

# WILL HEART READERS ALSO INVEST IN SILOAM'S 'LEG-UP' INITIATIVE TO HELP ANOTHER POOR SINGLE MOTHER IN PERU?



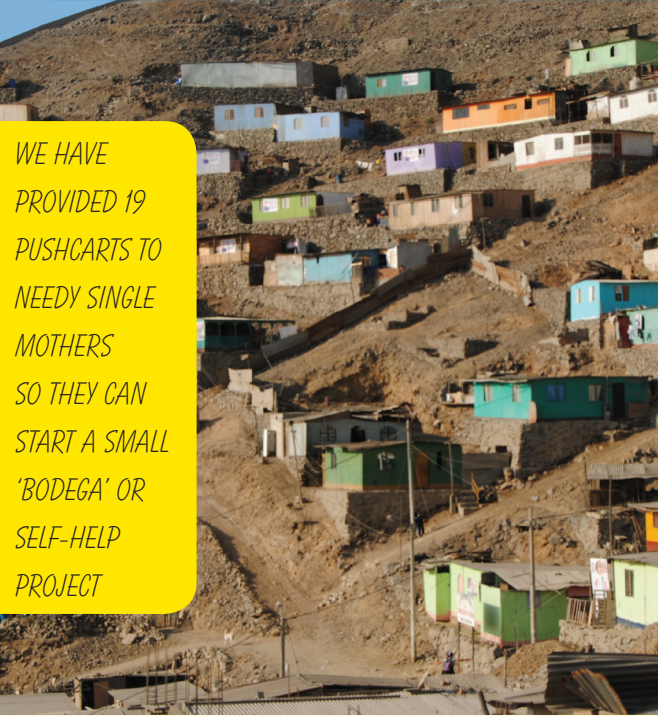
Meet 37 year old Marlena Sanchez, an abandoned single mother with 4 young children. Marlena took part in our pilot scheme to see if our 'Leg-Up' initiative would actually work.

Marlena works from 6.00 pm to 10.00pm each night and then returns home to care for her children and prepare for the next day's trading.

By working with Marlena and giving her this 'Leg-Up' opportunity as a hard-working start-up entrepreneur, Siloam can provide a route out of poverty and help her gain respect from her neighbours and children.



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WE HAVE PROVIDED 19 PUSHCARTS TO NEEDY SINGLE MOTHERS SO THEY CAN START A SMALL 'BODEGA' OR SELF-HELP PROJECT

Many desperate families from the countryside have fled to the shanty towns close to Peru's capital Lima, seeking safety and a better way of life. Newcomers are forced to look higher up the hill to find a place to construct a home.

Siloam together with its partners Childcare Worldwide, began our 'Leg-Up' initiative two years ago. It was felt this was a more positive way to tackle poverty than by just giving handouts.

Siloam's UK investors have been very supportive and to date they have provided 19 pushcarts to needy single mothers so they can start a small 'bodega' or self-help project. Twelve individual UK supporters supplied the total outlay for 12 push carts and some Siloam friends even provided 2!!

New 'Leg-Up' initiatives also include providing training and equipment for baking, sewing and hairdressing.

Gifts of £10.00, £20.00, £50.00 or £100.00, can be accumulated together to provide either another sewing machine and training for £200.00 or the next pushcart vending outlet for £200.00.

Please 'free phone' our office if you want more information about how you can invest in project: 091 and help relieve poverty for some in Peru.



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