WHAT DO YOU SAY?

At a time when religion and political ideology were intertwined and corrupted, Jesus comes down, steps out, and puts faith into action. The stories of the Samaritan woman, the Samaritan leper, the Centurion, the demoniac, and similar others are fascinating because these people were the non-religious, the shunned, the outsiders; Jesus invested in them to demonstrate truth and love beyond measure.

As the world sees an increase in the intertwining of religiosity and politics, there are many who need to witness faith as a demonstration of grace, love, and truth.

SOS is such a demonstration.

In a time when words are often cheap currency, SOS nurtures, educates, demonstrates truth and love beyond measure, thus unifying us all with the love of Jesus.

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WINNING IN MONGOLIA

BOLORO, studying psychology at Mongolia National University, is a winner. She has won first-place scholastic awards, as well as awards for her singing. Most notable of all, in 2015 she received a Best Student award from the president of Mongolia.

Active in her church Pathfinder club, she is also the Sabbath School superintendent. Boloro credits her aunt and the Bible as the biggest influences in her spiritual life.

AWARDS FOR TWO

Known as responsible, kind, and dedicated to God’s service, Boloro has now received another award. This March, during the Mongolia Mission (MM) Lay Congress, she and Zula, another outstanding student in Mongolia—were awarded educational scholarships from GC Women’s Ministries.

ADMIRED IN ULAANBAATAR

ZULA is an English major in her third year at university. She hopes to influence others for Jesus through the talents the Lord has given her. Zula says the example of her grandmother and aunts showed her how to be a faithful Christian. She is active in the Ulaanbaatar Central Church as part of a singing group and a Pathfinder counselor. Friends admire Zula as courageous, respectful, and hardworking.

Boloro and Zula represent the many dedicated women who receive GCWM scholarships. We can continue helping our sisters become winners!

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NEWS BITES

6 AWARDS WENT TO MOTHERS THIS FEBRUARY

SCHOLARSHIP FOR MYANMAR: $300

“Her brilliant mind, talents, anxiety for knowledge, and inner kindness make her stand out.”
—re Lilia in Ukraine

DID YOU KNOW?

Rose Otis began the GC Women’s Scholarships in 1993

In 12 days SOS Matching Challenge raised more than $1,000
IN HONOR
Carol Barron
Idamae Johnson
Rose Otis

Gifts of Remembrance

IN MEMORY
Edith Terrell
Ella Simmons’ mother
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OF A MOTHER... AND
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ANYONE CAN... GET INVOLVED

Sure, money
helps, but
there are
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- Share SOS
newsletters
with your
club or
group.
- Pray daily
for one
woman,
school, or
country.
- Organize
a neighbor-
hood yard
sale for
SOS.
- Share a
story from
the SOS
newsletter
at church.
- Sell
donated
items
on-line
for SOS.
- Ask for
the SOS
newsletter
on-line to
share on-line.

2017 SPRING BOOK SALE
Twice a year, SOS holds a used
book sale at the GC. This April
the sale raised $1,340 for
women’s scholarships.

“I was able to
meet our two girls
in Cambodia, Pisey
(in checked shirt)
and Phallvy. They
are doing well and
plan to complete
their studies in
October.”

—from D. Saul-Chan,
WM Director, Southeast
Asia Union Mission

IDEA
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A BOOK SALE AT YOUR CHURCH OR
SCHOOL?

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