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A Week In Funza

Corey and I started the summer off by spending a week with a Georgia AIM Team in Colombia. It was a wonderful experience for us and so exciting to be able to meet the Colombian people and see Bogotá.

We helped a brand new church launch into the town of Funza, about 45 minutes out of Bogotá. With the help of Convoy of Hope, we held a weeklong festival in the church with a greeting center, children's zone, youth zone, health zone, ministry zone and a food

zone. One thousand bags of food were given out to the families of Funza. Corey and I spent most of our time working in the children's zone where 2500 balloon animals were given out.



Services were held In the evening. From the first night the entire church was packed out, and so it went for the rest of the week. People were healed and many gave their hearts to Jesus. It was an amazing experience.

Pre-Field Orientation

We spent three weeks of our summer in the dorms of Evangel University in Springfield, Missouri for Pre-Field Orientation. This was an exciting time for us as we were able to meet many other fantastic missionaries and associates and their families.

Corey and I went through courses on everything from relationships, taxes and luggage to Latin America specific studies, Catholic and Orthodox studies. We learned so much in our time in Springfield and left fully inspired and fired up to get to the field!





Alex and Maggie — Official MKs

For three weeks in Springfield, Missouri, Alex and Maggie went through Boot Camp for the International Society of Missionary Kids. They went on plane



rides, ate exotic food (while keeping a smile on their faces), and faced many challenges throughout their time. Every completed challenge earned them honor beads and on our last night, they graduated from Boot

Camp and earned the coveted blue bead. Both Alex and Maggie left very proud that they are not a missionary's kid, but that they are a Missionary Kid!

How Can You Help The Kautz Family?

- Prayer PartnerWe can't do it without you!
- Cash Offering
 To cover travel and initial expenses.
- Monthly Pledges

If you are willing to help support us on a monthly basis, please complete the enclosed pledge form and mail in the preaddressed envelope.



We can't leave for the field until our cash budget is raised and monthly pledges are coming in. Please don't wait!

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Funza And Bogotá, Colombia



The line for the Convoy of Hope was a block long. People began lining up at 6AM for the 10AM opening.



The beautiful view from our cabins.



A pick-up game of soccer with the neighborhood kids.



While in Funza we took our skits and songs to the streets to reach the children in the area.



Our Mission Field



This is Miguel with Tona at Convoy of Hope.

Pre-Field Orientation



At MK Boot Camp, the group was broken into tribes. Maggie's tribe was the Princess Pirates. Here she is with her leader, Chief Emily



The Tacos Locos - our team for Pre-Field Orientation. We are all Missionary Associates going to Latin America.



Alex was given a surprise birthday party. Here is Alex with his leader, Chief Rico. His tribe was the Cobras.



Alex loved the hot air balloons and the Navy Seals sky divers!



We enjoyed July 4th at the James River Assembly of God "I Love America Celebration"



Maggie loved the fireworks!