



# ONEMEAL PARTNERSHIP

## NICARAGUA VERBO CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES



### COUNTRY CHALLENGES:

Nicaragua is the 2nd poorest country in the Western Hemisphere. Around 70 percent of the population works in agriculture. Since farming is so reliant on weather patterns, people can often be stripped of their means to live instantly by a natural disaster. The country's dependence on agriculture combined with its erratic weather leads to higher rates of poverty and hunger. 30% of the entire population lives on less than \$2 per day.

**30% OF CHILDREN UNDER 5 IN RURAL AREAS OF NICARAGUA LIVE WITH CHRONIC MALNUTRITION**





VERBO CHURCH & SCHOOLS

PARTNER: VERBO CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES

COUNTRY: NICARAGUA

WEBSITE: [RENEWTHEHOPE.ORG/VERBO-CHURCH-VERBO-CHRISTIAN-SCHOOLS](http://RENEWTHEHOPE.ORG/VERBO-CHURCH-VERBO-CHRISTIAN-SCHOOLS)

LEADERSHIP: PASTOR EARL BOWIE

PARTNERING WITH KATW SINCE: 2010

KIDS AROUND THE WORLD WEBSITE: [KATW.ORG](http://KATW.ORG)

## MORE ABOUT OUR PARTNER:

Pastor Earl Bowie and his wife Damaris have spent nearly 30 years pouring their hearts into their local community of Puerto Cabezas, and the more remote Miskito communities along the northern border of Nicaragua. They have established an orphanage, schools, churches, community feeding centers, a sustainable model farm, and occupational training programs to help their communities move from poverty to sustainability, and from dire situations to hope-filled lives.

## OUR IMPACT TOGETHER:

Kids Around the World supplies OneMeal to provide daily nutrition to the **1,750** children served through Verbo Christian Ministries. Our meals are served at the Caminante Community Feeding Center where **600-700** children come for their one sure source of food each day. OneMeal is also served at a feeding center established in the city dump to feed children whose families scavenge in the dump for sustenance. Additionally, OneMeal feeds children at the Verbo Orphanage, and at remote feeding centers established in villages along the Rio Coco to fight off childhood malnutrition and starvation.

**1750** KIDS FED DAILY **9** FEEDING CENTERS

ONEMEAL MEETS A CRITICAL NEED TO THOUSANDS OF CHILDREN IN NICARAGUA WHO HAVE NO OTHER SURE SOURCE OF DAILY NUTRITION. WHEN YOU PACK MEALS FOR OUR PARTNERS IN NICARAGUA, YOU HELP PROVIDE FOOD SECURITY AND EXTEND LOVE TO CHILDREN LIVING IN DEEP POVERTY.

