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*Asociación de Trabajadores del Campo
(Rural Workers Association)

**FEB 17 -
FEB 26**

This is a **unique delegation** to compare two neighboring countries whose shared history contains many similarities and even greater differences.

We Will Compare & Contrast:



*Children in Honduras
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1. Rural development, ie. Honduras' African Palm & Charter City on the Gulf of Fonseca vs. Nicaragua's cooperatives & the overall reactivation of peasant agriculture since 2007.
2. Citizen security contrasting Honduras' militarized policing on behalf of the oligarchy vs. Nicaragua's style of policing which grew out of the Sandinista revolution.
3. Empowerment of women through their own actions in Honduras & with government support in Nicaragua
4. And more generally, in each country how people are organizing to be their own protagonists.

Delegates will be met at the Tegucigalpa airport on Feb. 17 and travel over four days to the border of Nicaragua guided by Honduras Solidarity Network in-country coordinator, Karen Spring. Community visits and meetings along the way will explore the four areas listed above. We will cross the border on foot and be met by Nadine Garcia of the ATC, Nicaragua's farmworker's union, who will guide us through Northern Nicaragua to study the same four issues, ending in Managua where we will fly home from on Feb. 26.

The purpose of the delegation is to highlight the need for our solidarity on behalf of the people of both countries.

Costs: \$1,000. This includes all travel (except international airfare), all meals, housing (double occupancy), translation and program.

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