Wilio and Juliana

Meet the Family

Jose (27) and Gloria (28) both work jobs in sales and got married, but could not afford a home of their own and for a time lived separately with their own parents. They were then able to purchase a small piece of land but could only afford to construct the most simplistic structure of used zinc sheets over a dirt floor, which create conditions of stifling heat in the summer and great concerns for the rains and winds that will be coming. Gloria is pregnant with their firstborn, and they know this is no place to raise a child.

They sought support or loans from many places, but were unable to receive help. When they found out the Fuller Center could assist them, they said, "It is God who has heard the prayers and we have wept with joy, thanking our Holy Father for listening and that the dream of having housing in good condition may be a reality. In our new home we will receive the child who comes to us in a short time."

Upon moving into their new home, Jose said, "Today we give thanks to God for giving us another day of life. Thanks to The Fuller Center for the opportunity to change our lives and for giving our daughter a decent home. God bless you all."

Nicaragua is the second poorest country in the western hemisphere. We work in the Zaragoza community and the surrounding area of León with families who ask us to partner with them.

Your partnership helped a family have a simple, yet dry, sturdy and healthy home!
What difference does a house make?

**Health**
Hello dry roof! Goodbye dirt floors. Highly effective preventative medicine - no wonder our families get sick less often.

**Strong families**
Home is a garden where families grow. Lower stress + less overcrowding + more stability = healthier families and communities.

**Income**
A launchpad for small business
Study shows entrepreneurship rate among families tripling after moving into Fuller Center homes.

**Education**
Safe, stable place to do homework
Imagine going to school if you can't sleep at night. Kids get degrees that their parents only dreamed of.

*A house is the foundation stone upon which human development occurs.*

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**Who We Are**
A grassroots, Christian non-profit that builds permanent homes with families in need in 70+ U.S. cities and 20 countries.

**Partnership**
Homeowner families are full partners in the construction process, providing "sweat equity" and paying it forward with a no-profit, no-interest loan.

**Local Leadership**
Every Fuller Center is initiated and led by locals so that the work is appropriate and the process empowers the community.

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