



Eli Caro  
Huayllahua  
in Peru



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## What's the need?

The church in many parts of the world is growing rapidly. Out of necessity many untrained men and women are sent to serve their communities or teach the Word of God to congregations at newly planted churches or established ones where they have no pastor or leader.

Congregations who are hungry for the Word of God often receive limited Bible teaching, leaving them open to error or to remain immature as Christians. Many dioceses are too poor to pay enough money for men and women to have theological training or to be trained in community health and development.

## Why the bursary scheme?

To help meet this need for training, Crosslinks primarily provides bursaries for students who come from parts of the world where there is great economic or political need. Priority of sponsorship is given to students who are accepted into evangelical theological colleges, Bible schools and universities in their own or near country.

Students are recommended by their diocese or educational institution and most will be used as pastors or leaders at grass roots level in their community after gaining degrees or on completion of foundation courses. Some students train for higher degrees in order to fill key positions in their diocese.

## How can you help?

By sponsoring students through our BEST programme. Money you give us will go towards their training fees which we pay the college on the students' behalf. Each student and their diocese are requested to pay what they can towards personal allowances and medical fees. We can link you with one of these students so that you can be informed of their progress.

## Why Eli Caro Huayllahua?

Whilst he was growing up Eli's father spoke to him about Jesus every day. It wasn't until he was 19, however, that he accepted Christ for himself through the evangelism of some local teenagers who were studying at Bible School.

After accepting Christ, Eli went on to join the academy himself to study. Following his studies he served his church as part of the leadership team, became a student leader in a university and is now the Eastern regional director in AGEUP – the Association of evangelical university groups of Peru.

Eli is currently undertaking a years course in **Mission Specialisation** at the **Centre for Missionary Training** in the Bolivian capital of La Paz. It is a special event for the College as he is their first residential Peruvian student. Whilst training Eli will continue to look after university groups in southern Peru. Once he finishes his course in February 2009, he will use his training to train others in university groups, in his community and in his church.



## What now?

- Decide if you or your church can sponsor this student
- Decide how much you can pay towards Eli's fees (£885 for 2008) through our BEST Programme

**Please fill in the relevant form today and show your support for Eli which will eventually affect the growth of the church in Peru.**