
University of Northern Iowa

Capstone Class

May 11 - 22, 2009

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Group Leaders: Christine Schrage

Participants:

Lodging in Managua: CEPAD Nehemiah Guesthouse (NGH), tel: 270-5017 or 270-5018. Taxi directions: de la Rotonda El Periodista, 200 varas al sur, 200 varas arriba, contiguo a la Universidad del Valle.

Delegation Objectives:

- To reflect as global citizens the value of learning about and understanding other cultures.
- To know more about the work and ministry of CEPAD.
- To work side by side with Nicaraguans in their community.
- To get to know Nicaraguans in their daily life with all the challenges and hopes they have, spiritually, socially, economically and politically.

Monday, May 11

18:25 pm Arrive, transfer to Nehemias Guest

House (NGH)

20:00pm Dinner, settle into room

Tuesday, May 12

7:30am Breakfast

8:00am Orientation, Hopes and Fears, Introduction to Campo

8:30am Introduction to Cepad-Anita Taylor

9:30 a.m. History and Development of Nicaragua- Aynn Setright

11:30pm Lunch

12:30 pm Visit PRESTANIC, development and credit provider

1:30 pm Tour Managua- Huembes`s market-Tiscapa Hill (zipline)

6:00pm Dinner at NGH

Wednesday, May 13

8:30am Visit Women`s Sewing Co-op Jubilee House (Free Trade Zone)

10:30am Depart to Siaras

1:00pm Lunch on the road (or Matagalpa)
2:30pm Go to community- visit with school project leaders
Stay in home stays, but **all meals together** as a group with group discussions(**in Angela`s House**)

Thursday, May 14

8:00am Work on Library project all day
12:00 pm Lunch
18:00pm Dinner

Friday, May 15

8:00am Work on Library project all day
12:00 pm Lunch
18:00pm Dinner

Saturday, May 16

8:00am Work on Library project all day
12:00 pm Lunch
18:00pm Dinner

Sunday, May 17

8:30am Morning worship (cultural experience)
12:00 m Lunch
13:30pm Angela`s Coffee Farm tour
15:30pm Climb El Cerro Torro (optional)
18:00pm Dinner

Monday, May 18

8:00am Business Training in Cebaña
12:00 m Lunch in Samulali
14:00pm Tour Cebaña farm with Norman and Roberto
18:00pm Dinner in Siares

Tuesday, May 19

8:00am La Garita school visit
12:00 m Lunch
14:00pm Psico-social group in Guadalupe
18:00pm Dinner

Wednesday, May 20

7:30am Breakfast
After breakfast, Return to Managua

12:00pm Lunch on the road
18:00pm Dinner at NGH
Final Reflection

Thursday, May 22

7:00am Breakfast

7:30 am Dia turistico-, Volcan Masaya and museum, Lake Nicaragua, boat ride to see islets, Granada, Catarina, pitahaya and pina fields

19:00pm Pizza at Valentini's in Managua

Friday, May 22

4:00am Coffee, Juice, toast, etc. available

4:30am Leave for airport

¡Buen viaje y que Dios les bendiga!