

Immigrant Families Together (IFT) is an all-volunteer network of Americans committed to rapid response reunification of families separated at the border and by immigration detention actions.

Immigrant Families Together:

- 1. Pays bonds.
- 2. Funds transportation and accommodations to reunite families.
- 3. Arranges legal representation whenever possible.
- 4. Provides housing until the asylum seeker can work legally (this process can take a year or more).
- 5. Sends regular deliveries of cleaning and personal hygiene supplies, as well as groceries.
- 6. Pays for medical (physical and mental health/trauma care), vision, and dental care.
- 7. Arranges transportation to legal and medical appointments, ICE and ISAP check-ins, and court dates.
- 8. Provides cell phones to stay in contact with IFT, ICE, attorneys, and family members.
- 9. Provides clothing and household goods.
- 10. Assists partner organizations on the border with critical needs.

IFT began in May 2018 when Yeni González, an immigrant mother from Guatemala, was separated from her three children after coming to the U.S. to seek asylum. Yeni remained alone in a detention center in Arizona, unable to pay bond and unaware of where her children were or when she would be able to see her children (who were in foster care in New York) them again. A group of American mothers heard Yeni's story and quickly mobilized to raise her bond and then transport her safely to New York, where her children were in foster care. Yeni was driven, state by state, by volunteers who also coordinated and put her up, night by night, in the homes of even more volunteers. Yeni and her three children were soon reunited. IFT also found Yeni's family a pro bono attorney for their asylum case and provides them support when needed, such as food and shelter while they await their trial. IFT has since raised over \$1 million, reuniting more than 76 families and providing as-needed support to roughly 100 families who are going through the asylum process.

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