

## The Avocado Bay: Communitarian Nature Reserve in Christ (CNRC)

*“Vision, Mission, and Action can change the World”*

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### Part One: Summary

*Being a true neighbor* is the mission of this project. Rather than a parochial faith project in a small area of Colombia, Capurgana, the vision of a Communitarian Nature Reserve in Christ (CNRC) in the Avocado bay is a new international movement of the prevenient grace of the Spirit of God. Communal “monasticism” in a nature reserve proclaims the glory of the Creator of the world in preservation and tolerance.

The CNRC does not seek isolation from the world. This vision is the dream of brother and sister who have recapitulated their lives to be united in a human project that brings preservation and tolerance between nature and people. Carefully organized into living in a communitarian area, the project (1) pursues study of the Bible, and (2) spreads education, health, and communal services to advance the Word of God.

Visitors and investors may this dream come true. Whether some of them can stay for the rest of their lives in the region or return to the larger world around them, spreading an emphasized practical Christian living and continuing work to promote the kind of faith that makes a real difference in everyday life, is the main objective.

## Part Two: Request

We have an invitation from the grace of the Spirit of our Lord God Jesus Christ to those single or married individuals who generously surrender their lives in a full time, 24/7 commitment, helping others as they help themselves, to the benefit of all the created and the glory of the Creator, in a specific area of the Darien's corridor: el Aguacate (Avocado), Capurgana, Chocó, Colombian Caribbean, South America, next to Panama.

## Part Three: The Problem is Preservation

The need to start working on another great awakening in Christian faith, and to approach a sustainable human resource management and development towards a *theology of preservation* (*Psalm 104; Romans 8: 38-39 NIV*), is a must to assess and implement the grace of God in the international, holistic community of the location as a biological, archaeological, cultural, aesthetic, tourist, and ethical Communitarian Nature Reserve in Christ.

## Part Four: Capabilities

Sergio & Silvia Palacio



*Sergio, Silvia, & Native People*



Sergio Palacio is the founder of *One Global-God Ethics, OGEthics*, transferring a trans-religious exchange in the United States of America (USA) in the last decade to individuals, organizations, and communities. Since beginning to learn the English language, Sergio has received a comprehensive self-training in ethics as a student, employee, employer, and bilingual community member. The following points have inspired him to continue an ongoing self-study research in ethical issues around the world through God:

- Earning a Master of Arts degree in Human Resources Management and Development from Webster University, Saint Louis, Missouri, with emphasis on ethics
- Holding a bachelor's degree in BA from Eafit University, Medellin, Colombia
- Experiencing different works in the service, recreation, hospitality, retail, and fashion industries, and government
- Involving in community gathering as churches, libraries, and cultural events
- Currently working toward a Master of Ministry from Anderson University, South Carolina, to be completed in October, 2011

- Currently working in a position in the ESY program of Greeley-Evans School District 6 in Colorado, as an *Intensive Learning Center Instructional Assistant* with autistic students. Sergio loves reading, writing, hiking, swimming, and singing.

Silvia Palacio is a four years resident of the bay *el Aguacate*. Silvia works in real state and architectonic services in one of the most bio-diverse tropical rainforests of the planet building sustainable living and tourism. She also participates in Ventura Sailing ecotourism project, which is a part of the Corporation Fragment forward at the Biological Station, *el Aguacate*. This connection is intended to accommodate research and eco-tourism activities such as hiking, bird watching, sailing, diving, turtle watching and guided tours to major tourist attractions of the region.

Silvia holds a bachelor's degree in Architecture from Bolivarian Pontifical University, Medellin, Colombia, and a specialization in AutoCAD. She is the *Patron de Yate* of the sailingship, *Mermaid*, and loves windsurfing, swimming, drawing, singing, and kayaking.

Part Five: Budget: \$55.500.00

## Part Six: Invitation

You have been called in the Spirit of truth to rebuild the temple of God in a *new heaven and a new earth* location. Let us lift up together the cornerstone of Christ and our own life's rocks to build and proclaim the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ in this strategic region of Colombian forest and shore, humanity's lung.