



our children



Name:

Hector Gonzalez

Age:

Nine

Hector came to Casa de la Esperanza on April 1, 2008 along with his five siblings: Martha, Andres, Santiago, Sebastian, and Cuquita. He comes from the Tarahumara heritage, and his family struggles with poverty, domestic abuse, and alcoholism. Hector did not have a birth certificate or a last name. He has never attended school before arriving to Casa. He and his siblings have been neglected and not properly taken care of by their mother who struggles to make a living by working in the orchards around Cuauhtemoc. The first thing that one notices about Hector is his big smile. He shares a special friendship with his brothers, and enjoys running and playing outside.