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business driven philanthropy

Impact Travel

See social enterprise in action on an unparalleled international adventure.



Nicaragua 7-Day Trip

August 7-13, 2017



Hands-on volunteering
with children & local leaders



Experience impact investing in
sustainable food & agriculture



Incredible natural beauty
& cultural highlights

Highlights

Hands-on **volunteering with children & local leaders**

Unique **cultural highlights, historical insights & natural wonders**

Accommodation in **Nicaraguan boutique hotels** with **exceptional meals**

Hear directly from **Spark's CEO** about the business driven philanthropy model, successes and challenges

Price: **\$2,850**
per person
+ airfare



Trip Itinerary

Monday, August 7

Arrive in Managua, Nicaragua, enjoy views of Nicaragua's lakes and volcanoes on the drive to León.

Tuesday, August 8

Learn about Las Tías and its programs as you meet with key staff members, enjoy a welcome program from the children, and tour the Las Tías community and the city of León.

Wednesday, August 9

Help prepare lunch and serve the children at Las Tías; visit and participate in the adolescent project before enjoying a traditional Nicaraguan meal at the home of a founding Tía.

Thursday, August 10

Deepen your friendship with the Las Tías children with more games and activities, dive deeper into the Nicaraguan culture with a tour of a rum factory.

Friday, August 11

Hear the story of a Las Tías participant, then bid your new friends farewell at the goodbye program. Travel to Granada, visiting the Masaya market along the way.

Saturday, August 12

Take part in exciting excursions and activities in the must-see destination of Granada, also considered historically one of Nicaragua's most important cities, economically and politically.

Sunday, August 13

Drive to Managua for departure from Nicaragua.



Accommodations: Hotel Colonial, Granada; Hotel Cacique Adiact, León

An international journey **for any travelers** including young adults, families, seniors, individuals or groups

Volunteer Activities

Travelers on our Impact Trips to Nicaragua have the opportunity to engage in hands-on volunteering with the youth served by our local social impact partner. Each trip, this volunteering includes English language learning through games and activities and helping to serve the hot-lunch. However, each trip often also includes activities inspired by the initiative of our volunteers. Examples of past activities include photography projects, hands-on science demonstrations and art projects. We'd love to hear your ideas for what you'd like to do on your upcoming trip!



Registration

To register, visit sparkventures.org/travel.

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