

Tres Islas Orphanage Fund
Snap Shots from Orfanatorio Mazatlan
Mazatlan, Mexico



Dulce Goes to Italy! In December 2008, Donelle and Tom say “Bon voyage!” as Dulce leaves for Italy where she used her English as an exchange student.



Paulina proudly shows donors how she can climb a tree!



The children are thankful to donors for helping them begin school with new school uniforms, shoes, backpacks and school supplies.

Donor Kim, from Utah, gets to know Pablo during Spring Mission Week in April 2009.

Children and donors enjoy the fiesta at Orfanatorio Mazatlan during Spring Mission Week 2009.



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Snap Shots from Salvation Army Children's Home Mazatlan, Mexico

Their beautiful smiles say it all! Thanks to your donations, the well-nourished youngsters enjoy a welcomed treat of cake and ice cream.



Below, some of the children pose in their new school uniforms and school shoes along with their backpacks and school supplies to show you the school items you kindly bought them this year.

Salvation Army Children's Home youngsters and Spring Mission Week 2009 volunteers had a fabulous time during their kite flying celebration!



Each week your donations buy the five orphanages food for the upcoming week. Thank you, wonderful donors for your loyal support of all the children!



Tres Islas facilitator Gaudelia "Fella" prepared a wonderful home-cooked meal for the children and Spring Mission Week 2009 volunteers during our day at the children's home.

Teresa, from Pennsylvania, shares lunch time with Chuy. Tres Islas' Christmas dinner fund, "The Christopher Fund" is named in honor of Teresa's son, the late Christopher Jemio.

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Snap Shots from Father Tovar's Home for Boys - Hogar San Pablo
Mazatlan, Mexico



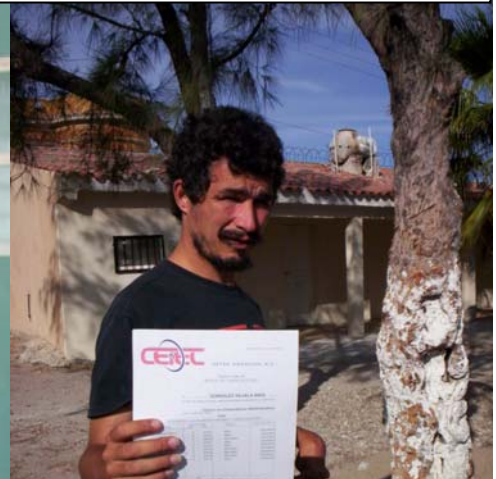
The boys at Fr. Tovar's Home for Boys are appreciative to Tres Islas donors for their new school uniforms, shoes, backpacks and supplies. They begin the school year with all the right tools thanks to you!



Sweet Father Tovar, in one of the last photos taken of him, during Spring Mission Week 2009. We'll always love and remember you, Father. . .



Lena, Tres Islas' 2009 Volunteer of the Year, is a principal facilitator for the Fund and has a kind heart for the boys and children in all the orphanages.



Saul proudly shows his report card as a "Thank you!" for the Education Fund donations that enable him to study computer courses.



Spring Mission Week 2009 volunteers join some of the boys and Sister Maria and Madre Marta for a photo after spending the day together making the necessary improvements to their home.

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 Snap Shots from Ciudad de Los Ninos Orphanage
 Mazatlan, Mexico



Some of the adorable children don their new school uniforms, shoes and show their new school supplies to donors. Without your help, required school uniforms, shoes and school supplies would not be possible.



Spring Mission Week included a beach barbecue fiesta with donors, children and caregivers from all five orphanages enjoying an afternoon of food and fun in the sun.



Rici and Kim from Utah share precious time with Judith and Nailea at Christmas.



Fr. Joe Sioli, the Fund's Chaplain, in conjunction with Pennsylvania parishes, Knights and students raised the funds to purchase much-needed mattresses. Donors brought sheet sets during Spring Mission Week 2009 and the nuns made new bedspreads – thanks to all of you for making this special project possible!



Ciudad youngsters had a fun time with the "clown ice cream cones" made for them during Spring Mission Week 2009!

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Snap Shots from FloreSer Orphanage
Mazatlan, Mexico



Welcome to newest orphanage FloreSer – which means to bloom and blossom – the first of its kind in Mexico – devoted to rescuing girls who have been sexually abused or been forced into a life of prostitution.

Tres Islas donor Kim, from Oregon, spruces up the orphanage with a new coat of paint.



Connie and Terry, from Idaho, (with Kim in the background) and Gerri (Fr. Sioli's mother), from Pennsylvania, spent the day painting and planting flowers, joining the rest of the Spring Mission Week 2009 volunteers in beautifying and improving the girls' home at FloreSer.



What a difference a day, lots of love and plenty of paint makes! THANK YOU TRES ISLAS DONORS!