

## Life Guatemala Update: 2025 Annual Report

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# LIFE GUATEMALA

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Friends and Partners.

As we enter into our 21st year in missions, it is amazing all that God has accomplished through our collective efforts! Never in our wildest dreams did we imagine what the Lord would do through our 'yes' in March of 2005.

During the composition of this annual report, that same thought occurred to me as it pertains to each one of you, in 2025!

Life Guatemala continues to grow and we will strive for the lives and souls of the Guatemalan people as long as He allows. You can read below and see an overview of all you accomplished here in 2025 through your giving, praying and going. There is much work ahead of us and many more relationships needed and opportunities seized in order to see it all fully come to fruition.

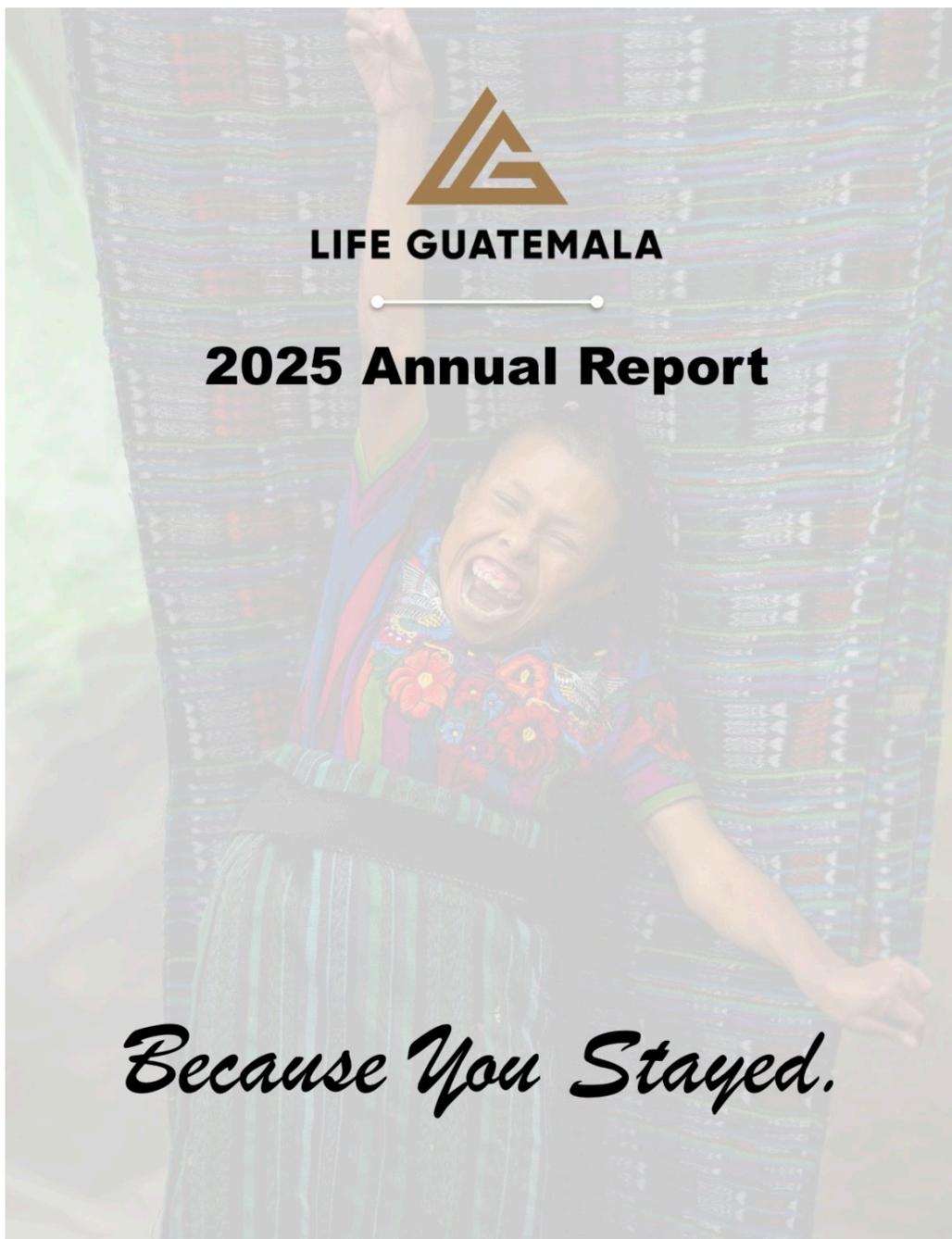
Please make that a matter of prayer; that God would open those doors and form those friendships that will shape this nation for His glory for decades to come.

2026 is here in earnest and we already have things we could add! But, for now, please pray over this report and rejoice with us in what was done in 2025 and prayerfully anticipate all this and more to be reported to next year!

God bless you all and thank for the special relationship you have with us. Our team and staff appreciate you more than you know.

Robert Yeater

President/Founder, Life Guatemala



Dear friends and supporters of Life Guatemala,

As we take a collective look back on 2025 in Guatemala, one word rises above everything else:

**Resilience.**

There were moments when it felt like we didn't have enough.  
Not enough funding.  
Not enough hands.  
Not enough margin.  
Not enough certainty about what tomorrow would hold.

And yet—the work did not stop.

Children were taught.  
Families were fed.  
Homes were built.  
The Church showed up.

Hope stayed visible in places where it would have been easy for it to disappear.

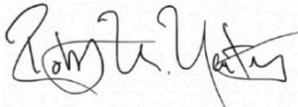
Not because conditions were ideal.  
But because **you stayed.**

This year reminded us that impact is not measured in headlines or highlight reels. It is measured in faithfulness—in choosing to show up again and again when the road is steep and the outcome is uncertain.

God was faithful.  
And so were you.

Thank you for standing with us.

With gratitude and hope,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert Yeater". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Robert" and last name "Yeater" clearly distinguishable.

Robert Yeater  
President & Founder, Life Guatemala

### **Faithful Provision: Nourishment & God's Word**

When you stayed, children ate.

- **200+ children and elderly** were served multiple times per week throughout the year.
- Weekly Bible teaching filled the Life Center with Scripture, questions, mentoring, and prayer.
- Nutritious meals were consistently provided—including during holidays and special events when need often intensifies.
- Children grew physically stronger and spiritually rooted. Elderly neighbors were reminded they are seen and valued.



Meals filled stomachs.

The Word anchored **hearts**.

### **Safe Shelter: Building Homes, Restoring Dignity**

Because you stayed, families slept under safe roofs.

- **10+ homes** were built across multiple villages.
- Each home was equipped with basic furnishings and essentials.
- Long-term relationships—not just construction projects—were formed.
- Families previously living in unsafe conditions now experience safety, dignity, and stability.



A concrete floor.

A solid roof.

A door that locks.

For many, that changed **everything**.

## **Outreach & Leadership Development**

Because you stayed, the Gospel moved forward.

- **50+ pastors and indigenous leaders** were trained in 2025.
- Two annual indigenous pastoral and leadership conferences strengthened local shepherds.
- **100+ in-home Gospel visits** took place across communities.
- *Multiple* families responded to the Gospel with openness and trusting faith.
- Ongoing focus: empowering Guatemalan leaders for sustainable, long-term ministry.



This goal is never dependency.

This goal is always **discipleship**.

### **Mobilized Mission Teams & Shared Obedience**

Because you stayed, others came.

- **15+ U.S. teams** partnered in hands-on ministry.
- Homes were built.
- Relationships were formed across cultures.
- Thousands of Gospel seeds were planted.
- Volunteers strengthened—not replaced—local leadership.



We don't mobilize because it's easy.

We mobilize the church because shared obedience multiplies our **impact**.

**Braver: It changes communities**

Because you stayed, the women of Pachimulin have a future hope.

- **60 ladies +** attended multiple Braver events in 2025.
- In March, our Braver founder hosted its 3rd Annual Women on Mission Team
- Through the release of various Braver items, several women have been learning new weaving talents by making a living wage doing so.
- Hundreds of women were encouraged, prayed over and empowered.
- Through the ministry of arts, joy and talents became known and uncovered!



This is not a ministry of presents.

This is a ministry of **presence**.

### **The Pachimulin Life Center: A Foundation for the Future**

2025 marked the first **full year** of Life Center use—and it became the heartbeat of our work.

The Life Center now serves as a hub for our Core 4 areas:

- Feeding Programs
- Bible Teaching
- Ladies Co-op
- Agriculture & Sustainability and much more...!

Hundreds of children and families were served weekly. Foundations were laid—not just in concrete, but in community.



This is not a *short-term* effort.

It is long-term obedience in the **same direction**.

### **Your Financial Impact = Extraordinary**

We remain a fully faith-based operation. Monthly support can fluctuate—but this year, **you** bridged the gaps.

When monthly giving dipped, one-time gifts carried us.  
When needs rose, generosity rose with it.

Despite a large monthly shortfall, in the end, through you God provided each step of the way in only ways that He can.

### **Stewardship by the Numbers**

Every dollar was directed toward the ultimate mission:

- **Food / Bible Programs – 38%**
- **Housing Construction – 22%**
- **Outreach & Leadership Training – 14%**
- **Life Center Development & Operations – 16%**
- **Teams, Logistics & Transportation – 6%**
- **Administration & Stewardship – 4%**
- **NOTE:** STC/Life Guatemala files an annual 990 report with the IRS as a 501c3 non-profit. If you would like to view it, you can do so by visiting [www.candid.org](http://www.candid.org).

**Lean** structure.  
**Local** leadership.  
**Maximum** impact.

Dear friends and partners.

Resilience defined this year. But faithfulness carried it.

And because you stayed—**the work continued.**

As we step into the coming year not with certainty about every detail, but with confidence in the One who has sustained this ministry since 2014—and in the partners who continue to stand beside us; thank you for staying.

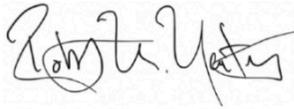
Please pray for Life Guatemala in the following ways:

- An increase in monthly donors to fill our \$15,000 monthly shortfall.
- Safety and impact for mobilized teams in 2026.
- The completion of the Life Center medical clinic, office and Braver co-op space.
- Plenteous opportunities to continue to plant the seeds of the gospel.

These are all immediate needs that can seem insurmountable from the field. You are needed in 2025 and we need you even more in 2026 and beyond.

May the fruit of your investment be known among the nations,

Robert Yeater



President/Founder, Life Guatemala



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