

Guatemala God's Child Mission Trip

Want to be part of a miracle? Help us build a home in only one week.



(But that's not the miracle.)

We think it looks like a utility shed with only 200 square feet, one window, one door, no power, and no running water. But to an impoverished Guatemalan family, it looks like a weather-proof shelter with a clean concrete floor that can be locked. It looks like home.

A home is the miracle.



This trip is organized by [God's Child](#), headquartered in Minneapolis MN. North Shore UMC is providing the funds and construction crew to build a home.

Yes, it's physical work - mixing and spreading concrete, laying concrete block, putting up concrete boards, putting up a metal roof – but no previous experience at any of those tasks is required. We'll have a native foreman to guide us. (And you thought your job is hard. God bless him!)

Construction not your thing? God's Child also needs help at their school (crafts, reading to the kids, teaching English, helping the teachers, helping serve breakfast or lunch), and at their hospital for malnourished babies (as "Huggers" and "Holders", feeding, bathing, changing diapers).

Yes, it's international, but no inoculations are required, and no health precautions are needed other than drinking the bottled water provided. Of course, a tetanus shot is always a good idea. All you need is a passport.

It's a great first-time mission trip. No prior mission trip experience is necessary, and being international just makes it more meaningful.

But it will not be ALL work. The weekend before we return home we will become tourists and enjoy the Guatemalan scenery with an overnight stay at [Lake Atitlan](#) and some shopping.

Guatemala is gorgeous, and the temperature is usually between a low of 72 and a high of 81 while we are there.



Get the satisfaction of facilitating one of God's miracles.

Details:

Leave: Sunday Jan 21, 2018

- 2-1/2 flight from Atlanta

Stay with a host family that provides room and meals

Translator and guide provided.

Only knowing English is sufficient.

Return: Monday Jan29, 2018

Cost: \$1455 all inclusive (as of Aug 23, 2017) but may vary until airfare is confirmed with a deposit

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