

Little Gladys is flying high as she retrains and strengthens her muscles after a free surgery to repair her club foot. And physical therapist Joanne Gates (USA) is encouraging her.



Will you volunteer?

For nearly 40 years, Mercy Ships has earned the respect and trust of developing nations by using hospital ships to provide free, world-class surgical care and capacity-building programs. Volunteers donate their time and skills to transform individuals and serve nations, bringing hope and healing to the forgotten poor.

Two thousand years ago, Jesus commanded the church to love and serve the poor. Today each one of us has the opportunity to respond ... and make a difference.

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It takes all kinds, with all skills.
Volunteering is a gift of love, not a job.



Meet Ramon Sanchez, a volunteer serving as the *Africa Mercy's* Hotel Engineer ...

Ramon serves as team leader of the Hotel Engineering Team, which is in charge of all machinery outside the engine room – air-conditioning units, refrigeration units, galley and dining room equipment, toilets and showers vacuum system and the oxygen concentrator which produces pure oxygen for the patients in the operating room. Ramon's home church in the Philippines helps support his service with Mercy Ships. Ramon says, "It isn't easy to raise funds in a developing country, but there is nothing impossible to a great God." His advice to other volunteers? "Just trust and take the first step."



*From nurses to deckhands, accountants to dental assistants, teachers to mechanics, it takes an enormous number of dedicated people to keep a floating hospital ship going strong. **Serve with us!***

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