

# NEW HOPE MINISTRIES

...thou (LORD) are the helper of the fatherless... (Ps. 10:14)

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**Greetings to you all** once again in His precious name! **And David said to Saul, Let no man's heart fail because of him: thy servant will go and fight with this Philistine" 1 Samuel 17:32.** Who has not heard of the story of David and Goliath, how David as a youth, with all odds against him, with his own brothers ridiculing him, with the King of Israel discouraging him and the entire Israeli army looking on, challenged the mightiest man in the Philistine army. We all know the story, how David, his faith in the Lord his God, with only a sling and stones in his hand, went against a man infinitely more powerful than him. The final outcome was not that David, in his

strength and experience, defeated a giant who dared to defy the army of Israel, the final outcome was that God used a young man, left at home to tender his sheep, too young to fight and too small to be taken seriously, to accomplish something no one else dared to do.

*Here at New Hope we want our children* to understand that, though they may have been abandoned or abused, though all have given up on them, though society looks on and tells them they cannot, our God has a purpose and plan for their lives that is so incredibly special. We want them to know that they have been created with a purpose, that there is no task too difficult and no giant too powerful that they cannot defeat. But in all honesty teaching the children of New Hope these principles is a daunting and an incredibly difficult task, for you see all their lives these children have been told they are no one, they have been told they have no one, that they could never succeed in life. To them love is only a perversion of what God meant it to be, in their deepest trials it seemed no one cared and even their Creator and God had abandoned them. But we understand the truth, and only the truth will free our children here at New Hope. What more can we ask than that you pray for us and our staff here at New Hope. We need your prayers so much. Nothing can replace your prayers for our children and staff.

***LUIS' STORY...*** His name is Luis Quispe, and he is seven years old. He was born in the city of Arequipa and immediately abandoned by his father and left to be raised by a mother who was legally blind. Living in extreme poverty and unable to even provide milk or bread for her children, Luis was taken to a temporary shelter for abandoned children by his mother. He was extremely malnourished and bore the signs of physical abuse from a mom who would take him to the streets with her while she sold whatever she could to survive. He could hardly speak and when he did, no one could understand what he was saying.





*On July 7<sup>th</sup>, 2006, when he* was barely 2 years old, we received a call from the judge in charge of street children asking us to accept Luis into our home, which we immediately agreed to. We took Luis in and got him the medical care he needed. But more importantly we began to love him and show him compassion as Christ taught us to. He has recently turned seven years old and we continue to work with him and teach him. Recently he underwent surgery to remove some extra tissue around his tongue and on the inside of his mouth. The doctors are hoping this will help him to speak clearer. He is in second grade and though he struggles with his school work, we have seen a great improvement with Luis the last year of his schooling. We have never found his father and have worked with his mother, who now comes faithfully once each month to visit him. Please pray for Luis and all the New Hope family. Like David the shepherd boy who became King of Israel and the apple of God's eye, we know our God has a special plan for the lives of each child here.

*Panetone and Our New Hope Bakery!* We told you all last month about our bakery project here at New Hope. We expect to receive our Industrial oven, another mixer, blenders, dough softeners and other equipment within the next 2-3 weeks.

We are ready to open up our New Hope Bakery and begin preparing Panetone for the Christmas Holiday! This is so important to us for several reasons. It is an opportunity for us to continue to train our children in a skill they can take with them when they leave New Hope. Also, the opening of our bakery is an important step in New Hope becoming partially self-sustaining as the profits from the bakery will help to pay the expenses of our Children's Home! It is also a great opportunity for us to reach out to the community and the entire city of Arequipa with the great work our God is doing in the lives of these children!

*We do have a request* as we begin to bake our Christmas Panetone, which is an oval-shaped type of fruit cake that weighs approximately two pounds. Our goal is to produce and sell 4000 Panetone, but we need to purchase a special flour for this. We would need to purchase 100 bags of Panetone flour. Each 50 pound bag is approx. \$35. Our New Hope family will mix the flour along with the dried fruits and other ingredients. They will weigh and form each "Panetone" by hand. Each will be baked and hand-wrapped in a special bag by our family here and boxed to sell. We have already contacted the local businesses, schools and families to ask them to purchase from us. Many did last year and told us time and again it was the best Panetone they have eaten! If you may be able to help us as we purchase the ingredients this would be such a blessing! We will send some pictures next month as we prepare for this!



*Once again thank you all so much* for your love and support to our family and our children here in Peru. We have run out of room in our newsletter, Please, pray for us and our children, we look forward to keeping in touch with you and to our next month's newsletter...

*In Christ.*

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