



## Trip to the UK

It was great to be able to come home for six weeks of the last two months. I really enjoyed being in the UK again and having the opportunity to catch up with family and friends. I was really encouraged to be reminded of the prayers and support of so many people.



*Enjoying a different climate! My siblings and I, making a snowman who sent 'his greetings' to the girls' and staff of El Alfarero!*

It was also excellent to be able to share more about the ministry with people in the

UK, to raise awareness and finances for the work with street children in Santa Cruz. I was kept busy sharing in church services, youth groups, bible study groups, a school assembly, quench café and two festive/fun fundraisers.



*Playing with a home-made Piñata at the Festive Fundraiser in Bishopthorpe.*

Thanks to everyone's hard work and generosity we are sending just over £1,500 to Operation Restoration and have had several people express interest in sponsoring a child or staff worker.

## Sponsoring a child or staff worker

If you are still interested in giving to the ministry or sponsoring a child or staff worker more information can be found on the website or by emailing [oprest@ywambolivia.com](mailto:oprest@ywambolivia.com)

## Back in Bolivia

It is good to be back in Bolivia now for another year.

Upsetingly, *Raquel, 18*, who came into the home late November, chose to leave early January and go back to the street. We knew that she was

quite unstable but it is very sad and disappointing to see her leave, particularly as she is pregnant with her second child. It is my prayer for 2013 that we will be able to help all of the girls in the home to find more stability and acceptance so that more girls will be able to stay.



Thank you for your support. I would love to hear some of your news: [louise\\_feather@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:louise_feather@hotmail.co.uk)  
More information about Operation Restoration can be found at [www.ywambolivia.org.uk](http://www.ywambolivia.org.uk)





# Louise's Prayer Points

Dec 2012 - Jan 2013



## Give Thanks

- For safe travel to and from the UK and for the opportunity to spend time with family and friends
- For opportunities to share information about the ministry whilst in the UK
- For the generous support of people in the UK
- That God provided for the staff and teenagers here in Santa Cruz over the holiday season.
- For the opportunity to live another year in Bolivia and work with Operation Restoration.
- That God has provided me with good friendships and a local church here in Bolivia, as well as sufficient Spanish to be able to communicate well.

## Prayer Needs

- That new girls will come off the street into the El Alfarero and be able to settle there.
- That God would help us to address the deep issues facing the girls and the boys on the streets and in the homes.
- That I continue to re-settle back into the life and work here.
- That the staff team of Operation Restoration work together well and have a clear direction in the year to come.