

FRIDLA NEWS

Alberto and Judy Nuñez Update

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“God is not unjust; He will not forget your work and the love you have shown Him as you have helped His people.” Hebrews 6:10

What's Been Happening - You Are Changing Lives!

The FRIDLA workshop is up and running. Thank you for your prayers. Now we need to get the word out to the area churches that volunteers are welcome.

We are planning to ship a container in May to the south of Peru. The need is to great and the wheelchairs that were shipped several years ago have or are near to wearing out. We are planning to get the repair shop set up and functioning.

The repair shop and warehouse in **Uruguay** is now organized and operating. See the pictures below.



They now have room to walk through to get to what they need. Three of the volunteers, Frederico (left), Juan Alamo (center) and Walter are very active. Frederico has CP and travels two hours by bus to volunteer with FRIDLA Uruguay. He is happy and loves serving the Lord in this way. Juan Alamo and Walter are board members of FRIDLA Uruguay.

On the left is Pastor Juan Garcia who loves to assemble the portable commodes. He says he doesn't get much opportunity to work with his hands. This is his favorite job and you can see the joy in his face.

On the right is Arquero (which means goalie in Spanish). He came to see us using the old hand made wooden crutch leaning against the gate. We gave him a set of new crutches. He was very happy. He coaches the kids in playing soccer. He says it gives him so much joy and is something that he is able to do even though he can no longer walk very well.



These people show us they are happy either assembling commodes or teaching kids to play soccer, whatever they can do to help

others. Pastor Juan is also part of the FRIDLA Uruguay board of directors and is active in presenting the Gospel to those who receive mobility equipment. Please pray for the Holy Spirit to open Arquero's heart to Jesus and His saving grace.

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Proper fit is so important!



Before



After

Looking at the two pictures above you can see why she was so uncomfortable. She likes to knit, but with the old wheelchair, the arms of the chair were higher than her arms. Now with a properly fitting wheelchair (and it also reclines), she can rest her arms, knit and eat in comfort. She also has a proper cushion to sit on instead of a pillow. Her old chair will be used for someone else that needs it. **You** made all this possible. Two lives were changed!



Special Prayer Request - Valeria, at left, is 12 years old, has MS and lives in Lima, Peru. She had been attending a private school since public schools are not accessible. She has now been kicked out because her classes this year are on the second floor. She has been accepted by another private school but her classes again are on the second floor. Her mother had to stop working so that she can take Valeria to school, get her up to the second floor and go back and get her after school. The loss of one income has caused the family to move to a much smaller and cheaper apartment. We are looking for an elevator/lift system that can be easily installed to get Valeria to the second floor so her mother can go back to work. Please pray for a solution to this problem. If you have any ideas let us know.

Pray for FRIDLA's expenses with the workshop being our complete responsibility. Our financial needs have increased by more than \$1400 monthly just for rent and utilities.

Pray for the upcoming container and for those whom God has chosen to receive wheelchairs and other mobility equipment.

Correction of misspelled name in the Memorials of the last newsletter. We are sorry for the error of Bill that should have been Jill.

In Honor of:

Rob, Jill, Bronwyn, Abby,
and Alena Rowton,

Given By:

Dan and Sue Rowton

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