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Dear Paul

It is with great appreciation that I write to thank you for the generous donation of \$100 you have given our organization. As you well know, our foundation works with some of the poorest children and families in Ecuador. All of the children, even those as young as 4 or 5, work to help their family survive. They are often the victims of abuse, malnourishment, and neglect. Most of their parents believe that their children, and especially their female children, need to work more than they need to be able to read or go to school.

Your donation will greatly help the street outreach program. The purpose of the street outreach program is to locate working children in various sectors of southern Quito and befriend them in order to eventually get them enrolled in school. To do this, volunteers bring recreational and education activities to the street every day. Your donation will help us buy the necessary materials so that we can continue bringing activities to the street and will pay for the occasional day trip. As the children rarely leave the markets, we like to take them to see museums and parks in other parts of the city.

We really cannot thank you enough for making this generous donation. We appreciate that you have made such an effort in order that our children can have a better life. It is only through the generosity of people like you, that we are able to continue our programs for the poorest working children of Quito and their families.

Thank you so much for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Bridget Higginson  
Volunteer Coordinator