



EL AYUDANTE **SPONSOR** CONNECTION

MARCH 2022



A WORD FROM VANESSA

"We miss and pray for our teams to return to El Ayudante. Our staff in Nicaragua recently partnered with Dublin UMC in Dublin, VA to host our first ever Virtual Mission Trip. Our children and staff were excited to share God's love with some of our friends and family in the U.S. and the folks at DUMC were equally as excited to meet with the team in Nicaragua.

Everyone was blessed by the time spent together even though they were miles apart. We have been blessed with new sponsors for our current children. We are now stepping out in faith, adding new children before we have their sponsors, trusting that God will provide.

We miss all our teams and would love to see you virtually or in person. Please contact teams@eanicaragua.com if you are interested!"

A WORD FROM THE BOARD



WILL YOU BE **THE HELPER** ?



Back in September of last year, the local team felt God calling us to add 10 children. We first thought it wasn't realistic, as our current children weren't even fully sponsored, but then realized if this is what God wanted us to do, who were we to question? He was big enough to do it! We determined that if we could get the equivalent of 250 new \$35/month sponsors, our current kids would be fully sponsored AND we could add 10 children. We are happy to report that our current children are fully sponsored and we have already stepped out in faith and added 4 new children. We are almost 70% of the way to our goal, but still need 84 new sponsors to add the 10 Children that God is calling us to add. **Will you be the helper?** Scan to sponsor one of our new children.



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Cristel

My name is Cristel. I am 9 years old, and my birthday is July 30, 2012. I live with my mother, uncle, brother and my grandmother. My brother and I are taking care of my mother's mother. I want to continue studying. My grandmother sells natural soft drinks. I really enjoy spending time with my cousin and playing with her.



Javier

My name is Javier. I am 7 years old, and my birthday is April 25, 2014. I am going to finish my first grade of primary school and I want to continue studying. I live with my mother and my brother. My mom works by cleaning houses. I really enjoy spending time with my cousins, playing baseball and watching television.



Jose David

My name is Jose David. I am 9 years old, and my birthday is August 10, 2012. I am in second grade, and I am an only child. I live with my mom and dad. My favorite hobbies are playing marbles, soccer, and watching television. My mother works by selling punch and my father works as a laborer.



Paquito

My name is Carlos. My family calls me Paquito, and I am 4 years old. My date of birth is March 13, 2018. I am going to start my preschool studies, and I love having many little friends. I live with my mom, dad, and brothers. My favorite hobby is playing ball. My father works as an operator in a shoe store called Tosca and my mother takes care of me and my brothers.

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING



New Parents and Children Orientation



Friendship Celebration

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING



First Day of School



Something Special happened on our campus on Dec 26th. HCN's very own RN Jenny Miranda married our guard Rodrigo Rojas's son Rodrigo. Surrounded by their EA family and friends, this beautiful young couple exchanged wedding vows. We are thrilled that this special occasion took place on our beautiful campus.

A SPONSOR'S PERSPECTIVE

I first traveled to EA in 2017 with no prior knowledge of the sponsorship program or of the sweet staff and children there.

After spending a few days at EA, the place and the people truly captured my heart, and I knew before leaving that I wanted to sponsor one of this kids I had met that week. On one of our last night's together and after having spent a week with all the kids there, the spunk of a little girl named Alondra drew me in, and I had the opportunity to take her with our team on a fun off-campus dinner at the beach. It was very clear from the time I connected with her and throughout the remainder of that night, she was exactly who I was supposed to sponsor and whose life I was to continue being a part of.

McKenzie Lynn



Sponsorship with EA is special! Not only do you get the opportunity to spend quality time with your sponsor child during a trip there, but you also have the opportunity to stay in touch through video calls and emails throughout the year. From pictures on graduation days, birthdays, and more; to quarterly video calls, it's truly a special place to connect with the child you sponsor and their family.

Over the past five years, I have had the opportunity to spend quality time with Alondra. I was able to see her go through school and watch her grow into a beautiful young lady. I am thankful that EA provides the opportunity to be such a small part of her life. I have the gift of loving her and supporting her even from afar.



YOUR IMPACT



Through sponsorships, HCN children are able to go shopping for necessary clothes and supplies



Medical Clinic Grand Re-Opening:

“The clinic, with the support of Dr Medina and MINSA will provide prenatal care to new moms and pain management to our surrounding community. Without EA they may not get the care they need.

TEACHER HIGHLIGHT

PROFE DARLIN



"I am thankful for all the people who make it possible for El Ayudante to continue transforming lives. Recently, I have been moved by the transformation that David has made. A few years ago, he had to repeat a grade two times. With the support of El Ayudante he has made a big change. More recently, David was promoted with honors for the academic excellence in his grades and conduct. He is now studying 5th and 6th grade. The best thing about this change is that he is getting good grades that will allow him to graduate to secondary school, getting closer and closer to his great goal of going to university. He wants to improve his lifestyle. With the help of God, El Ayudante, and his own hard work we believe that he can achieve his goal. I am happy to be a part of the change in David's life, to provide him a guide that allows him to succeed and become the civil engineer he wants to be."

A WORD FROM MARISOL



I am pleased to share with you that we are excited at El Ayudante, because this year we have added 4 new children. They joined on March 1 of this year. Seeing the happy faces of these 4 little ones and their families brings joy to our hearts and we thank God that they have the opportunity to be part of our ministry. Our children and adolescents have greeted these new children with love. We are proud to see the hospitality they have shown with the arrival of the new children. This has been very helpful in their adaptation process. I want to thank God and every person who makes it possible for new boys and girls to join our family, because El Ayudante is synonymous with change.

GET INVOLVED AT EA!

DURING THIS DIFFICULT SEASON IN NICARAGUA, WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT NOW MORE THAN EVER!

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