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## Update on 2012

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Friends, we hope that you are enjoying time with family and friends on this Thanksgiving weekend. We hope that your blessings are so great there is no way to count them.

We at CDI in La Ceiba have had an incredible year filled with great blessings and great trials, and through all of them the LORD has proven faithful every single morning, we have waited in HIM to provide resources, energy, wisdom & love and HE has not disappointed. (Lam. 3:22-24)

On this very special holiday we are grateful for the opportunity we have to partner with friends all over the United States and Central America in bringing hope to the hopeless, comfort to the broken, a meal to the hungry and love to those who are forgotten and cast aside by society.

None of this would be possible without the LORD's provision through amazing friends and sponsors like yourself. So, on this special holiday we at CDI La Ceiba want to thank you for your generosity. Happy Thanksgiving!



## Precious in HIS sight

Our teenage girls had a special devotional that was programmed by the nurse practitioner that serves at Total Health, Briselda. She spoke from her heart, as she is a mother of a teenage daughter. We talked with the girls about how precious they are in God's eyes and how he has created each of them. They are all beautiful and unique and have the potential to change lives, not just their own but those of people around them.

We took the time to answer some developmental questions the girls had as well. We appreciate Briselda taking the time to prepare the special time for our girls.



**Top:** Briselda talking to our girls  
**Left:** Such a happy moment caught in this picture. The girls had a great time.



## Birthday BASH!

This is probably our favorite time of the month at CDI: getting to celebrate birthdays. It's a great to see the kids happy knowing that there is a day where we celebrate them and are grateful to God for who they are. Here are the pictures of the kids whose birthdays were in October and November.



**Top:** Andrea (volunteer) Amalia, Darling, Gloria & Claudeth  
**Bottom:** Jessica, Dunia Elizabeth, Alicia, Axel & Yeferson (AKA Brian Garcia)

## Practice makes perfect...

Earlier this year we had some volunteers come to our CDI and teach the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> graders how to bake cakes, donuts and other desserts. We kept trying to figure out ways to help them remember what they had learned. Finally thought that we have a birthday party every month at CDI, so from now on all of our cakes are provided by our own kids! Here are a couple of pictures of the process and the finished product.



**Top:** Claudia, Kenia, Kelvin, Rigo and Kenia (Volunteer) I love seeing our boys enjoy baking!  
**Left:** the finished product!



## Taking steps forward

We got to have a very exciting meeting with our current 6<sup>th</sup> graders and their parents about a month ago. Last year we had our first generation of 6<sup>th</sup> graders start the second phase of CDI: High School. We are so very excited to be able to announce that of the 14 children who are graduating 10 want to continue onto high school and we have made the commitment to them and their families to help them through high school. Please pray for resources and wisdom as we continue to move forward.