



# Jeronimo Garcia Agustin

Jeronimo is 11 years old. He lives with his mother Catalina and three sisters in the village of Ixmoco. His father died early in 2013 from alcohol abuse. In order to support the family Catalina raises animals. She travels to the coast to pick coffee at harvesting time.

Case No.	00064
Birthday	June 22, 2002
Mother's Name	Catalina Agustin
Address/Community	Aldea Savalique

Sponsor Name	Alan Hebert (Knezek)
Sponsor E-Mail	ashleyknezek@yahoo.com
Scholarship Started	January 2014
Duration in Months	12

Your gift of \$30 per month will allow this child to attend school in Guatemala. Although public education is free, children often work to provide food for their families and they cannot afford the cost of uniforms and supplies. Your support will help purchase school uniforms and supplies as well as providing bulk food (rice, beans, corn, eggs, etc.) for both the child and family. Thank you for helping to build this community one child at a time.

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## About the Scholarship Program and Partner Organizations

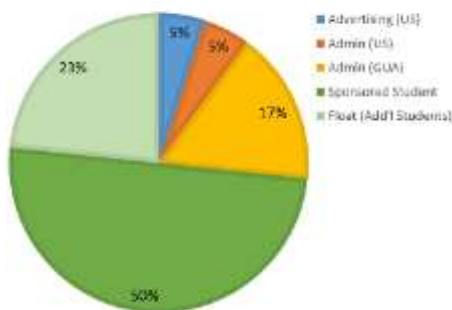


Mission Housing Ministries is a 501(c)(3) charity based in Mount Dora, Florida and Comitancillo, Guatemala. They have been ministering in rural Guatemala for about 25 years. They host short-term mission teams, help train local pastors and community leaders, and invest compassionately in people through programs which include these scholarships.



The Abandon Project is a 501(c)(3) charity based in Matthews, North Carolina. Their mission is to love, serve, and give hope to people who are marginalized and forgotten. They have been serving in Guatemala for 5 years with a focus on building this scholarship program, providing homes for widows, and other community development projects.

TARGET USE-OF-FUNDS



The scholarship program is a partnership between MHM and AP, with MHM leveraging its staff and infrastructure in Guatemala and AP leveraging its abilities for promotion and stateside fundraising.

Funds are disbursed to students or parents monthly as they provide report cards, receipts, and progress updates to our local program administrator.

Our goal is to put at least 90% of your money to work in Guatemala. 73% is earmarked for your student or other needy students in the community and 17% is targeted to provide salary and expenses for local administrators to manage the program, encourage and guide students, and provide financial accountability. For more info: [www.mhm-guatemala.org/Scholarships](http://www.mhm-guatemala.org/Scholarships)

## Student Updates:

April 8, 2014

Geronimo Garcia lives in Sabalique which is about an hour and a half walk from downtown Comitancillo. He is 12 years old and is in fifth grade. His favorite course is Math. This is the time to plant corn in the area, so Geronimo has been helping his Mom to plant. Also in the afternoon he does his homework and enjoys doing it.



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January 20, 2014 – Jeronimo started school with a new scholarship through the Knezek fundraiser and sponsored by Alan and Donna Hebert.