olvidar " ) , one cumbia ( " Me Quedas a la Medida " ) , one ballad ( " Golpes en el Corazón " ) and one bolero ( " Nos Estorbó la Ropa " ) were recorded . The website AllMusic gave the album four stars out of five . Billboard magazine named the album a " likable batch of moving anecdotal corridos , spirited rancheras , and a pair of ballads that would be superb singles : ' Golpes en el Corazón ' and ' Nos Estorbó la Ropa ' . " The first single " La Fama de la Pareja " also received praise , being referred to as a " highlight " of the album .

= = Singles = =

The album lead single " La Fama de la Pareja " ( " The Fame of the Couple " ) , a corrido about a husband and wife dedicated to contraband and drug trafficking , peaked at number five in the Billboard Top Latin Songs chart and at number four in the Regional Mexican Songs chart . The title track was selected as the second single , and is a ranchera track about a love relationship that ended and the impossibility of getting a divorce , staying married for the sake of their children . " El Ejemplo " ( " The Example " ) reached number six at the Billboard Hot Latin Songs and three at the Regional Mexican Songs charts , respectively . " Golpes en el Corazón " ( " Punches to the Heart " ) was released as third single and became the biggest hit of the album , peaking at number two in the Billboard Hot Latin Songs chart for a month ( blocked at the top by " Tú Sólo Tú " by Selena and " Si Nos Dejan " by Luis Miguel for two weeks each ) . " Golpes en el Corazón " , about a failed love relationship , spent eight non @-@ consecutive weeks at the top of the Regional Mexican Songs chart and at the Broadcast Music , Inc. awards of 1997 won the Latin Song of the Year award . It was also nominated Regional Mexican Song of the Year at the 1996 Lo Nuestro Awards . The track regained interest when was included in the setlist for the MTV Unplugged : Los Tigres del Norte and Friends recorded by the band in 2011 with the participation of Mexican singer Paulina Rubio . This version was nominated for Record of the Year at the 12th Latin Grammy Awards ceremony . " No Puedo Más " ( " I Can 't Take it Anymore " ) was chosen as the fourth and last single , peaking at number 15 in the Billboard Top Latin Songs and at number nine in the Regional Mexican Songs charts , respectively .

= = Track listing = =

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= = Chart performance = =

El Ejemplo debuted and peaked at number eight in the Billboard Top Latin Albums chart in the week of May 13 , 1995 , being the second highest debut of the week after Cuando los Ángeles Lloran by Maná at number seven . The album reached a peak of number two in the Regional Mexican Albums chart in the week of September 16 , 1995 , being held at the top by Selena 's Amor Prohibido . The band earned the Regional Mexican Album of the Year , Duo or Group Award at the Billboard Latin Music Awards of 1996 . El Ejemplo was certified Gold by the Recording Industry Association of America , the first for the band . By 1999 , the album had sold over 650 @, @ 000 copies .