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QUINCEANERA 2023



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Please pray specifically:

- Resolution to the power challenge.
- Wisdom moving forward with the school year.
- Good Physical health for Oscar and all of us.
- Spiritual protection for all our kids.

School Has Started!

By Mary Frenter

3 BLESSINGS AT THE CLACKAMAS OFFICE

I have been in the US for a couple of months working with our H2H Headquarters office as we made some personnel changes. Rick Stephens, our board member and ministry treasurer, retired from the treasurer position last summer. Sarah Serrano is our new bookkeeper. Rick still serves on the board of directors. Rachel Serrano is our new Strategic Coordinator for H2H, to help with donor communications and fundraising. Chris Himm remains our Administrative Assistant.

PRESENTATIONS

Oscar and I spent October in the Northwest visiting many of you at your churches to share what God has been doing this past year for His kids in H2H. Thank you to the churches in Lakewood, WA, Reardon, WA, George, OR, Stevenson, WA, Chehalis, WA, and Centralia, WA, for your hospitality and love at every turn. Thank you, too, to Bob and Betsy Tutland, Mercer Island, WA, and Dave and Cindy White in Vancouver, WA, for hosting me during my stay.

QUINCEANERA 2023

November 11th, 5 of our daughters had their Quinceanera, a traditional Latin American celebration for girls when they turn 15. Yohana was escorted by her sponsor, Pastor Scott Collins from Chehalis, WA. Marleny was escorted by her brother, David Alexander. Estephany was escorted by Rick Stephens, H2H Board Member from Clackamas, OR. Yulissa was escorted by her dad, Oscar Serrano, founder and director of WWH2H. Katerin was escorted by Tony Moreno from Chehalis, WA. Hosted and funded each year by Rick Stephens, it was held in our beautifully decorated church, complete with flowers, red carpet, and Portrait Settings. Guests from the US who came to help with the festivities included Kim Stephens from Clackamas, OR, Jeanie Collins from Chehalis, WA, Gary and Sylvia Thacker from Mineola, TX, and their Mission team: Jody, Katie, and Martin Davis from Brier, WA; Steven and Becky Ware from Middleton, NY; Ashley Kwasney from Marion, MT; Monika Joyce from Darien, IL; Hanna and Jodi Masterson from Big Sky, TX; Meredith Vorndran from McLean, VA; and Dominique Walker from North Bonneville, WA.

The ceremony was followed by refreshments and Quinceanera Cake at the church. Later, at the Serrano home, a delicious dinner was served, created by good friend, Diana Jallu and her family.

Our daughters are so blessed by this amazing night of memories you helped create for them. Thank you!!



ANNUAL FUNDRAISING BANQUET

On November 4th we celebrated our 13th Annual Fundraising Banquet in Portland with 100+ guests. Our Administrative Assistant, Chris Himm, did an amazing job again this year as Chairperson of the event. Decorations were provided by Teresa Johnson, and music by Caleb Wold and Teresa Johnson. Luisa Paloa, director of our Primary Grades at our Bilingual School, was our keynote speaker for our theme, "I was rescued". Rachel Serrano and Dominique Walker also spoke, and there were video messages from some of our kids and from our daughter, Dr. Susy Ramos, who graduated from Medical School in July. It was wonderful seeing our H2H family and all the new faces this year. Please check out our website for the video if you were unable to attend. Thank you to all who generously supported this event with your finances.

We returned to Honduras a week ago to heavy rains and flooding. School was cancelled for a few days, as a hurricane was expected. So far, we have avoided it, and we are back in school.



H2H IS NOW SET UP TO TAKE SECURITIES

We are so excited that we now have another giving option. H2H is now set up to take stock gifts. This is great for you, as the donor, because when you give appreciated securities, you avoid capital gains tax and qualify for the fair market value deduction. And H2H will not pay taxes either. It is a win/win.

If you are interested, please provide the information below when donating or you can email/call Sarah at sarahs@h2hcv.org or 503-427-0258 and we can provide information needed to make a stock to charity donation.

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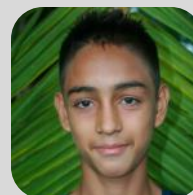
NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS



Iveth - Age 25



Alonso - Age 18



Santiago - Age 14



Daniel M - Age 26



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2 Corinthians 1:3-5 (NIV)

“Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God. For just as we share abundantly in the sufferings of Christ, so also our comfort abounds through Christ.”

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*When it comes to children in need,
we're not liberals nor conservatives. We are radicals!*

TO OUR HEART TO HEART COMMUNITY—THANK YOU!

TEAMS - We are hoping 2024 will be a year you will pray about planning a team from your church to help us.

UPCOMING TEAMS 2024

June 18-28 Village Maintenance, Scott Collins, Bethel Church

Contact our office for more information.

(503)-427-0258 or www.office@h2hcv.org

Hope to see you in “24”!!

LETTER WRITING - *The Kids would like to hear from you . . .*

The H2H kids really look forward to receiving and reading letters from their sponsors, and they enjoy writing back as well. One of the impacts of the Covid pandemic we have observed is that the correspondence to the kids has dropped off. For about half of the children, they have not received any letters. If you would like to correspond with a kid, your letter will definitely brighten their day. Please send your letters to the H2H office.

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