



# Hospital Diospi Suyana



Dr. Klaus-Dieter John & Dr. Martina John

## Reaching out

Dear friends,  
In our inaugural speech we called the amphitheater a hand of friendship reaching out between Catholics and Protestants, Peruvians and Germans, the rich and the poor, Quechua Indians and Mestizos. Its main aim is to create hope in an area of Peru described by some political com-

mentators as a forgotten land. Despite all uncertainty there is a sure foundation for each and every one of us – God is there and He loves us; He will never let us down. This is the message that will go out from this amphitheater today and always.

Sincerely, Martina & Klaus-Dieter John

*A mission hospital for the Quechua Indians of Peru*

## Thousands came to the dedication of the Diospi Suyana amphitheater

They came on foot, in cars, perched on trucks, all wanting to be there for the opening of the open-air theater next to the hospital. The six-hour program consisted of music, speeches, folklore and film, everything the heart desired. Over 750 volunteers had worked to construct the theater.

Thanks were extended to them and to the "Jesus.de" website that had collected a large part of the finances needed. Could there be a better project of international cooperation?



A full house and a great atmosphere at the celebration



◀ 30 volunteers distributed sandwiches to 3,000 hungry spectators

## The Hospital – growing and growing

Under the watchful eye of our construction engineer, Udo Klemenz, one building after another is going up. We hope

that the entire shell will be built by the end of September. Approximately 40% of construction is complete. With your help

and God's blessing we hope to manage the remaining 60% by the end of March 2007.



## ● No April Fools – 58 came to fifth staff meeting on April 1.

They just won't be put off! Doctors, nurses and technicians came together for another staff meeting in Solms. By the end of

the year the team in Peru will have grown to 20 volunteers.



▲ Their faces say it all – a highly motivated group, full of enthusiasm

Just 10 days after the group photo on the left was taken, Gerhard and Heike Wieland arrived in Peru. First of all, they will be learning Spanish at a language school in Cusco. They are not only good at nursing, they recently proved how fit they were by unloading 3,250 coke bottles.



## ● The repair shop is finished

Under the leadership of the Kaltenbach group of Lörrach, 15 South German companies collected equipment for the mission hospital repair shop. Ten tonnes of finest quality equipment worth 50,000 Euros is to be shipped to Peru soon. Jonathan Lenz and Jean-Pierre Schlageter of the Kaltenbach Company will install it all in July.



Jonathan Lenz & Jean-Pierre Schlageter

## ● A satellite antenna

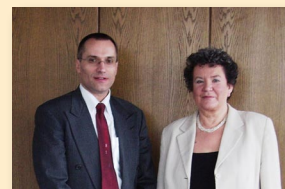


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## ● Drumming up support

In the course of his last trip to Europe in March/April, Dr. John posed the question: "Do you want to help?" 40 times in churches, schools and companies. On April 6th, he was able to update Prof. Dagmar Schipanski on progress at Diospi Suyana. Prof. Schipanski is the President of the German Cancer Aid Society and of the Parliament of the Federal State of Thuringia.



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Indian children in their hut about a mile from the hospital

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## ● Thank You All

All of the people serving Diospi Suyana are committed Christians of various denominations and churches. For many of us, building a hospital for the Quechua Indians has become a passion. This love is an expression of our faith in Jesus Christ.

We are very grateful that Americans and Europeans are prepared to help us in our struggle to help the Quechuas of Peru. Regardless of whether you have made a donation, prayed for us or crossed your fingers, we would like to extend our heartfelt thanks.