

# GU418 – MISION DE CHICUXTIN

## COLONIA CHICUXTIN, CUBULCO, BAJA VERAPAZ

### PLANTER PROFILE



Colonia Chicuxtín is located in Cubulco in the geographic center of Guatemala. It is in the department of Baja Verapaz. It sits 1,000 meters above sea level. It is about 100 km away

from the nearest large city, Guatemala City, also the location of the nearest large airport. It is 3 km away from the mother church.

The mother church is a bible believing church that celebrates communion and believes in water baptism by immersion. They are a part of the Church of the Nazarene denomination, and the denomination has been working with Compassion for 19 years. The denomination has planted 27 churches with Compassion, and the mother church has planted 5 churches.

The vision of the mother church is to reach people in the community with the gospel. The mother church will support this new planter through prayer, emotional support, and spiritual support. There will also be administrative support and oversight from the pastors and leaders of the mother church.

Demographically, Colonia Chicuxtín is made up of 30% children. Most people in the community work as laborers. A typical house in this area is made of blocks and adobe.

One strength of this community is that it is growing and developing through institutions. This means, however, that the need for a church is only growing. This growing community needs a church so that the people in it would hear about Jesus and be saved. There are no active ministries in this community that prioritize working with children.



*The land where the church will be built*



*The daughter church pastor and his family*