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Dear Friends:

First of all, I am happy to send this greeting in hopes that you are well, surrounded by family and friends.

We are all very thankful for the help and prayers that you continue to send to our students. It is your support that allows the Yashalúm (Chiapas) Education Program to fulfill its goal to help Mayan students who want to study. Last month, most of the students were home for Christmas vacation. It was wonderful to see their enthusiasm and to watch them share half of their vacation in service to the community.

This year, 2010, Yashalúm celebrates its 20th anniversary of helping the students achieve a good and dignified education. We ask for your prayers during this special year and promise to keep you informed on the results of the good work you are accomplishing here in Chiapas.

We hope you and your families had a great Christmas and are experiencing the best beginning of the New Year. We join you in prayer that 2010 be a time of new creation, reconciliation, peace, unity and love.

May God bless you.

Elmar Hernández Gómez
Administrator



Yashalúm's Board of Directors



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