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When we partner together, kids are blessed! Leonardo recently turned 11yrs old. To his surprise he received a birthday gift and a food dispensary purchased with a special gift from his sponsor. He was delighted to receive a classy red Soccer ball, a big sweet watermelon and his sisters Alejandra and Briandra helped him to carry the rest of the goodies home. Their single mom works two jobs. Her first job is cooking at a kindergarten from 8am to 2pm. At 2pm, she rushes to her second job as a nanny for 3 children from 2pm to 8pm. This schedule does not give her much face time with her own children. That's where grandmom comes in and sends her grandchildren to the Casa Infantil in Mojoneras.

Leonardo and his two sisters attend the before school program from 11am til 2pm. They get a hot meal, learn English to help them get a job in a global / tourism economy, do their homework, play table games and volunteer in the set up and clean up chores learning to serve the greater good of others. This program also participates in sports and music programs during the week, and on Sundays they minister to approximately 120 kids and 15 adults in a church service.

UPDATE: Ministry Base Mezcales, We need approximately \$19,500 to complete the first phase. All the walls are now up! When we have water and electric we plan on moving in. Still to go are the roof and floor on the remaining 2/3rds. The roof will cost approx. \$7,000. With the completion of the roof and floor, we will have the living room, dinning room, kitchen and front patio. This month one of our concrete workers, 18 year old Octavio



asked if I would pray with him to accept the Lord and if I would disciple him!

That's so cool!

We have been drilling a well by hand on the property. We are grateful to Pastor Miguel Pena and Issac Rentaria who are volunteering their time to help us drill this well. We hit water at 24 feet down, and are planning to finish out the well at approximately 60 feet deep.

**Say a prayer:**

Pray for us as we are training the workers and opening up 3 new children's programs. We are helping mission churches to feed children body soul and spirit and win their communities for the Lord.

Pray for the completion of the first phase of the ministry base, so that we will have sufficient space to function effectively. Pray for funds so that we can accomplish everything in good time.

Pray for wisdom, provision and the power of God to be manifest as we make disciples here in Mexico and touch and change lives, discipling children through the programs and adults through Vida International.

Making followers of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Together we are Life Savers,

*Ju & Carol*



Leonardo's birthday bounty

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