



GIVING
TUESDAY

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Answered prayer

Newsletter by Maria Lopez

Last year as I was praying for the land around our property, I sensed that God was saying to purchase the piece of land behind our property and build a DAYCARE CENTER! I dismissed the thought/sense because I felt that was ridiculous. Surely, God wouldn't ask me that when we did not have the resources to do it. The next day I had the same feeling: Purchase that piece of land. WHAT? Purchase that piece of land. I dismissed it again. The next day I sensed the same thing: PURCHASE THE LAND BEHIND THIS PROPERTY AND BUILD A DAYCARE CENTER. This was the third time I felt this. I had to listen to the feeling now, for sure. I asked the landowner if that property was for sale. He said no. So, I really dismissed the idea. Two days later, the landowner came by and asked me what piece of land I was interested in. I said the one behind our property as I pointed to it. He said, "I made a mistake when I told you it was sold. It is available and I am happy to sell it to you!" OMG!





Daycare Center!

That was the beginning of a new adventure. We were able to purchase the land and we are now raising funds to build the DAYCARE CENTER for mothers who work in the fields, carrying their young children on their backs as they work harvesting the crops. The ones they cannot carry spend the day on the side of the road, in the fields in the dirt, unattended, no matter the weather, with no water or food. There is no affordable childcare available for them.

Our vision is to provide childcare for these little ones so they can have a safe place. Phase one is to build the center, and we would like to ask for your financial help to accomplish this. Eventually, we will have classrooms, a playground, a dining room, and bathrooms. We plan to hire local people as workers with children. Our initial estimate for a 20x20m building, for materials and labor, is \$25,000.

Please prayerfully consider joining us in this very needed project to benefit the Indigenous families in this community. To donate please press the **PayPal button below** or mail a check to **Bridge To The Nations, P. O. Box 92018, Pasadena, CA 91109**



God's blessings on you as we partner with God's heart for these children. HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

