

What you can expect from a CFCA mission awareness trip



- Meet your sponsored friend
- Visit projects and learn how CFCA unlocks the potential of the poor
- Hear inspiring testimonials
- Witness conditions in some of the country's poorest areas
- Talk to local people and learn from their experiences, perspectives and faith
- See performances by the CFCA community
- Form lasting friendships with your fellow travelers
- Visit points of interest

Traveling to a foreign country can involve some risk. We make every effort to ensure the health and safety of our participants. Our trips involve rigorous schedules and travel over rugged terrain. Please talk to your physician before registering.

2009 trip schedule

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| Bolivia..... | Aug. 30-Sept. 7 |
| Chile | Oct. 24-Nov. 1 |
| Colombia | |
| Cartagena/Antioquia..... | May 24-June 1 |
| Bogota | July 19-25 |
| Costa Rica | March 21-28 |
| | Nov. 7-14 |
| Dominican Republic | Feb. 28-March 7 |
| El Salvador | June 6-13 |
| | July 25-Aug. 1 |
| | Oct. 17-24 |
| Guatemala..... | Feb. 7-14 |
| | March 14-21 |
| | April 18-25 |
| | May 16-23 |
| | June 13-20 |
| | July 11-18 |
| | Aug. 1-8 |
| | Sept. 5-12 |
| | Dec. 26-Jan. 2 |
| Honduras | |
| Ocotepeque, Sta. Rosa..... | June 20-27 |
| Sta. Barbara, El Progreso ... | Aug. 8-15 |
| India | |
| South..... | Jan. 6-18 |
| North..... | Oct. 2-13 |
| Kenya..... | Feb. 20-March 3 |
| | Sept. 12-24 |
| Mexico | |
| Cuernavaca | Oct. 10-17 |
| Merida..... | Nov. 14-21 |
| Monterrey..... | March 7-14 |
| Nicaragua..... | Feb. 21-28 |
| | Aug. 15-22 |
| Philippines | Jan. 29-Feb. 9 |
| Venezuela | May 9-16 |

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MEET YOUR FRIEND



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‘There is no substitute for the opportunity to meet your sponsored child ... ’



Top: Katie Artnak, right, met Richard and his mother Neiba in Venezuela.

Left: Local children met a new friend in Katie's son, Adam Artnak.

Sponsor Katie Artnak and her 21-year-old son, Adam, met their sponsored child on a mission awareness trip to Venezuela. “There is no substitute for the opportunity to meet your sponsored child and his or her family,” she said. “This was clearly a life-altering event for me and my son, Adam.”

The Artnaks are among the several hundred each year who travel on a mission awareness trip because they yearn to meet their sponsored friend and because they want to see CFCA's work in the field. Sponsors traveling on a CFCA trip see for themselves how their sponsorship support is making a difference in the lives of their friends.

Our trips are affordable

Trips to Mexico, Central or South America and the Caribbean cost \$450. Trips to Africa, India and the Philippines cost \$650. This covers food, lodging and most in-country transportation. Airfare is not included.

How to register

1. Obtain a registration packet:
 - Visit www.cfcausa.org/mats and click “Trip Calendar” to download
OR
 - Call us at (913) 384-6500, toll-free (800) 875-6564
OR
 - E-mail your request to trips@cfcausa.org
2. Complete the application in the packet and send it to CFCA with your \$100 non-refundable deposit (balance is due 60 days before departure).
3. Wait for written confirmation of your space on the trip. Please do not make flight arrangements before receiving our confirmation letter.

Cancellation policy

CFCA reserves the right to cancel a trip, in which case your payment will be refunded.

Register early! Trips fill up quickly.

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