

Victor and Julie Zaragoza Founders and Directors of Fishers of Men

From Victor's background as a member of a street gang in Mexico City and Julie's childhood as the daughter of a Michigan pastor come their combined passion to provide a secure home for abandoned children and to proclaim the healing power of Jesus Christ to remote regions of Mexico.

You can help to carry out this vision by joining a work team at Refuge Ranch or participating in an Evangelistic Medical Mission Crusade. Experience the joy of making an eternal difference in someone's life!

The Mission

Fishers of Men
is an organization
of evangelical Christians
whose mission is
to glorify God
by meeting the basic needs
of our neighbor
while seeking the integral
transformation of that person.

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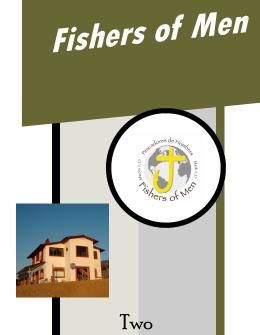
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We look forward to hearing from YOU!

What do you need to know to go on a mission trip to Mexico with Fishers of Men?



Opportunities

to Serve!



General Information

You can participate on two different mission trips with Fishers of Men: a work team at Refuge Ranch or an Evangelistic Medical Mission Crusade.

The following applies to both types of trips:

You will need to be in good health and have a valid passport.

Cost: Round trip airfare to Mexico City plus \$50 per day per person for room, board, and ground transportation.

Average length of either type of trip is from a week to 10 days.

One or more persons can join teams already scheduled for Refuge Ranch or a Crusade, or your organization can form your own team to Refuge Ranch. Teams consist of from two to 20 persons.



Refuge Ranch

Refuge Ranch, located in south central Mexico, is a home for abandoned and neglected children. The Zaragoza family currently lives in the guest

home. Construction is underway for the main home with a capacity for more children. What would you do?

- * General construction
- * Help the children with math, reading, computers, music, art, sports, etc.
- * Household projects such as sewing, canning, organizing, cleaning
- * Possible outreach to neighborhood children through Bible school

"Serving at Refuge Ranch with my team was not only a time of true joy, but also a great witness of God's love, power and faithfulness on that mountain. Our ministry to the dump in Mexico City was both humbling and life-changing – an awesome way to carry the light of Christ to those living in darkness. I urge you to go - be a part of the ministries of Refuge Ranch and be forever changed by the heart of God!"

Teresa Moore, administrative assistant

"Having been involved with numerous ministry opportunities, I thought I knew what to expect at Refuge Ranch. Instead, I was completely blown away by the miraculous power of God as revealed through the lives of the Zaragoza family. What might have become of these children had they continued on the destructive, abusive paths of their lives is horrifying. God's transformation of these young lives through Julie and Victor is incredible, and inspires me to be an instrument of His love as well."

Jim Shackle, educator

Evangelistic Medical Mission Crusades



Crusades meet physical and spiritual needs in remote poverty-stricken regions of Mexico.

Personnel needed:

Doctors EMTs Nurses Dentists

Hairdressers Children's workers

General volunteers

"What a blessing it was to join Fishers of Men on an Evangelistic Medical Mission Crusade! I volunteered to help provide dental care in underserved areas of Mexico, not really knowing what to expect. I found the crusade both challenging and eye-opening. I was stretched in my abilities as a pediatric dentist, but God provided the patience and patients (many grateful children and adults) needed. I witnessed the gratitude of individuals as their physical and spiritual needs were met and the compassion of fellow crusaders joyfully meeting these needs. I left with my heart full and an eagerness to return when I get the opportunity."

Joe Inman, pediatric dentist

"Why do I keep returning for another medical mission? This is a ministry that not only treats the maladies of the population but also the souls of these people. Each person is individually treated, counseled, encouraged, and prayed with. Through giving I receive."

Lorraine Kenter, Physician Assistant-Certified