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What is Susanna Wesley Dormitory?



Susanna Wesley Dormitory, located in Phnom Penh, Cambodia, is a dormitory for university students from various provinces in Cambodia. If not for the dormitory, all of these students would not have the means of going to college. Through the help of many donors, we support them with their tuition, monthly stipend for bare necessities, and a safe place to return to at the end of the day.

Currently, we have 19 very special students living in the dorm. There are 16 young women and 3 young men. They work hard to attain good grades in school as well as to grow together in Christ through daily evening devotion. This is a group of people who are willing to share what little they have and spend the time to pray for each other with genuine hearts. They worry about each other and hope for the best for their friends. In October, a month when a new school year starts in Cambodia, we will welcome new students to the dorm after interviewing the graduating seniors from other provinces.

Without your support, we cannot dream of reaching out to these young people or help them achieve their dreams. Thank you for your love and support. In order to keep up the communication, we plan to publish monthly newsletters featuring one or two students per month. We also hope to share with you some Khmer traditions and culture that are unique to Cambodia. Please continue to pray for us so that the students will find and live out their purpose in God for the Kingdom of God!

Introducing Kimma Keov!



We have a chef in the house! Kimma Keov is currently studying to become a chef in KSK Cooking School. In August, 2019, he received a certificate for Asian Cuisine. We are excited for him as he will continue to study Western Cuisine with a goal to attain a certificate in one year.

Kimma grew up in Kampong Thom, Cambodia. When he was in 10th grade, his father wanted him to quit school and work at the farm. But his mother encouraged him to pursue education. To preclude being a burden to his parents, he worked on the weekends to help pay for his school fees.

Kimma has a very special heart for his grandmother in Kampong Thom. But it's not because she loved him more than his 3 siblings. In fact, when he was young, his grandmother did not really care for him. However, when his grandmother became weak and ill, he realized that

he may not have too many years left to spend with her. Since this realization, he has tried to spend more time with her in person or through phone calls and even send her small allowance when he is able to save some.

Kimma has a big heart for his friends at the dorm. With his amiable and helpful personality, he draws people close to him. Of course, his delicious food is just a bonus!

Kimma is concerned that when he gets a job at a restaurant, he is expected to work on Sundays. For this reason, he has avoided working at a restaurant and currently works for a security company. Please pray for wisdom and strength for Kimma so that he may continue to place God first when he begins to search for a restaurant job in the future.



How to Support: An annual tuition for most of the universities in Phnom Penh is about \$500.

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