



# FOUNDATION FOR HIS MINISTRY

*Transforming communities starting with kids*



## EVERYDAY MIRACLES:

**BROOKE FOSTER**  
TIJUANA SUPERVISOR

In January 2021, I began serving as the supervisor of the Tijuana girls' home. I have learned so much about leadership and witnessed the everyday miracles God performs. For the past year, I have spent most of my time investing in the girls. I love them so much - with a love I didn't know I had. Recently I realized we needed to make changes to the leadership structure in Tijuana. We brought on more staff to oversee the direct care of the children, and I have moved to supervise both the girls' home and the young adult apartments. This transition has not been easy for me. However, I feel confident this

this is the right move for the ministry, and I look forward to witnessing God's blessing.

My hope for the future is that the girl's home will be at full capacity with 18 girls. My hope is for each girl to transition into better situations than before - that they thrive. I plan to work with the young adults to better equip them for transitioning into the world - life after the ministry. I pray they would truly be disciples that make disciples. I am hopeful and know God will have His hand in all of this. I know this because He has made Himself known this entire year. I had a young girl ask to receive Jesus while driving her in the car. I have watched girls come to us broken and angry and watched them soften, expressing their desire for love. And I hope they will continue receiving the healing that only comes from Christ. Please continue to pray for healing in each girl coming into the home, and for the young adults as they prepare for the next steps in their life journey.

# ONE YEAR LATER:

**SEAN LITTLE**

*COMMUNICATIONS & MARKETING MANAGER*

A year ago, October 1st, God answered our prayers for the Girls' Home in Tijuana. After renovating the house and bringing in all the necessary staff, we were ready to start receiving girls. But instead, we waited as the government certification process was slowed down due to the pandemic. In the waiting, God proved to be faithful once again. After many months of asking God to bring us these girls, it all changed when we received a phone call saying ten girls would be dropped off the next morning.

Sitting down with two girls that arrived that day, Samantha, 17, and Guadalupe, 14, I am reminded of why God called us to Tijuana. Both girls told me they

never had the opportunity to leave their previous shelter. Their whole lives were contained within the walls of the shelter. Samantha describes it as feeling like a prison. "I was always in my room. I couldn't go anywhere." They even went to school within the shelter. Having been a ward of the state for much of her life, Samantha has found it hard to trust others. She was removed from different homes and placed in the shelter. For over a year, Samantha lived there until last year, when there was an uprising in the facility -- a demand for freedom. After tensions rose, officials gave in, and they called the girls home. The following day, Samantha was one of the ten girls who entered the home -- one where they felt free for the first time in a long time.

Guadalupe was a part of the original group of girls as well. She expressed a new sense of freedom at the Tijuana Girls' Home and has been presented with opportunities she has never had. Guadalupe has spent most of her life in the government shelter. She arrived there as a toddler and remembers when she was younger, only being able to leave for church. A few times, she was moved in and out of long-term



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facilities, which caused her to feel rejected, and lack stability. However, in the girls' home, she gets to experience life differently and can dream about her future. Samantha shared this same feeling -- "It's hard to describe, but I feel like I can go do stuff. And I know that after here, I will have the privilege of moving to the apartments with the young adults and be able to go to university." Now, both girls look forward to the future, and all God has planned for them.

It is such an honor to have a front-row seat to witness God working miracles. He does it all the time. And we would love to invite you to be a part of this. Each of the girls at the home in Tijuana needs someone to walk alongside them as a sponsor -- writing them letters of encouragement, praying for them, and investing in their future. For more information on how you can be a part of God's work in Tijuana, please get in touch with Annie at [sponsorship@ffhm.org](mailto:sponsorship@ffhm.org).



# GIVE DIFFERENT THIS CHRISTMAS

Can you believe it? Christmas is right around the corner! It is such a special time of year when we come together to remember the most beautiful and different gift we have ever received -- Jesus.

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