



**STEFANI**

Hogares Luteranos el Buen Pastor / Dominican Republic  
Good Shepherd Luterhan Homes

A sweet smile and pleasant nature are just a few of Stefani’s appealing qualities. When she first came to the group home from the government orphanage, she had never had contact with the outside community, had no opportunity for an education, and had no family to love her.

Her mobility was limited to a wheelchair due to paralysis on her right side. She was unable to speak clearly due to the partial paralysis. Now Stefani is making friends, both at the home and at school. With her classmates in the 5/6 grade, she sings songs and knows from memory, the 10 commandments and the Lord’s Prayer.

She is being taught to walk, taking one step at a time with a walker. Her accomplishments in just a few short months are impressive!

At home, she is learning domestic skills, including ironing which will enable her to not only care for herself when she is older but also train her for domestic help opportunities. Stefani now knows the security and love of being part of a family.

Along with the other children in the group home, Stefani was baptized on Easter Sunday and now all the members of the church are her Godparents. The small church community in Palmer Arriba assumes the responsibility for the physical and spiritual well-being of each of the children in the group home. Stefani now knows how much Jesus loves her. She has a promising future!

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I wish to sponsor Stefani with my gift of \_\_\_\_\_\$35 per month or \_\_\_\_\$420 per year.  
All sponsorships are **tax deductible and sent in full to the Dominican Republic** (less wiring costs) to sponsor this child and assist the other children in the group home. Special Children Inc. is a 501©3 charity.

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