



## L'ESPERANCE Children's Village San Mateo Bolivia

The Children's Village San Mateo was founded in **1998** and is located at the foot of the Andes, where the Bolivian rainforest begins. On the banks of Rio San Mateo, 150 km east of Cochabamba, we care for **60 social orphans** in 6 family houses. The **59 ha property** is covered with forest. In addition, vegetables and fruit are cultivated: tomatoes, cassava, green beans, corn, sesame, rice, bananas, pineapples, tangerines, and avocados. Honey is also harvested.

There are also a **bakery** and a **carpentry** to generate income and as training centers where the children can learn handicraft skills.

Since 2016 there is the possibility to be sent as a volunteer to San Mateo for one year via **ADRA** Germany. Depending on their skills, they can help in the carpentry, in the bakery, with the daily shuttle service to school, in agriculture, and with homework support for the children.

An assembly hall is planned. We would also like to found our own school. For this we still need financial help.



Since May 2019 Rozelito Croscop and his wife Alek Sandra de Oliveira Croscop have been running the San Mateo Children's Village. Alek Sandra is the official manager of San Mateo, and Rozelito is responsible for the non-bureaucratic part of running the Children's Village.



## Give them a future, become an orphan, school or project sponsor!

### Child Sponsorships

Help a child in Africa or South America with 15, 30, 60, or 90 €/£/\$ per month to get out of misery, to find a sheltered home again, and to gain a positive future perspective.

### School or Project Sponsorships

Support financially weak students. Take part in building new homes for orphans, classrooms or workshops. Help to expand the areas where vegetables, fruit, and cereals are cultivated to ensure self-sufficiency and education. Participate in building income-generating areas to reduce dependency on donations.

### Voluntourism

Contribute your knowledge, skills, and hobbies to a L'ESPERANCE project, with the children, in house construction, as a teacher, consultant, in agriculture, crafts, or as a health worker. Get to know dear children and friendly people on site as well as far away countries apart from the tourist streams. Combine your help with a trip through one or more of these fascinating countries.

## We extend a warm welcome to you! Get in contact with us!

»Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me ... See that you do not despise one of these little ones. For I tell you that in heaven their angels always see the face of my Father who is in heaven.«  
(Jesus of Nazareth)

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