

Ticha: using a Valley Zapotec Corpus to create accessible, user-friendly resources for language teaching and learning



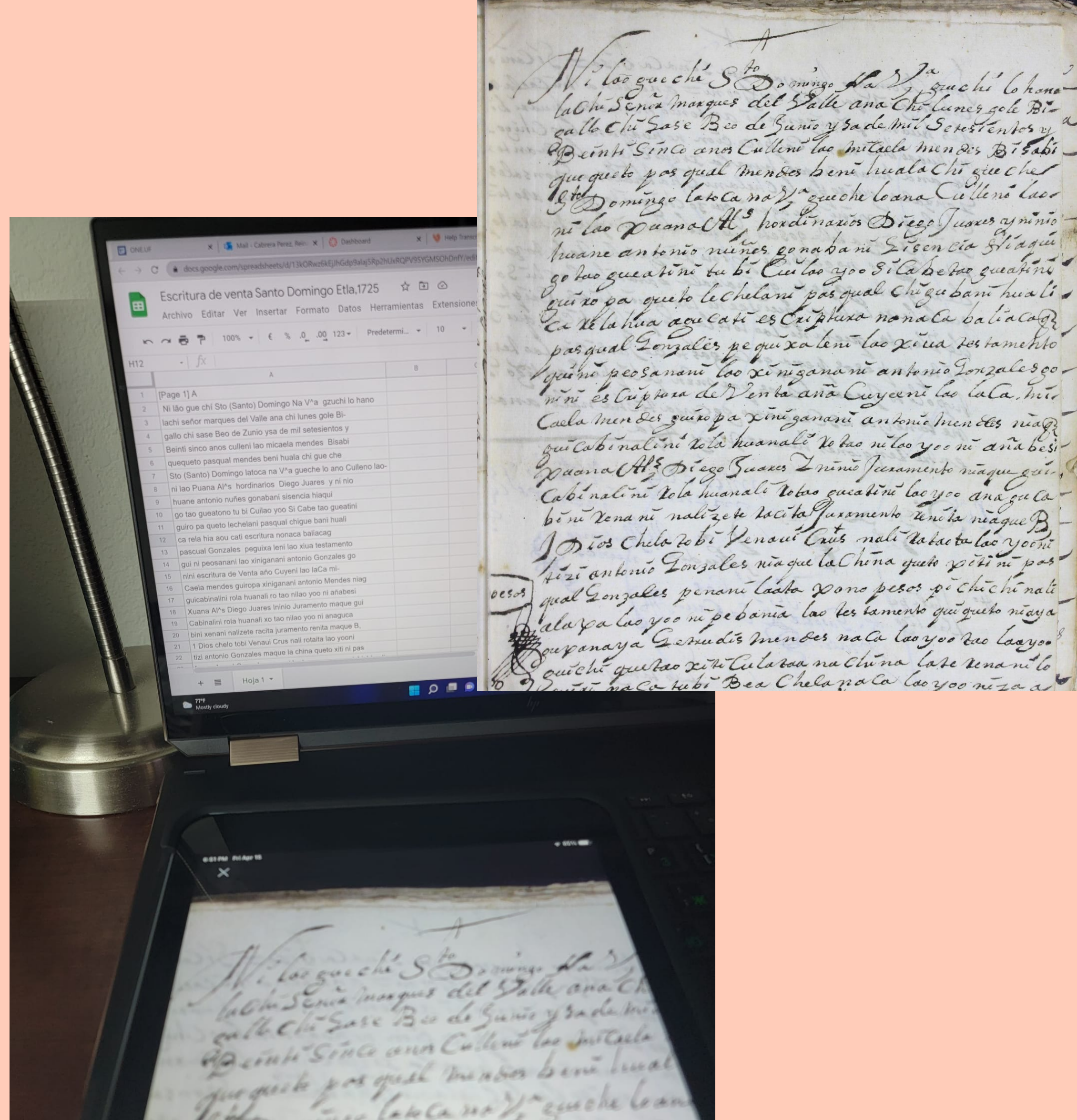
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WHERE IS IT SPOKEN?

Zapotec is a group of indigenous languages from Mexico, which has more than 50 varieties. It is spoken in the southwestern-central highlands of Mexico (e.g., Oaxaca region). The Zapotec script is one of the earliest writing systems in Central America, dating back to 500 B.C.E. Early Zapotec writing used a logographic system, in which each written character represented a word or morpheme. It was not until the end of the 16th century that people began writing Zapotec languages using the Latin alphabet.



Transcription, analysis, and morphological interlinearization



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