

Hello everyone,

I am writing to let you know that it is quite possible I will be coming back to Oregon within the next week to work for 2 months. The situation here has been very complicated due to the exchange rate and we have had to temporarily stop 90% of all youth activity due to these difficulties. I have a few job leads and so am hoping to pretty much work, work, work and sing of course for the 8 weeks home. The entire family will be staying here with Armando due to the cost of airfare...but I do have some exciting news! Pati, one of the girls from the girl's center...one of our very first ones will most likely be able to come with me. She just turned 21 years of age and spent 12 years in the orphanage, having moved out from the center 1.5 years ago. She finished her 12th grade this past year and is hoping to be accepted to university this next fall. She has an extended family & friends who will be all chipping in for her airfare to make this possible.

I am praying for several of you to be willing to host her while I am home. Hosting does not mean to entertain her, it just means including her in your home and daily life so she can have a variety of experiences and of course the opportunity to improve her English which is already fine, she can communicate with little difficulty. She is also one of our youth who then moved up and has been a volunteer youth leader over the past two years so this is a huge and exciting, needless to say 'impossible' opportunity for her. Please be praying regarding this opportunity to have Pati with you. She is a huge blessing! She is another example of your consistent support and the difference it has made in one young woman's life!

At this point here are the following dates that she would need hosting, feel free to even have her for just a couple days as works best for you:

June 18 to August 12

Dates already filled:

June 29 to July 6th

