

# THE CHILDREN OF TOMORROW



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Unaccompanied children have an unwavering amount of resilience. Despite the challenges in their young lives, they persevere. In the following, I present notes from unaccompanied children sharing their dreams and aspirations for their futures.

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<sup>154</sup> Photo was provided by an ORR funded shelter.



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<sup>155</sup> My goal will be to take charge of my future because I believe in myself, and I am deciding to be happy.

## Mis metas

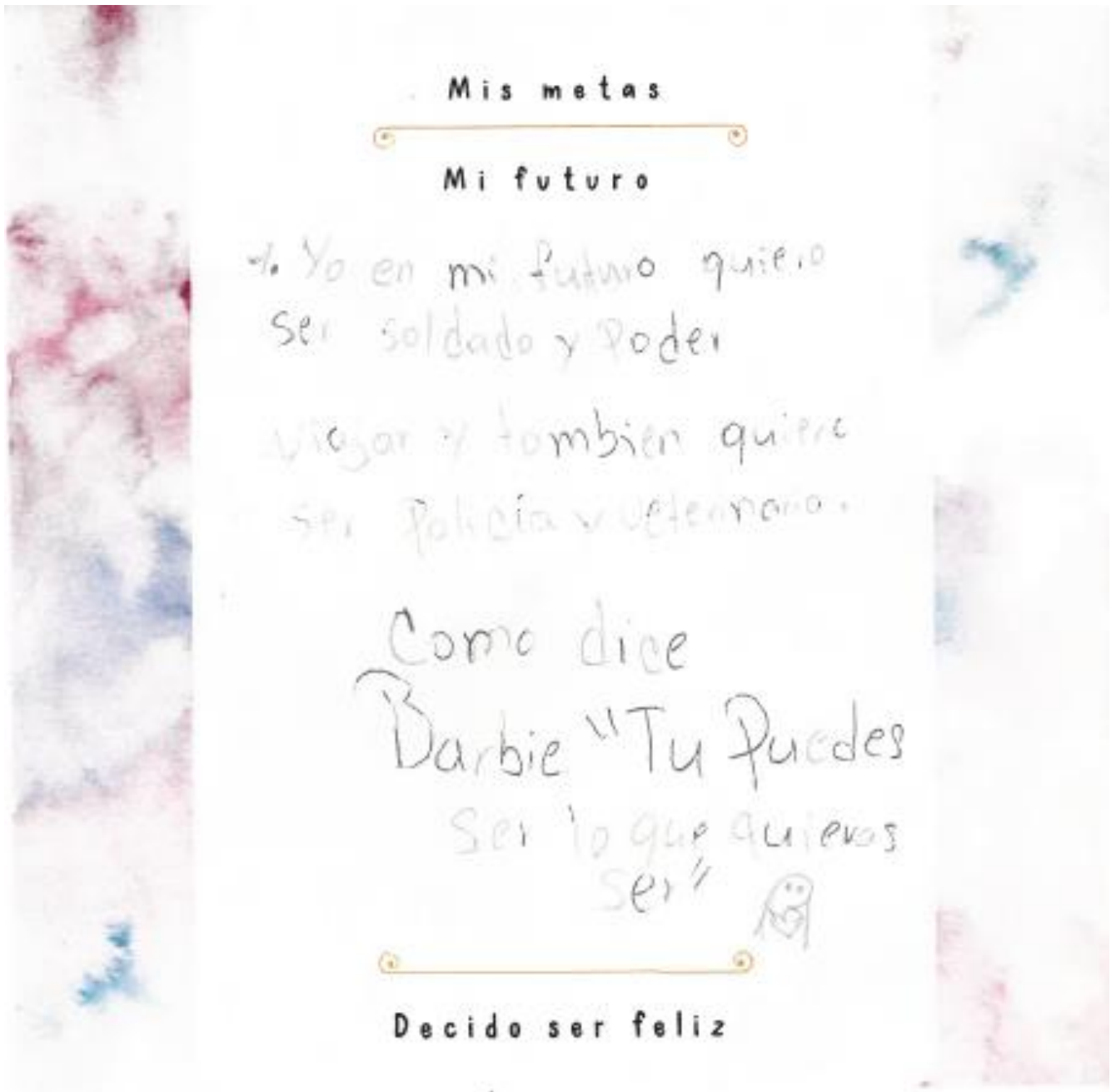
### Mi futuro

yo quiero ser una Enfermera  
para cuidar a los ancianos  
enfermos y niños enfermos.  
y tambien ser policia  
ayudar a resolver una  
problema.

### Decido ser feliz

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<sup>156</sup> I want to be a nurse to take care of sick elderly people and sick children. Also, I would like to be a police officer to help solve a problem.



<sup>157</sup> In the future, I want to be a soldier and be able to travel. I also want to be a police officer and veterinarian. As Barbie says, "you can be what you want to be".

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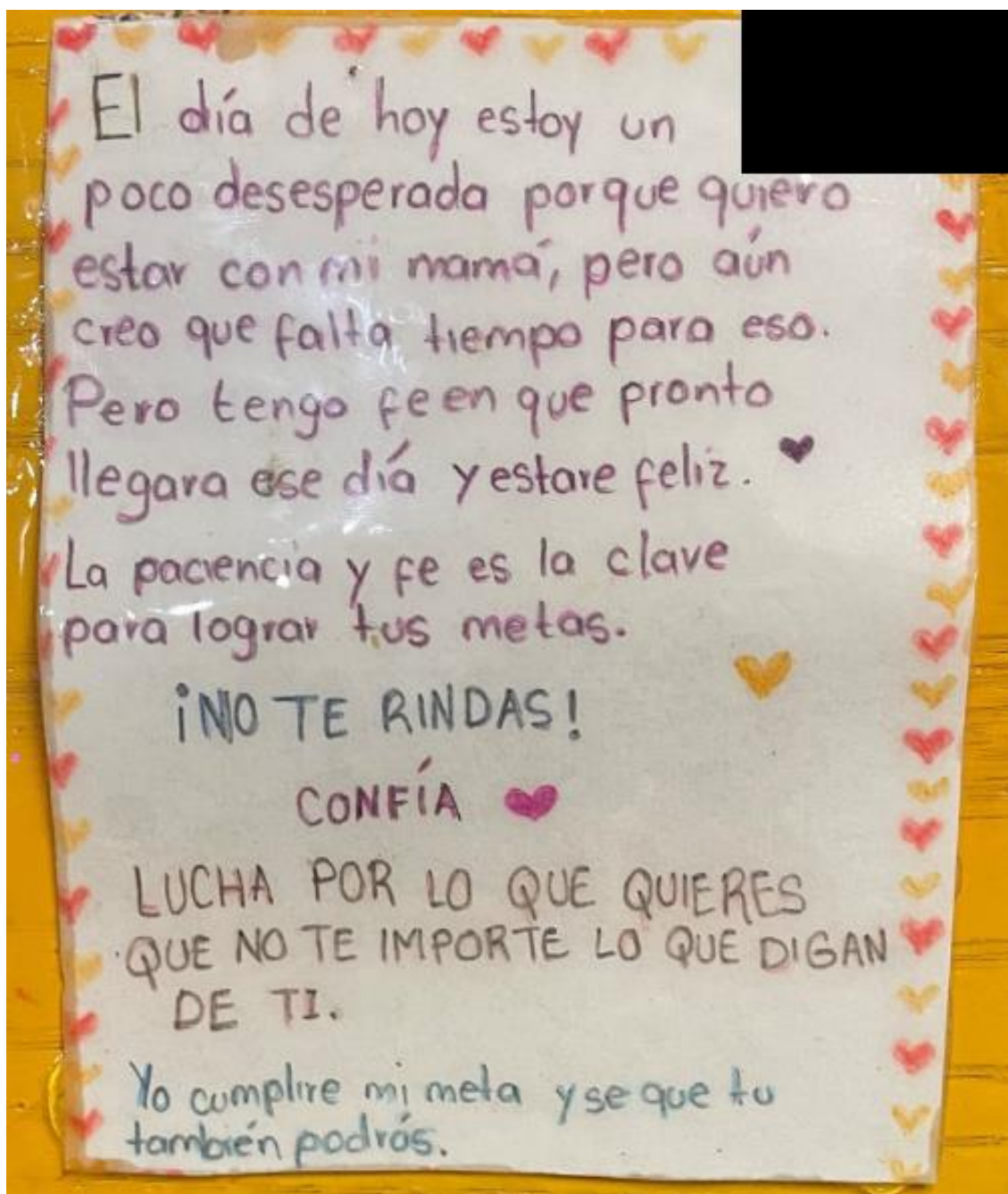
### Mi futuro

Mis metas son a que yo  
termine mis estudio con P1er  
Mi sueño que siempre soñaba  
terminar mi carrera y ser  
una Maestra Profesional  
sacar a mi familia siempre  
adelante

### Decido ser feliz

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<sup>158</sup> My goals are to finish school, to fulfill my lifelong dream of becoming a teacher, and to move my family forward.



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<sup>159</sup> Today I am feeling hopeless because I want to be with my mom, but I think we need more time for that to happen. But I have faith that that day will come soon, and I will be happy. Patience and faith are the keys to achieving your goals. Don't give up! Have faith. Fight for what you want. Don't care about what others say about you. I will achieve my goal, and I know that you can, too.