Quaker Bolivia Link

A Quaker Response to

Poverty

At 12,500 feet the air on the Altiplano is cold, but being in the tropics the radiant sun can be strong. The walls of QBL greenhouses heat up during the day and preserve the warmth through the icy nights.



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Greenhouses on the Altiplano



Quaker Bolivia Link has constructed over 300 greenhouses in indigenous communities on the Altiplano. These are providing a healthy diet in some of the poorest villages in the poorest country in South America. Malnutrition is widespread.

Our agricultural technicians teach each family to cultivate a range of vegetables. They also learn about their nutritional value.

Many of the families grow a surplus which they are able to sell in local markets. This provides a source of income and makes healthy produce available in their area.

This is all made possible by our generous supporters.

The target is now 100 more greenhouses.