Meet our sisters

INCHING TOWARD A PHD

Pursuing an advanced degree costs in many ways, as Catherine is well aware. Yet a passion for good journalism drives her. Working in Nairobi, Kenya as a Radio/TV manager, lets Catherine use her communication skills for church work. She has worked in her field for nearly 20 years. Yet she wants to do more; she wants to teach communication studies to church workers.

Study…Work…Study

No university in Kenya, her home country, currently offers a PhD in professional practice, but a school in United Kingdom does. Since tuition is much more than Catherine and her family can afford, she’s at school for three months, and then back home in Nairobi to work and save for another three months of university.

However, with your help, one day Catherine will return to the classroom, not as a student but as the teacher—Dr. Catherine Nyameino.

How Can I Help?

A BASKET OF IDEAS

- Pray for a specific school or country
- PLEDGE A MONTHLY GIFT
- Share SOS newsletters at Sabbath School
- GIVE IN HONOR OF SOMEONE SPECIAL
- Help SOS meet a Matching Challenge
- Sell on E-Bay for SOS

THE PERFECT GIFT

SANCTUARY: A PLACE OF CALM WHEN LIFE IS JUST TOO MUCH

The 2010 women’s devotional book, Sanctuary, is the perfect gift for mother, daughter, aunt, friend, or neighbor. Calm moments spent with this book will provide an oasis of peace.

A Gift to Share

This book is a double gift because all of the royalties go to the GC Women’s Scholarship Fund.

We encourage you to buy a copy for yourself and copies for people you love. The more funds available, the more women can be helped.

CHALLENGES, GOALS AND SUCCESS

Her father is blind and has no job. She has ten brothers for her family to support, so although she has just one year to graduation, Karina gets no financial help. She sells honey, and canvasses whenever possible, but can’t afford this year’s tuition.

Karina knows what it is to face challenges. A good student, she is active in Sabbath programs and with Women’s Ministries. She needs our help.

Their Challenges and Ours

Many talented women around the globe face similar challenges. “Scholarshipping Our Sisters” [SOS] wants to help them meet their goals. But SOS has a challenge too. This year the goal is $50,000. By October 30, only $33,055 had been raised. We need to raise $17,000 more.

How can I help?

Take a minute to answer this important question. “How can I help SOS meet this goal?” Could you let your family know that this Christmas you’d rather have a donation for Women’s Scholarships than another sweater or fuzzy robe? Could you give in memory of your dad or grandma? Raising $17,000 is the challenge for SOS, to help Karina—and all the others.
You are inspiring—as you help our sisters around the globe attend college. Here are stories of just two of the wonderful donors who inspire us.

**Found Money**

“We needed to replace our old refrigerator though it would squeeze our finances,” a friend told me. “After praying about it, we found one we liked. My husband and I agreed we could afford it with careful budgeting, but did not buy it that day. A few days later, we found the same make and model for $270 less. Happy for the savings, we paid for it and arranged for delivery. On the way home, my husband said, ‘That $270 is not ours. It is Found Money. God helped us find the better price. That will be our gift for Women’s Scholarships.’”

Found money—what a wonderful idea!

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**Becoming a Christian Counselor**

Ariuntungalag was one of the first Adventist church members in Northern Mongolia. “When I came to church, there were many members with problems,” Ariunaa recalls. Her pastor said his ministry was not enough; they needed a Christian counselor.

**It Wasn’t Possible**

“I was willing to study this area, but in Mongolia it wasn’t possible.” After University in Mongolia, she enrolled in the Counseling Masters’ program at SahmYook University in Seoul.

**An Involved Student**

Affectionately called Ariunna, she’s known as a hardworking, dedicated member. At University in Mongolia, she won academic awards every year. Her grades now are just as strong. She also participates in Women’s Ministries, the school board, and research.

**Tuition but not Food**

Although she has a scholarship for tuition, her student visa prevents her getting a job, so paying for housing and food is difficult.

Your gift will help women such as Airunaa prepare to serve—in Mongolia, Argentina, France or many other countries.

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**$2,000 Challenge**

SOS has a dollar-for-dollar Matching Challenge
To raise $2,000 by Dec 20
All gifts of $40 or more will be matched

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**Gifts of Remembrance**

**In Honor of:** Ethel Young, Alberta Randless, Mr. Wui Lung

**In Memory of:** Muriel Kujawa, Margaret Plymire, Louise & Ada Graham

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**Quick Notes**

What is “Scholarshipping Our Sisters”?
It’s a volunteer team supporting GC Women’s Ministries scholarships for Adventist women in college worldwide.

How Easy is it to Give?
Now you can use your credit card to give to the scholarship fund by using the response envelope or by calling us.