

Our Mission...

To train Guatemalans for leadership by teaching biblical principles in such a way that they become integrated in their lives and effect spiritual change in their society, and to impact North American Christians for world missions.





Yeimi and her siblings live in a rough house made of wood and tin. Her mother tries hard to feed and clothe six growing children, but the cost of everything is going up, and even the most basic of needs outstrip the family income. Yeimi's father works off and on as a bricklayer, but far away, in the capital, so he is absent from Yeimi's life.

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But today I'm writing to tell you how you can
build a brighter future for Yeimi and so many
children like her.

and even have your donation doubled!

Because children like Yeimi <u>can</u> find a safe place where they can dream beyond the tin walls of their home. And you can provide that place to dream.



Will you help Yeimi dream beyond the tin walls of her home?

Yeimi's eyes shone with hope the day she proudly read her first sentence aloud in class.

"In that moment," her teacher says, "I understood that education can truly open a new path for her." That same hope shines through every time Yeimi raises her hand to answer a question, every time she adds her ideas to a class discussion, every time she shares her beautiful smile despite all the struggles she's faced in her young life.

It's an uphill battle. Yeimi's needs are many. Her father never had the chance to go to school, and her mother only completed a few years. At home, **Yeimi lacks even the basic educational supports** - books, school supplies, an adequate place to study and do her homework. As the oldest daughter, she's expected to help with chores and take care of younger siblings.



Education can open a new path for Yeimi



You can provide teachers and resources

But Yeimi wakes up every morning excited to come to school. There, she's receiving a quality education. There, she's learning that she has great value in the eyes of the Lord. There, her teacher teaches with love and patience, reflecting God's love to her. **And there, she's learning that it's okay to dream God-sized dreams.**

This Christmas, will you build a brighter future for children like Yeimi? Will you make sure they have a school, a loving teacher, and the educational resources they need?



Expenses in Guatemala continue to rise dramatically everything from pencils to teacher's salaries cost more than they did even a year ago. But together we need to be there for children like Yeimi.

Until the end of the year, you can make your generosity stretch even further, because every dollar you give to build a brighter future in Guatemala will be matched (up to \$110,000)! You will be building a future where Yeimi and children like her are able to learn to read and write - and to dream and hope.



Your donation is matched so your generosity stretches even further

"Today, you have the opportunity to change the future of a little girl," explains Yeimi's teacher. "Your gift is not only school supplies or a school meal - it is hope, the possibility of a different future for Yeimi and her family. One gesture of yours can transform generations."



So please, tear off the donation form below and send it in with your gift. Or go to www.impactministries.ca/build and give online. Double your impact right now. Because children like Yeimi need us to believe in their brighter future.

May your Christmas be Bright,

Les+ Rita Peters

Les & Rita Peters Founders & Field Directors **Impact Ministries**

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P.S. The rising costs in Guatemala are a serious concern. But we know that when God's people come together to do God's work, there's hope for a brighter future! This holiday season, let's make sure that Vida Schools are there for children like Yeimi for years to come. Because we're all dreaming God-sized dreams for kids in Guatemala.



Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights. 🛟



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