



Field Report

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“Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age.” -Matthew 28:19-20

“Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations...” Those famous words of our Lord Jesus Christ continue to echo in the minds and hearts of the Alegre family after their purpose-filled trip to the mission field of Lurin, Peru. Juan Alegre, with his wife Sandra, and their 14-year old daughter Aileen, spent days in the arid and destitute town of Lurin, where Operation Rescue the Children, Inc., in partnership with the mission field-based church of Calvary Chapel Vida, is working to reach hundreds of children with the hope of Jesus Christ.

Pastor Javier Barrionuevo, who oversees all aspects of the project where the feeding center operates, envisions the feeding center as a central place of outreach for children in great need. At this time, nutritious meals are provided to children once a day, and the same locale is used to preach the word of God. The Alegre’s 14-year old daughter, Aileen, made friends with many of the children in the project, but she quickly learned through her dialogues with them that they knew little of who Jesus is. Children’s hearts were open to hearing of Christ, and many mothers were eager for bible-based teaching. According to Aileen, the field is ripe for harvest.



Sandra, Aileen’s mother, agrees. She recognizes the need for evangelistic tools, such as visual aids and films that will help to capture children’s attention during their daily visits to the feeding center. Even more, Sandra enjoyed the opportunity to sit and talk to many of the mothers whose children eat at the center. The great majority of them, Sandra reports, do not yet know Christ – in fact, she recounts the story of one mother who professes to be a Buddhist, yet brings her child to the feeding center because she has no other way to provide food for her child. Project staff and volunteers are hopeful that as her child is exposed to the light of Christ, that child will be a vehicle to lead her family to the Lord. Furthermore, the people in the community who do already know Christ as their Savior and Lord are in great need of one to one discipleship. Many of these mothers choose to stay even after

Pastor Javier finishes his weekly sermons in order to have their many questions answered.

Jesus spent much of his time ministering to the poor. He disciplined them by living among them. Juan Alegre shares in Pastor Javier’s vision for the impoverished children and families of Lurin, and he believes that God is calling out laborers into His harvest field.

God is seemingly opening doors for ministry, reports Juan, and he believes that God’s provision for this project is evidence of God’s hand at work in the community. According to Juan, the greatest need at this time is for God to raise up a team of leaders for this community who have a call from God to



give of their time to help disciple these children and families.

The Alegre family recognizes its own call from God to “go and make disciples of all nations.” They have sought God’s direction as to their response to the great need they see in this community. They are convinced that the Truth will set the people of Lurin free from the many bondages under which they presently live (John 8:32). The Alegre’s are praying for God to raise up a team of people who will commit to travel on a short-term mission trip to help them minister to the



To learn how you can partner in this great mission, or for more information about the ministry of Operation Rescue the



many needs of the children and families of Lurin. For, “the harvest is great, but the workers are few. So pray to the Lord who is in charge of the harvest; ask him to send more workers into his fields” (Matthew 9:37-38). Will you join with us in prayer?

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Please pray:

- For the children and families of Lurin, that God will open their hearts to receive the saving message of Jesus Christ.
- For God to raise up people who are willing to commit \$30/ mo. toward the sponsorship of a child.
- For the group of Christians that are involved in some aspect of the project in Lurin, that they will hunger for more of the Word of God and seek to be disciplined in His ways.
- For Pastor Javier and the other leaders of this project, that God will continue to give them strength for service and fill them each with abundant wisdom. For God to place a hedge of protection over them. For the funds necessary for adequate transportation, necessary equipment, and other operational expenses.
- For God to raise up a team of servants who are willing to co-labor in this mission by giving of their time, talents, and other resources.

Donations Wanted:

- Monetary donations of any size that will help meet various operational and ministerial needs. A commitment of \$30/ mo. toward the sponsorship of a child in need.
- Multi-media projector
- Guitars for the Worship Team
- Yamaha PSR 550 keyboard
- Lecterns / Music stands
- Laptops
- Child and adolescent Christian films (in Spanish)