



our community

*Kindness and gentleness are two particular characteristics of the people of Anahuac. They are good-natured and hard-working people, with a special passion for cowboy hats and ranchera songs. We live in the midst of a beautiful agricultural community where apple orchards and green-houses are a common sight.*

*Anahuac is the home of three ethnic groups that live in relative peace and harmony. First, we have the Spanish-speaking city dwellers; then, we have the Mennonite community that speaks Low-German; and finally, we have the Tarahumaras, an important group of Native Americans that speak several dialects of Raramuri.*

Regrettably, we have several social problems in our region. Lack of education and extreme poverty are chief among them, affecting the people who dwell in the mountains and the rural communities. However, the greatest need of our community is Christ. Many look to the north, craving the material possessions, the worldly riches, and the consumerist lifestyle of the U.S. They crave these things, but they cannot find rest for their souls. Only Christ can fill this emptiness. Only He is able to satisfy our thirst. This is our mission field, and in many ways, Casa de la Esperanza is an oasis, and we are glad to address the needs of our brothers and sisters.