



GUATEMALA

MISSION TRIP '11



Application for the Guatemala Mission Trip **July 25 – August 6, 2011, ~\$1500**

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: December 12, 2010
(Registration must include \$100 deposit, not refundable after December 12, 2010)

Limited spots available!

Please know that this mission is not for everyone, but primarily for those who have already been missionally active locally and in other settings.

Participant Name: _____ Gender: M / F

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Parents Names: _____

Dad Phone: _____ Email: _____

Mom Phone: _____ Email: _____

Parent Section:

Known Allergies

Dietary Restrictions

Medications

Do you fully support your son or daughter’s decision to participate in this trip?

Yes No Parent Initial: _____

After all fundraisers and support money has come in and applied to your total, will you agree to pay the final amount by July 1, 2011?

Yes No Parent Initial: _____

(Please note that for special circumstances scholarship amounts may be granted. Do not let money be a deterrent, so long as the student is willing to work hard to earn the money and participate in all fundraisers. Ideally, the student should be willing to contribute a significant amount from their own earnings to help fund this trip).

(over, please)

Parent and Student Section:

Team Meetings: Will you actively prioritize these team meetings and trainings?

- Yes / No Saturday, February 26th – Team Meeting #1 (10 AM)
- Yes / No Saturday, March 26th – Team Meeting #2 (10 AM)
- Yes / No Saturday, April 16th – Team Meeting #3 (10 AM)
- Yes / No Sunday, May 1st – Fundraiser Dinner (5-9 PM)
- Yes / No Saturday, June 18th – Team Meeting #4 (10 AM)
- Yes / No Saturday, July 9th – Team Meeting #5 (10 AM)

Parent Initial: _____ Student Initial: _____

Student Section:

Don’t get too excited about this amazing opportunity until you have prayerfully considered this trip and are willing to make the necessary sacrifices both before and during the trip to make this a wonderful experience for yourself and the others involved. These sacrifices will include working hard to raise the necessary funds, taking two weeks off of your summer job, and working hard at the ministry site – being flexible, joyful and never grumbling.

Yes / No Have you prayed about this trip and are you willing to make these sacrifices?

Circle any of the following that would keep you from having a joyful and content attitude on the trip?

- Infrequent shower access
- Getting sweaty and dirty
- Eating “weird” food
- Taking 2 weeks off of work
- Not seeing your bf/gf for 2 weeks
- Paying for part of the trip from your own funds
- Not having your closest friends on the trip with you (if they don’t come)
- Not getting enough sleep
- Possibly getting sick
- Not wearing makeup
- Not having facebook access for 2 weeks

Who is Jesus Christ **to you**?

What, **to you**, is the purpose of a mission trip?

What do you hope to see happen on this mission trip **in your own life**?

A significant element to this trip is the willingness to share the path of salvation with strangers.

1. Which of the following (circle all that apply – and just be honest!) best describes the regular pattern of how you attempt to share your faith now?
 - a) I try to be a good example and hope people see my faith.
 - b) I freely let people know I am a Christian
 - c) I regularly pray for my friends who may not know Christ
 - d) I invite friends to Christian groups or events
 - e) I take opportunities to present the entire way to salvation with people

2. Describe in some detail an occasion within the past year in which you shared your faith with someone.

Yes / No Will you agree to continue to attend Third Place and grow spiritually in accountability with other Christians around you?

What is your current practice for growing in your faith? (confession of sin, prayer, bible study, evangelism, etc.)?

Ideally, a mission trip to Guatemala would involve students who are already actively seeking opportunities to serve right here at home.

1. In what ways have you been involved in service/ministry at Third Place, at Trinity Community Church or another church or at your school's campus Christian group?

2. In what ways have you been involved in service/ministry in your community, neighborhood, or family?

Have you ever participated in a previous mission experience? If so, which trip?

What did you like about it?

Dislike?

Yes / No Will you agree to respect the authority and decisions of the team leaders?

How much Spanish training do you have?

-1 Years 0 Years 1 Year 2 Years 3+ Years Je parle français

How well do you think you can communicate with a native Spanish speaker?

I'm Fluent Baby! Broken Conversation No Speako Spanisho

Filling out this application was about as fun as:

Watching a bird hit a window repeatedly
Eating cardboard
I'm lovin' it! Let's do it again!

Comments/Questions/Concerns that you want Nathan to know about: