

Woman Finds Grandchildren Lost 3 Years

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SAO PAULO, Brazil — Marian Caceres de Julien said yesterday she has found her two grandchildren, who disappeared in 1976 when their mother allegedly was slain and their father kidnapped by Uruguyan security agents.

The missing-persons case that spanned three countries was closed when Mrs. Caceres saw the children, Anatole Boris Julien Grisona, 6, and Lucia Eva Julien Grisona, 4, in Valparaiso, Chile, where they have been adopted by a Chilean family.

Mrs. Caceres told a news conference she went to Valparaiso July 14 to visit the youngsters and will seek legal aid if necessary to gain custody. "They are fine now. They are in a good home with a lot of love, but they are all I have," she said.

The children were located through a picture of them that appeared in a Venezuelan newspaper and was seen by Uruguyan exiles who knew the family.

According to Mrs. Caceres, the children's father, Roger Julien Caceres, was a member of a Marxist guerrilla group in Uruguay and fled to Argentina in 1976. He and his wife, Victoria Grisona, were living in San Martin, Argentina, when Uruguyan agents, possibly aided by Argentine police, found them Sept. 27, 1976.

She said Anatole told her he remembered his mother hid him in the bathtub during a gunfight and minutes later she was fatally wounded in the stomach.

The men seized the father and later Anatole and his sister and several other children were driven in a large car to Valparaiso where they were abandoned on a street, Mrs. Caceres said. She added she did not know what happened to the other children.