



**Tijuana Christian Mission**  
**City of Refuge**  
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Meet Lupe's kids—our newest arrivals at City of Refuge. Lupe has been so severely mistreated and viciously beaten by her husband that she is physically/mentally unable to care for her children at this time. While Lupe is receiving care at our Women's Shelter, her five children are living with us at our Rosarito campus.

When they first arrived, Lupe's children had many problems. Alejandra was afraid of her own shadow, and shuddered violently when touched. Yaquelin would not speak to anyone. Alma was trying to be a mom to all of her siblings instead of a little girl. Brisa spent most of her days crying, and little Brayan was virtually inconsolable.

Now, after having lived with us at the children's home for a month, the children are much improved. Tears are a rare sight, and smiles are frequent. Alejandra is beginning to settle down, open up, and trust us. Yaquelin has come out of her shell, interacting with everyone. Alma has learned to play and be a little girl, and truly loves her new life as a child. Brisa has become a little ray of sunshine, showering giggles and grins on everyone. And baby Brayan, knowing he is safe and loved, has learned to smile.

Thank you for partnering with us in this great adventure. We appreciate your continued prayers and support of this ministry, as we continue to reach out to more children like Lupe's kids.

♥ The Staff of Tijuana Christian Mission

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