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LET ME PAINT YOU A PICTURE

The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands.

— Psalm 19:1 (NIV)

“Art washes away from the soul the dust of everyday life.”— attributed to Pablo Picasso



Because of your faithful support of our general budget, we have been able to hire local artist Rivaldo Lopez to mentor them as they develop their artistic skills and discover their God-given gifts.



Your generosity makes stories like theirs possible by creating opportunities for mentorship, skill development, encouragement, and hope. Thank you for investing in young people's potential and partnering with us to make a lasting difference. — Greg McGaha

“For the lost, the least, and the last”

Alejandro (11) and Emanuel (14) are two young men with a love for painting and dreams that are bigger than the opportunities available to them. Thank you for trusting Porch de Salomon to be a conduit of both resources and hope in the lives of young people like them.



Their artwork is now featured in silent auctions at our café, providing them with the opportunity to earn income while building confidence. Recently, one of their paintings sold for \$130—a wonderful milestone that reflects their growth.



Portraits of Provision

A new home has been dedicated in Monte Mercedes, Sololá, for Pedro, Candelaria, and their children, José Alfredo and Angela. After Pedro's injury left him unable to work consistently, the family struggled in a small sheet-metal shelter. Today, they have a safe place to call home and have also received a small chicken-raising business to help provide a sustainable source of income.



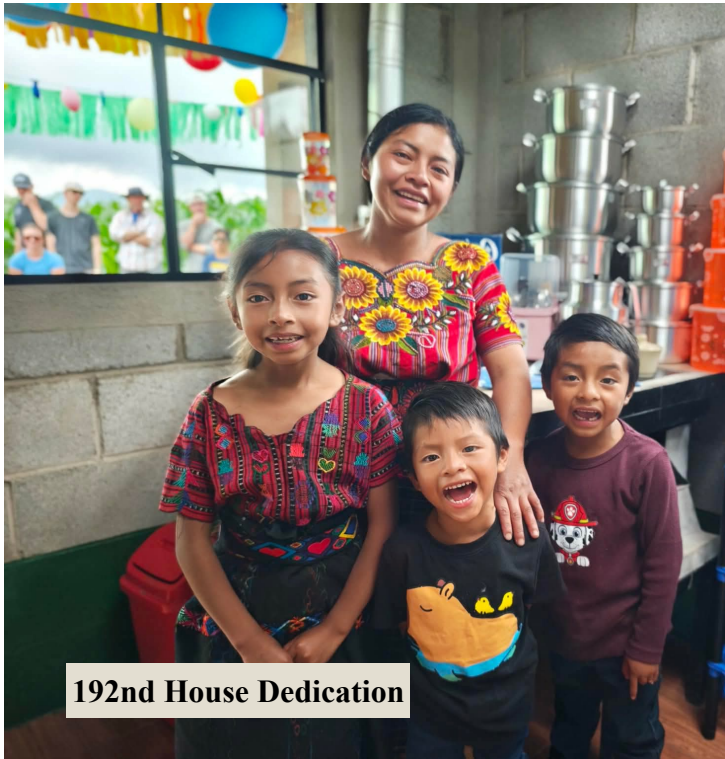
191st House Dedication



A glimpse of hope: Pedro and Candelaria pause to take in the beauty of their new home and the fresh start it represents for their family.



Groundbreaking marks a new beginning for Rosa Tun Raxtun and her daughter, Maria. For the past 14 years, Rosa has raised Maria on her own after separating from her husband due to his alcohol abuse. Despite financial hardship and the loss of child support, she has worked tirelessly to provide for her family. With the help of our friends from New Orleans and Journey Church in Georgia, a new house will be the steady easel on which they paint their new lives.



192nd House Dedication

Brushstrokes of Brightness

The dedication of a new home marks a fresh start for Juana and her three children Yohana, Felix, and Edwin. Juana has endured incredible hardship. When she was just two months pregnant, her husband left for the United States in search of better opportunities. After one message, she never heard from him again.

Despite raising her children alone, Juana never gave up. Today, she not only has a safe new home for her family but also a corn-grinding business that will provide a steady source of income and help build a brighter future for her children.



Porch broke ground on a new home for Cristina Ben Chiroy and her three sons, Mario, Carlos, and Fredy, in Monte Mercedes, Sololá. As a devoted single mother, Cristina has worked tirelessly to provide for her family while living in a small tin home where one room serves as both the kitchen and bedroom. Although Carlos (below) missed the groundbreaking after an accidental eye injury, he was able to join us when Sequoyah Hills Presbyterian Church showed up to begin digging the foundation.

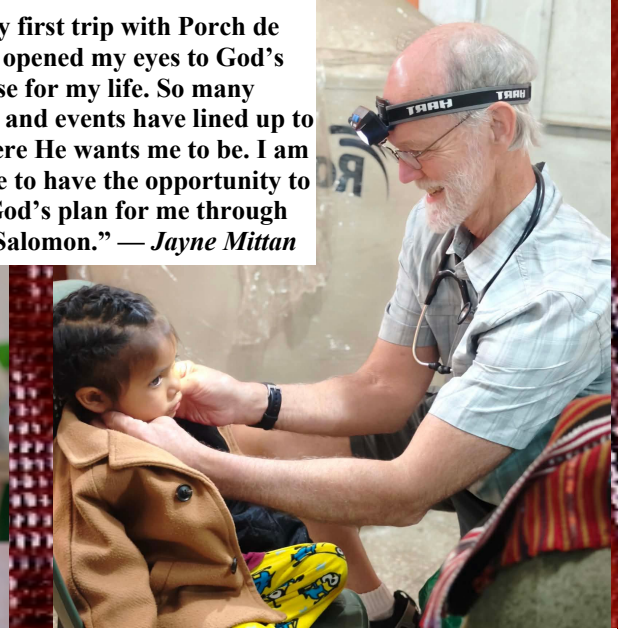


To our faithful donors and dedicated volunteers, thank you for giving shape to God's compassion. Your generosity, compassion, and willingness to serve bring to life new bright beginnings, one family, one home, and one foundation at a time.



Porch Light: Canvas of Compassion

“My very first trip with Porch de Salomon opened my eyes to God’s purpose for my life. So many experiences and events have lined up to put me where He wants me to be. I am so fortunate to have the opportunity to live out God’s plan for me through Porch de Salomon.” — *Jayne Mittan*



Physician Assistant, Jayne Mittan, our Medical Liaison, is truly a servant to the servants. She works tirelessly behind the scenes to prepare, guide, and support our medical teams, ensuring each clinic runs smoothly and that every team is well-equipped to serve.

Jayne, thank you for your years of faithful service to Porch de Salomon and for the countless lives you've touched through your dedication and love for others.

During her recent visit to Guatemala, Jayne served alongside Faith Presbyterian, which provided medical care to more than 350 people. Her compassion, encouragement, and servant's heart make everyone she meets feel seen and valued.

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