

Rising Star

News of some of the Lord's work in Northern Peru

During the last 12 months many prayers have been made on behalf of JeanPier and especially his twin JeanFranco. They have been on the adoption roster for most of that time and in the Lord's perfect timing their new parents arrived, and the boys have departed Morning Star. While there is yet some red tape to deal with, once they travel home to the US new and better treatment options will be available for Franco's leg. We praise the Lord that the love and bond they already share is so evident. Please continue to pray for the adaptation process and that they will settle into their new surroundings well. A large extensive family awaits to accompany them in this new journey moving forward.

Last week Tom attended an online meeting with many directors of other children's homes from all over the country. There is much concern regarding the direction the government is taking in regulating the work that is being done without accepting any input on the part of those doing it. Private facilities such as Morning Star are in the majority and receive no assistance from the political authorities but rather a growing amount of intervention to impose increasingly humanistic criteria. At some point we need to join forces to bring our concerns to those in the various government agencies that we interact with and. being that Morning Star is one of the few accredited institutions. it may imply we should be willing to get involved in the bigger picture to ensure future capabilities to serve the displaced children in Peru. Please pray the Lord will give wisdom and guidance regarding how and when to divert time and energy into that battlefield. The enemy is hard at work to continue the pattern of decay in the social disruption of the nuclear family unit in the fabric of society. As those who deal with the fall out of his efforts. not only do we realize this is a spiritual battle that requires your prayer support but one that must be accompanied by acting in defense of these children, as it has been said, "the only thing needed for evil to succeed is for good men to do nothing".

We are grateful we can continue to serve these delightful children and direct their attention towards a heavenly Father who loves and cares for them.

The Staff at Morningstar

