



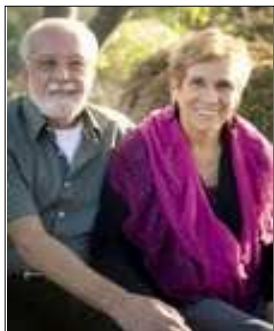
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A WARM THANK YOU...

...We are so grateful for your continued faithful support for our ministry to help children who are mentally handicapped. We continue to be stretched in our experience as God's servants. Each day brings new challenges but He who has called us will enable us to do His will. God is able to do more than we can dream or even imagine. We are grateful.

Your gifts offer new hope to children who present severe learning deficits. Every child deserves to know the love of a family and that someone cares for them. God has blessed us with people who show this love to them. We pray that you will be blessed in a very special way for your giving to support children who would not otherwise have had this opportunity.

Your Partnership is appreciated!

We thought you would enjoy hearing how appreciative the children are of your gifts and support. Here are a few of comments, in their words:



"I am Guadalupe, 14, and my sister is Veronica, 20 years. We are sisters. Veronica studying to be a teacher, and I am in high school. We have lived here for 8 years and have the blessing to be in a place with people that truly love us.



I am Marcelino and I am 13 years old. I would be on the streets or perhaps

working in the fields if it weren't for Santa Marta. I am so-o-o grateful that someone is taking care of me and that I have friends like the two older boys Obed and Felipe. They play with me and they laugh with me.



Daniel Fernando: I am thankful for food, and for our swimming pool and for therapy. I have two sisters. I get to eat every day and go to school.



Miguel is my name, I am 24. I have FAS Fetal Alcohol Syndrome. I have lived here since I was 6 years old. I am very happy.



My name is Daniela. I am 5 years old. I have a twin brother. His name is Ernesto. We have three older sisters. Our

Mama died but we have someone to live with. This would make her very happy. We eat real good too. I am thankful for the fruit, our house, all the animals at the ranch. Sometimes we walk out to the fruit trees to eat peaches. We are going to do a Christmas play because Jesus was born.



My name is Octavio, and I am 18 years old. I am one of seven brothers and sisters living at Santa Marta for 8 years now. I don't have to sell on the streets anymore. Here we have a home and people to take care of us.



Little girls with house mom receiving a box of donated food

On behalf of all the innocent children whose lives have been forever changed because of your kindness, thank you!



Give thanks to the LORD, call on his name; make known among the nations what he has done. 1 Cron: 16:8



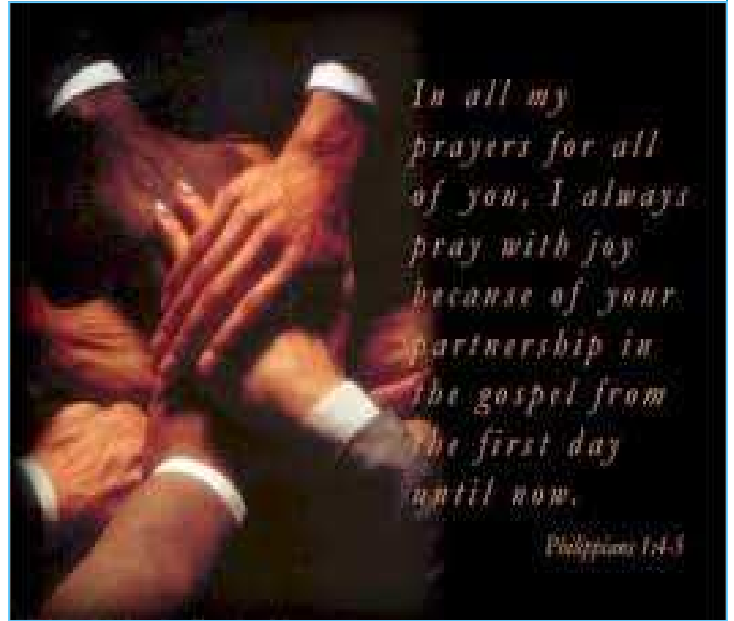
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In Loving Memory

For: Mr. Stan Muncy from Betty M. Muncy,
Modesto, CA
Carrie Jo Neal from parents, Mr/Mrs
Chuck Neal, San Diego, CA

50th Wedding Anniversary

For: Mr.\ Mrs. Dick Anderson from: Mr/ Mrs
William Mason, Sacramento, CA



Thank You!

Thank you for graciously giving of your time and energy to build a secure home for these children.

Thanks to you, our children enjoy three meals a day

Thank you for making Christmas so special to the Mexican Children.

Happiness is possible only when one is busy, the body must toil, the mind must be occupied, and the heart must be satisfied, those who do good as opportunity offers are sowing seed all the time and they need not doubt the harvest. By: montana.inetgiant.com

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