

### **Excellent Sources of Funding:**

- Family Members (Mom & Dad, Grandparents, Aunts and Uncles, siblings, Hit them all up!)
- Home church
- Friends of the family
- Letter campaign (see me for example letter)
- Local businesses
- Ask for it for Christmas (you'll still get other presents I assure you ☺)
- Personal Tithe money
- Professors, people you work with, etc
- GOD WILL PROVIDE IF YOU ARE MEANT TO GO!!!!

### **Talking Points with Potential Donors**

- Why you want to go on this trip
- What you'll be doing while on the trip
- Share your testimony
- Explain what God has been doing in your life lately
- Why you think missions is important
- What God has done through you/participants in other mission trips you've been on/heard of
- Why Nicaragua needs our help so badly
- Explain how the people giving financially to allow you to participate in this trip are just as much missionaries and have just a big of a part of what God does in Nicaragua as the people actually going
- How you KNOW God has guided you to go on this trip, and that you are trusting Him to provide the means for you to go
- You need their help financially, because if you can't raise the funds you'll miss out on the blessing God has in store for the people in Nicaragua and in your own life