



L'ESPERANCE Children's Village San Mateo Bolivia

The Children's Village San Mateo was founded in **1998** and is situated 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 **65 social orphans** in 7 family units. On the **59 ha land** there is forest. Vegetables and fruit are cultivated: tomatoes, cassava, green beans, corn, sesame, rice, bananas, tangerines, and avocados. We also harvest honey.

There are a **bakery** and a **carpentry** for income generation and as training centers for the craftsmanship of the children. The carpentry mainly produces chairs and tables for public schools.

Since 2016 **ADRA** Germany has sent two volunteers per year to San Mateo. They have rendered a helpful service in the carpentry, in the daily shuttle service to the school, in maintenance and repair work, in agriculture and when helping the children with their homework.



A new staff house is under construction and an assembly hall is planned. We even want to found our own school. For this we need additional donations.

Since December 2017 Viktor Gossen has been the new manager of San Mateo.



Give a future, sponsor a child, student, or project!

Child Sponsorship

Help a child in Africa or South America with 15, 30, 60, or 90 €/£/\$ per month to leave misery, find a protected home, and have a positive perspective for the future.

Student or Project Sponsorship

Finance a Student. Contribute to the construction of new living quarters, class rooms or workshops for orphans. Help to extend the area where vegetable, fruit, and cereals are cultivated in order to pursue self-sufficiency and education. Build income generating departments to lessen the dependency on donations.

Voluntourism

Share your knowledge, skills and hobbies in a L'ESPERANCE project with the children, in house construction, as a teacher, professional counselor, in agriculture, craft, or as a health counselor. Get acquainted with dear children on site and kind local people apart from the flow of tourists. Combine your help with a trip through one or more of these fascinating countries.

We extend a warm welcome to you! Get in touch 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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