



# NPH USA

Raising Children. Supporting Families. Transforming Lives.



## SUSTAINABILITY

## THE POWER TO EMPOWER.

NPH USA transforms the lives of vulnerable children in Latin America and the Caribbean by supporting the homes, health services and educational programs of Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos (NPH, Spanish for "Our Little Brothers and Sisters"). NPH is currently supporting more than 6,300 boys and girls in Bolivia, the Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua and Peru.

Our homes strive to be as self-sufficient as possible. This helps lower expenses and provides the opportunity to teach children valuable skills. It also reduces the homes' impact on the environment. Features vary by home (see other side for highlights) and may include:

- Gardens, farms and greenhouses
- Vocational workshops that produce baked goods, furniture, shoes and clothes
- Independent water systems, including wells, towers and treatment facilities
- Solar powered utilities

### HOW YOU CAN HELP

Your gift can help the NPH homes provide for their own needs.

- \$405 pays the salary of a farm worker at NPH Honduras for one month
- \$1,000 provides 2,200 pounds of seed corn for NPH El Salvador
- \$2,083 buys pig feed for NPH Mexico for one month
- \$5,000 purchases dairy cows for four NPH homes
- \$11,890 pays for farm expenses at NPH Nicaragua for six months

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# NPH SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAMS AT A GLANCE

## BOLIVIA

Raising fish and growing vegetables

Dairy project produces enough milk for the home and to sell

Independent water system with well and tower

Trash separation (organic vs. non-organic)



## DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Cows, goats and pigs

Growing bananas, eggplant, okra and squash

Independent water system with wells and tower

Solar power at a visitor's house

Garbage separation/selling recyclables



## EL SALVADOR

Cows for milk and meat

Produced 115 bottles of milk per day and 450,000 pounds of corn in 2016

Independent water system with well, pumps and waste water treatment plant



## GUATEMALA

Grows vegetables

Independent water system with well, tower and sewage treatment plant

Solar water heaters in 90% of home, and power in two houses

Some furniture is made in vocational workshops; a bakery and a green bean cultivation project raise funds for the home



## HAITI

Chickens, goats and fish

Tilapia fish project produces food and revenue for St. Damien Pediatric Hospital

Grows a variety of fruits; makes bread and rolls onsite

Programs in Tabarre running 100% on solar power for 6 to 8 hours per day



## HONDURAS

Raises livestock, fruits and vegetables and produces 57% of all food consumed, valued at over \$170,000 per year

Rain catchment/irrigation systems

Solar water heaters at most houses

Half of all furniture, shoes and school uniforms made in vocational workshops



## MEXICO

Chickens, fish, sheep and pigs

Produces 19% of all food consumed at main home, including 13 tons of corn and 1,500 tilapia each month

"Green stations" (small ponds) improve irrigation and help prevent crop fires

Solar water heaters at girls' house



## NICARAGUA

Chickens, cows, fish and pigs

Hopes to achieve self-sufficiency in basic grains and dairy products

Independent water system with wells, tower and sewage treatment plant

500 solar panels expected to save \$2,000 in energy costs per month



## PERU

Growing beans, beets, cucumbers, lettuce, onions, radishes, sweet potatoes fruit, and feed for livestock

Independent water system with well, tower and sewage treatment plant

Solar water heaters at all but one house

