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118 new applicants need our support! We have to choose which students receive scholarships by Aug. 15, 2019. These are some of our neediest. Please help forever improve their lives.

ANJALI GRACE – NGO MANAGEMENT (1ST YEAR)

Not Far from the Tree

Anjali is the daughter of two World's Children home administrators. Her parents work very hard around the clock to keep all of the children in the orphanage safe, well-fed and supported, but now Anjali needs a little extra financial help. She wishes to further her education so that she may give back to the world the way her parents have. **"I would like to do my higher level education and support the organization which my parents established."** Just like her parents, Anjali has an abundance of heart and is dedicated to service.



VARSHA – ACCOUNTING (1ST YEAR)

The First of her Family

Varsha's siblings look to her for guidance and courage. These children tragically lost both of their parents when they were young, and their livelihood was dependent on their stepmother and brother-in-law, who could not realistically provide for so many. The children were rescued by WC administrators who visited their village and witnessed the abysmal conditions in which they were living. Varsha will be the first person in her family to receive a college education. She hopes this will set an example for her younger siblings, so they too believe they are capable of anything.



SHARMILY- NURSING (2ND YEAR)

Fighting for Her Family

For many years, Sharmi has dreamt of becoming a nurse. She worked hard to earn a spot for herself in the Sacred Heart Nursing program, but now she worries her financial status will keep her from seeing her goals through to the end. Because she does not have parents, her sisters are working as daily manual laborers and sending her their meager earnings. In a compelling letter to WC, Sharmi writes, **"My family is without eating, their saving money is spent for me. That is making me very blue. Sometimes I will think to discontinue my studies and go for work like my elder sister. But if I do that our family situation will not change. Kindly, extend your helping hand for me. Help to light my candle, I will spread light in the dark."**



MARY- BANKING (1ST YEAR)

Motivated by Sisterly Love

Mary was 5 years old when her parents died of AIDS. She was ostracized by her relatives for fear that she too carried the disease, and was brought to an orphanage. Eventually, it came to light that the orphanage was being controlled by a human trafficker. Mary and her sisters were sent back to their village, where they were once again ostracized and their land was stolen from them by their uncles. From there, the girls made their way to a World's Children home and finally received loving care and education. Mary intends to put it to use by attending college to become a banker. She has remained close with her sisters, and wants to achieve success so that she can support them and also give back to orphan children like herself.



LYDIA- NURSING (1ST YEAR)

Heart of Gold

"I like this profession so much, as this profession is about saving and helping the people when they are ill or sick."

Lydia is one of three sisters, and she has a heart for helping others. She has taken a leadership role in her home to help care for the younger children and is determined to make a positive impact on those around her, regardless of her difficult circumstances. Lydia lost both of her parents to AIDS when she was seven years old, and has experienced cruelty at the hands of her family members, but she continues to spread positivity and kindness. Now, she asks for the generosity of a World's Children sponsor, so she can take care of herself as well as others through a career in nursing.



CINU – ELECTRICAL TECHNICIAN (1ST YEAR)

Overcoming Abuse & Standing on Her Own

Cinu was the victim of her drunken father's abusive behaviors after she lost her mother to illness six months ago. She was discovered by Childline (an emergency hotline for children in trouble) and admitted to a WC home soon after. She feels alone in the world, and is relying on the administrators to help her get back on her own two feet. Cinu needs to know that there are people out there who care about her and her success. She is in desperate need of a loving sponsor who can provide her with a college scholarship. Cinu is active in church activities and enjoys spending time caring for young children in the home.





KRISHNAVENI – NURSING (2ND YEAR)

A Childhood Dream

For as long as she can remember, Krishna has had one desire: to become a nurse and help people. Against all odds, she made it into nursing school and is on her way to achieving that dream. However, it is not without pushback. Her family continually begs her to drop out and come home. **“I have desire in my heart to study for nursing from childhood and this is my ambition. Mother said no need to study further, as she cannot pay my academic fees... My heart and it’s small desire feel broken.”** Krishna has three years of school left, and is in need of a sponsor to inspire hope and give her the confidence she needs to continue pushing forward.



JEENA – TEACHING (1ST YEAR)

Something to Prove

Jeena hails from a rural village that is without proper schooling, hospitals, and transportation. Typically, the children from this remote place are not encouraged to receive an education due to the inconvenience of it and the immediate necessity for money. **“Most the students from our village stopped their higher studies, but I had an opportunity to stay at Nirmala Matha and through the guidance of our sisters I have completed my 12th grade.”** Now Jeena is humbly requesting the help of World’s Children so that she can prove to her parents and her village that she is deserving of higher education, regardless of her birthplace.



PARAMESH – ACCOUNTING

(1ST YEAR)

A Bright Girl of Many Talents

Paramesh is exceptionally bright. She ranked first in her school on public exams, and scored a 98 out of 100 in accountancy. Her hard work and dedication to learning is matched by her curiosity about the world; she is involved in every cultural program offered by the school. Paramesh was abandoned by her father who was an alcoholic, but she maintains a special bond with her mother. WC administrators write, **“Though she desires to continue her study, she cannot overburden her mother with her study expenses. She has a sad feeling that no one is there to support her to continue her study.”**



RASATHI- BSC NURSING (1ST YEAR)

Her Last Hope

Rasathi is without a father, and her mother is very ill. Of her two uneducated brothers, only one has the ability to work and support her education. Rasathi explains, **“The family situation does not allow me to continue my studies, hence I request your help. Without your help through scholarship program, I will not be able to continue my degree course.”**



With the help of a sponsor, Rasathi will have abundant opportunities in the nursing field and can pull herself and her family out of a difficult cycle. Without it, the trajectory of her life is uncertain.

SUREKA – BSC PHYSICS (1ST YEAR)

Full of Thanks... And Potential

Sureka never forgets a kindness. She easily recalls how World’s Children has positively impacted her life. **“I bow my head in front of you, because you did many great things in our home,”** she writes. But Sureka has an additional request. **“Kindly I request your financial and moral support now to continue my degree. I know that without you nobody comes forward to help me.”** Sureka has endured a difficult past: her mother is deceased, and her father is a neglectful alcoholic. This has not stopped Sureka from setting goals for herself. She hopes to become a physics teacher, as a result of her strength in mathematics. Her grandfather, her primary caretaker outside of the orphanage, is falling ill and it has caused confusion in Sureka’s life as to whether she will have the opportunity to further her education or not. World’s Children donors can give her the push she needs to continue chasing her goals.



DHANU- NURSING (1ST YEAR)

When Tragedy Strikes

Dhanu and her siblings were abandoned by their father. The children were devastated, but after being admitted to a WC orphanage, they sought refuge in the care they received from their sponsors. In a tragic turn of events, Dhanu’s brother died in a lightning storm in 2017 when the siblings were visiting their village for the holidays. This unexpected event broke the hearts of WC staff and supporters alike.



However, rather than letting it completely break her spirits, Dhanu has shown tremendous resiliency in the wake of tragedy. She is now on a mission to achieve success and become one of the first girls from her tribal community to receive a college education. With your help, she hopes to become a successful nurse and bring a good name to her home town.