

(Today's date)

Dear (friend, family),

I am excited to share with you an opportunity I have coming up, to be a part of a team going to the Living Hope International Youth Home in Puebla, Mexico. God has laid it on my heart to give of my time and talents to reach out in love to the kids in their care.

Our team will be helping in many ways including light construction and maintenance on the grounds, helping serve and simply sharing God's love with the kids living there.

Our trip will be from (Trip Dates). I am reaching out to friends and family for the prayer and financial support I will need for this trip to be a success. I hope I can count on you to lift us up in prayer and to consider how you might be able to help financially as well. The total cost of the trip for each person is about \$(Amount determined by your team leader). Much of this amount is due by (Deadline of Funds due).

If you wish to financially support my trip, make your check payable to "(Name of your church or organization)" and include the tear-off portion of the card enclosed to designate your contribution to my support needs. Please do not include my name on the memo line of the check itself. Please mail your support to: (Address of your church or organization). Any funds received above the amount I personally need, will go toward the work of Living Hope International.

The kids we will be helping have been abandoned by their family, community and the government and need the love of Christ and caring adults to protect and nurture them. Living Hope is an outstanding organization currently caring for about 100 children and young people.

If you have any questions about this trip I would love to share more. Feel free to call me at (Your Phone number). You are important to me and I would cherish your partnership in this wonderful opportunity, as I step out in faith and act as the hands and feet of our heavenly Father to kids in need.

Most sincerely,

(name)

P.S. The (Deadline of Funds due) deadline is important in determining some of my next steps for raising support.