

Pro-Busqueda

Searching for a Disappeared Child



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Pro-Busqueda is an association in the human rights movement that carries out the search for children who disappeared as a result of the armed conflict in El Salvador, that promotes their rights, the awareness of the truth, access to justice, to complete reparations for disappeared people and their families.

Jon Cortina, a Jesuit priest from Vasco Country, Spain, who lived most of his life in El Salvador, founded pro-Busqueda on 1994. He was particularly affected by mothers and fathers histories that had suffered the forced disappearance of their children and the lack of answers from Salvadoran State. The pain of these women and men saw the seed of Pro-Busqueda.

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