



# Serving Abandoned and Orphaned Children in Mexico

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## A Letter of Thanks from a Former MANO Home Graduate

Finally, with thanks to God, I was able to reach one of my dreams and my goal in life, to finish my education and start my professional career. I have graduated with a degree in Criminology. I feel grateful to God for always guiding me His way, and for blessing me with wisdom and understanding, because in this long and hard journey He sent my way very good people who gave me their support and affection.

I'm very grateful to Him because I had something more than a house to live in — Casa MANO was for me a second home and a family, from the housemother to the the other students living in the Home. Far from my family, I had nothing but the illusion and the desire to realize the dream that would allow me to get ahead as a professional. I thank God, Caring Action for Children, and all the people who with their kindness and donations have made it possible for the MANO Home ministry that gave me, as many other girls, the possibility of finishing my studies.



I write these words hoping to reach all the people who have been part of Caring Action, sending them my gratitude and hoping God will fill your lives with blessings.

At your service, Lic. en Criminología. Sandra Araceli Navarro Ramos.



## Two Little Ones That Found a HOME in our Shelter in Monterrey



Abraham is 4 years old. He is in preschool, and is a very sociable child, and loves to play with his brother Santiago. His Abuela, (grandmother) comes to visit him and is a very special person to Abraham.

Santiago is the brother of Abraham. There are two older sisters in this family. Santiago is 5 years old. He is very active, and loves to make people laugh. He also loves his Abuela and his brother. He is in Kindergarten.



# Caring ACTION for Children, Inc.

A non-profit interdenominational organization  
dedicated to helping Mexican Christians care  
for the under-privileged children in their country

## OUR TWO-FOLD MISSION

- To respond to the needs of children in Mexico by providing food, housing, clothing, an education, and spiritual guidance.
- To assist concerned Mexicans in taking full responsibility for property and operations of the Children's Homes.

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## Our Coordinators in Mexico, **Benjamin and Miriam Valdez,** Introduce Themselves

Caring Action has been present in our lives for 30 years. First, Benjamin knew it through his parents **Dora and Esteban Valdez**, who were directors in the house *Mamá Paulita* in Mante Tamaulipas. Later in Monterrey, his parents founded the Student Home *Cinco Banderas*.

We first started helping Caring Action when its director Trygve Jansen came to visit the projects and needed a translator. When Tor Jansen became the director, we continued helping, and we learned great lessons of faith from Tor.

Benjamin is an architect and has been collaborating in the construction and purchases of the Homes. Miriam is in charge of receiving the funds from the USA, and distributing them to the Homes. She has also been a support to the Home MANO for female students.

For many years we have received in our house the representatives of Caring Action when they come to Monterrey. We coordinate every visit by organizing and guiding the CA board members. We enjoy the encounters between our brothers and sisters in Christ. Caring Action has given us the opportunity to grow and to serve.

We want to thank all the supporters of Caring Action for making this ministry possible.



The young Valdez family when they first began volunteering in this ministry.

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