



a family and a future  
for wounded children

# El Sauzal Orphanage

## And El Sauzal Foundation, Inc.

### Quick Facts

#### Who We Are

We are a family-run orphanage in Baja, Mexico, near Ensenada, giving abandoned, abused and wounded children a warm Christian home. Since 1967, three generations of the Espinoza family have loved and cared for hundreds of kids.

The orphanage was founded as a home for needy children, those who have been deserted, whose families can not feed or clothe them and those who have no family. It is a spiritual home steeped in love. The children are fed with spiritual food as well as the other necessities of life.



*Our kids range in age from newborn to college-age.*

#### Vision:

We desire to expand by increasing the number of children we serve and renovating our facilities. We also wish to hire a social worker to be on site to help deal with our children's past abuse, and we want to increase our outreach to the community through offering breakfast and daycare services to local families and children.



*Our grounds in San Antonio de las Minas, thirty minutes outside of Ensenada.*

#### Mission

To raise the children through three main components – faith, family and a future. Through faith we can give children the hope and courage they need as they face life. Through our family setting we love the kids, demonstrating for them how healthy families work. And with a focus on the future, we work to give the children the education they need as they prepare to start lives on their own.



*Orphanage President and Director Josue Espinoza.*

**In 2011, the Foundation sent  
93 cents  
of every dollar to the Orphanage  
to help the children.  
We work hard to keep expenses low.  
All our work is done by volunteers.**

#### El Sauzal Foundation, Inc.

The Foundation is a charity formed in the United States to support the orphanage. The foundation's goals are to aid the orphanage financially, help maintain the facilities, assist with capital improvements and act as an advisor to the orphanage for future improvements. The orphanage's primary benefactors are non-Mexican nationals. The foundation assists the orphanage with its newsletters and web site, receives donations, and communicates on behalf of the orphanage with its inquiries, donors and friends throughout the world.

**The El Sauzal Orphanage is a Mexican corporation; they are not able to give tax deductions. The foundation is a 501C-3 non profit corporation. Donations given to the Foundation are tax deductible.**

#### Foundation's Values:

- Jesus is our Savior
- Spiritual growth
- Assisting the El Sauzal Orphanage
- Helping wounded children
- Cultural sensitivity and respect
- Financial accountability
- Relationally centered



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