

NEW HOPE MINISTRIES

...thou (LORD) are the helper of the fatherless...

(Ps. 10:14)

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FELIZ DIA DE GRACIAS!!

This is how we say **HAPPY THANKSGIVING DAY** here at New Hope Children's Home! We pray you are all fine... and we just wanted to send out this special News Letter as an update and to speak to you from our hearts. These past 6 months have been probably the most difficult in the work here at New Hope, there have been so many cases of children that we have been presented with and each one has been heartbreaking. Though we have taken in several new children like Sandra and Carolina, Giordano, Nilar, Milagros, Edgar, Victor, Jose Luis and others, in all honesty we have had to turn down at least 50 cases that were presented to us in the last 6 months. We really struggle with not being able to receive each child that is presented to us but many times it is just impossible and overwhelming, we have absolutely no beds, no room... and we have so much work and so much to teach the children we just are not able to receive every child. It hurts so much each time we are not able to receive in a new child. Sometimes we just



cannot keep up, we really get discouraged at times but try not to show it. Sometimes we just do not understand why the children suffer so, but I know our God has called us to continue on in the work. Please, pray for us... pray for the children as we look to continue to work with them and minister here in Peru.

We spoke in our last letter concerning a special **THANKSGIVING OFFERING** we would like to ask help for. You see, we want to make New Hope so much more than the 50 children we have taken in. In the village of Pachacutec and surrounding villages there are literally hundreds and thousands of children that live in unimaginable poverty. They suffer not only from physical hunger but from a spiritual poverty that no child deserves. We want to open the doors to New Hope and invite these children in and feed them a hot meal every afternoon... teaching them at the same time of their Savior who cries for all to *COME UNTO ME*. We also want to teach the children of New Hope that though they have suffered, they too are to be burdened and have a love for children that do not have what they have.

We plan to invite the village children to come in and have a hot meal here at New Hope every evening with our children... a feeding center here at our home where we can share a meal and the gospel of our Savior! How many will come? Well, we are certain that we will fill our dining hall to overflowing and have children waiting outside the home... but we do not want to turn any child down. If you thought you could help us reach and feed these children, this would be such a blessing... did not our Lord say **LET YOUR LIGHT SO SHINE BEFORE MEN?** We want our light and the love of our Lord to shine in all of the homes in our villages here in Pachacutec!



We have included a list of items we would like to purchase... a shopping list! The only difference between our families is that we will go to the OPEN MARKETS and you might go to WALMART, and we need to purchase enough to feed 120 – 150+ children each evening! We believe with this list we should have enough to feed the children at New Hope along with the children that come from the villages for approx. 5 – 6 months, depending on the response. Basically in the main meal here in Peru the custom is to eat CALDO (different type of Peruvian soup) and a SEGUNDO, which is a platter of rice or beans with potatoes, possibly chicken or ground alpaca. Here is the list and the prices of the items we would like to purchase...

Quantity	Item	Price
25 Bags	100 pound Bag of Rice	\$29 per bag
40 Sacks	100 pound sack of flour	\$31 per sack
18 Sacks	120 pound sack of potatoes	\$34 per sack
9 Sacks	100 pound sack of sugar	\$39 per sack
3 Sacks	100 pound sack of dried corn	\$70 per sack
36	4 ½ gallon containers of oil	\$30 per gallon
165	Whole chickens	\$6 each
240	Pounds of ground beef/alpaca	\$1.10 per pound
240	Pounds of pez mono	\$1.30 per pound
2 Sacks	50 pound sacks of Lentils	\$39 per sack
48 Bags	10 pound bags of Noodles	\$7 per bag
5 Sacks	100 pound sacks of beans	\$62 per sack
50	Pounds margarine	\$.39 per pound
160	Dozen of Eggs	\$1.00
Lena...	wood fuel to run our Bread Oven	\$540
	Assorted vegetables, fruits and spices	\$ 1800.
	Propane Gas	\$480

If you thought you might be able to present this to your church family, it would be such a blessing. Possibly your youth group would like to have a special activity to help raise funds to purchase some flour or rice or any of the above food staples. All that is raised will be used to help us with our plans to open the feeding center here at New Hope. We will keep in touch with you all, may our Lord be glorified in all that we do, may He strengthen us as we look to reach families and children with His gospel and grace in the upcoming months.

Blessings:

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