Paraguay 2001

With the Methodist Mission Society

Marlboro

OME RUN

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METODISTA DEL PARAGUAY
Personeria Juridica 2.404

BASKETBALL

FARMACIA
TAPICERIA

BINGO

Diario
LA NACION

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4368

A young homeless boy who wanted to shine our shoes in exchange for pizza we bought him the night before. We'd found him huddled in a door stoop and looking really hungry. He walked across town to find us the next morning to thank us. First time I've ever had my hiking boots shined.

ELECTRICIDAD
ILEC
CELULARES A 35000
CON TARJETA
OKIA
MOTOROLA

NISSAN
MAQUINAS
SERVICIO

le coq sportif

I shot this from a fair distance. I didn’t realize she was holding a chicken.

Children get sick so easily in third world countries. This was my first trip overseas to a third world country. Now I come armed with wipes and simple toys so I can release the chickens, wipe down the hands, and play with the children with a frisbee or a soccer ball. The toys have to be researched for the particular country. In South America we have to watch out for toys resembling demon gods.

Our hosts worked non stop doing everything to make our stay comfortable. It was exhausting work for them.

FARMACIA
Cintra

SkateBoy

PUC BUS

A young widow who's husband had been murdered. She was running their restaurant business on her own. Our conversation about Christianity was long and painful. She was angry at God. Why did He take him? Why didn't He save him? I listened, took the long verbal beating and let her have her say. I fought back tears as she began to cry. Then she softened. A lot more was said and cried over. Then we prayed. I heard later that she joined a women's prayer group. I didn't do much. And maybe that was the difference.

I had many cool pictures of waterfalls, a side trip to Brazil, and great shots of the city life. All of that is lost unfortunately. I hope you enjoyed the photos of the children and families.