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**Urgent Appeal: Help Us Bridge the Gap in Funding for Jinotega's Vocational Center!**

Dear Friends and Supporters,

I'm writing with an urgent appeal for support as we navigate a challenging time for our Vocational Center in Jinotega, Nicaragua.

**The Challenge We Face:**

Regrettably, our donations for the year have been significantly lower than previous years. This unexpected shortfall jeopardizes our ability to sustain and expand the vital programs that empower individuals in Jinotega through skill development and education.

**Why Your Help Matters Now:**

Without immediate assistance, we risk scaling back our programs even more. Your contribution is crucial to ensuring the continuity and growth of our vocational initiatives.

**How You Can Make an Immediate Impact:**

We urgently need your support to bridge the financial gap. By contributing today, you become a lifeline for our vocational center, helping us overcome this challenging period and continue changing lives.

**Every Dollar Counts - Let's Reach Our Goal Together:**

No contribution is too small, and collectively, we can make a significant difference. Whether it's \$10 or \$100, your generosity will help us reach our goal and secure a brighter future for the communities we serve.

You can go online to <https://globeintl.org/members/britnell-sandy/> to make a secure online contribution. Or you can use the return envelope enclosed. Please share this letter with your network to help us reach as many potential supporters as possible.

**Spread the Word:**

Use the hashtag #BridgeTheGap to spread awareness about our urgent fundraising efforts. Your shares and retweets can make a world of difference.

**Thank You for Being a Beacon of Hope:**

We understand times are tough for many, and we appreciate your consideration and support during this critical moment. Your commitment to our cause is the driving force behind positive change.

Let's rally together and ensure the light of opportunity and the gospel continues to shine in Jinotega!

I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to all those who promptly responded to our urgent request last month. I am pleased to announce that, thanks to your swift response, we successfully met the budget for January.

Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a worker who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the word of truth.  
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*-Sandy and Jim*

# Some scenes from 2023



Christmas hugs. A pretty special moment!



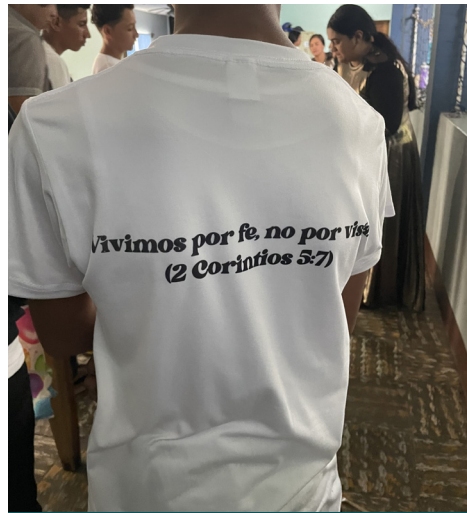
Woodworking graduation.



Saying good by to Ivonne as an employee but never as a friend!



All the students had to hug me!



"We live by faith and not by sight."



Thanks to two generous donors we were able to celebrate all 2023 birthdays with lunch, cake and a combination of fun and practical gifts.



Christmas lunch with our staff at a local restaurant. Wonderful group to work with!!!



A student got up very early to make us lunch for our travel back to Managua. Breakfast pizza and tres leches cake!



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Your prayers and donations are deeply appreciated!

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