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2018 FREEDOM Sunday/COP Sunday – Working at the Sponsorship Table

- Place a table to display child profiles at the main exit areas of the sanctuary for COP Sunday. We also suggest that you have a sponsorship table all weeks of Freedom Sunday and/or Children of Promise Sunday as well as the following Sunday as well.
- Create your display with a nice solid colored table cloth and the **child profiles** you ordered from our office. Place the child profiles neatly and where people can pick them up, open and read them.
- If you did not order child profiles, place the **Children of Promise brochure** on the table with sponsorship forms and ink pens alongside the brochures. Children of Promise will select a child for the sponsor based upon the information submitted on the **Child Sponsorship Commitment Form**.
- You will need 2 – 4 people working at the tables to help people with the sponsorship process.
- Consider using a laptop on the table for people to make online payments through our website (internet connection required.)
- Sponsors can be individuals, families or groups.
- **IMPORTANT:** All child profiles should remain on the table until someone sponsors the child and completes the **Child Sponsorship Commitment Form** and pays for the first month of sponsorship. These profiles are COP's way of tracking the child.

QUESTIONS YOU MAY BE ASKED

- **What types of sponsorship are there? Answer** – There are two types. (1) Individual Sponsorships (98% of all sponsorships) – A sponsor(s) supports one specific child(ren). (2) Program Sponsorship (2% of all sponsorships) – A sponsor(s) supports a program or group of children rather than one specific child(ren).
- **Of the support funds, what percentage is used specifically in direct aid to the child? Answer** –

Donation Made per Child	\$32/Month	\$38/Month	\$50/Month
80% Direct Benefit for each child	\$25.60	\$30.40	\$40.00
20% retained by US office	\$6.40	\$7.60	\$10.00

These percentages are among the least assessed compared to other child sponsorship organizations. No funds are given to the child or his/her family. Children of Promise pays any education fees directly to the schools or to the banks who handle the funds for the schools. Food and medicines are purchased by the Children of Promise committee member for each child.

IMPORTANT – Sponsorship is a long-term commitment. Once a child is sponsored, Children of Promise (through the sponsor) commits to seeing that child finish high school. When a person or group is ready to sponsor a child, have them complete the **Child Sponsorship Commitment Form** (see instructions on next page).

AFTER YOUR EVENT – Very Important!

Collect all sponsorship forms and payments (including credit card forms) and child profiles. Mail them to:

Children of Promise
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Thank you for your support!