



our children



Name:

Regina Valenzuela

Age:

Eleven

Regina entered “Casa de la Esperanza” on September 6, 2005. Her parents work a low paying job picking apples in the orchards around Cuauhtemoc and do not have sufficient resources to send her and her brothers, Ismael and Victor, to school. All the children live at Casa. Regina is a sweet and friendly girl. She likes spending time with the younger children. She also enjoys playing with her Barbie dolls with other girls her age. Regina is polite, a little shy, very respectful of others, and very dedicated. When she first came to Casa she could not speak Spanish (only Raramuri, a Tarahumara dialect), but she has learned a lot during the last two years she has been here.