## **Corey and Tona Kautz**

### **Missionary Associates to the Children of Colombia**



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# Spotlight on Latin America Child Care

Maria Camila Rojas Vargas is nine years old and lives with her family in Colombia.



Her favorite subject is Arts & Crafts. She

likes to play tag and dolls. She has not been able to go to school before this time as her parents could not pay her tuition.

If you'd like to sponsor Maria please call us at 770.901.9077 or visit www.LACC4HOPE.org.

#### **God's Perfect Timing**

If you've been keeping up with our newsletters you'll know that our target date had been set for August 28th. We lacked the funding to go in August so our next target date is January 3, 2006. We know God has a perfect plan and perfect timing for our family to head to the field. One blessing we can clearly see is that we've had more time with family and for the first time ever Alex and Maggie have had the chance to connect with our extended family on a daily basis.

Corey is in Atlanta and Tona and the kids are staying in Michigan. Living apart has definitely had its challenges! Although this is definitely not a living situation we prefer to be in, we've found that our dependence on God has deepened and we've all grown from this experience. Corey will be joining the family in Michigan in mid-November to prepare for our departure.

Please help lower our printing costs. If you have an email address where you can receive our updates, please send it to Tona@kautzfamily.org.

#### **Urgent Budget Update**

We are almost completed with our fundraising! We have two budgets to fulfill—a cash budget for up front expenses and emergency expenses, and a monthly pledge budget to cover monthly expenses. Our cash budget has been raised, praise God! All cash received between now and our departure is being converted into monthly pledges. We are now at 85% of our monthly pledges. If you haven't sent in your pledge form yet, please send it in today. We are very close to completing our fundraising, but we cannot leave for the field until every pledge is received. Every pledge makes a difference whether it's \$50, \$25 or even just \$10 a month. If you can't make a monthly pledge, please consider sending in a one-time gift. Every penny gets us closer to leaving for the field! ALL DONATIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE!

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#### Thank You

August and September were incredible months for new support partners coming on board! Thank you to each and every one of you who have so generously given to our ministry. We are truly humbled and blessed by your giving.

We'd also like to say a special thank you to Rick and Cindy Truesdail, Josh and Valerie Harris, Tim, Tonya, Cory, Jordan and Alexa Toole and Hilmer and Vicky Hintz who have been so wonderful to open their homes to our family through this prolonged transition! Also thanks to Jon Schlott for getting us online!



## Alex and Maggie's Mischief

We had a blast itinerating over the summer. We went to Florida and even got to take a break at Disney! We've started a new school in Michigan called Indian Hill Elementary School. This year we are learning Spanish so we'll have a head start when we get to Costa Rica! Michigan has been an adventure! We've visited a lot of neat places. We really miss our friends in Georgia. We've made new friends at Time Works at Mount Hope Church in Grand Blanc. Maggie just turned 8!

You can email us now at Alex@kautzfamily.org or Maggie@kautzfamily.org. We'd love to hear from you!



#### **Prayer Requests**

- Pray for God's favor in raising the funds we need so that we will be able to leave for language school in January 2006.
- Pray for Alex and Maggie as they are working on fitting into a new school for a few months before transitioning to school in Costa Rica.

We're praying for you! If you have a specific need that you'd like us to be in agreement with you in prayer for, please call us at 770.901.9077 or email Tona at Tona@KautzFamily.org