



TRANSFORMING CHILDREN'S LIVES | RESTORING WIDOW'S JOY

WHERE DO THEY COME FROM?

Consider the following situations:

Mother dies and Father remarries. The step-mother does not accept the step-children. Instead, she forces them to work to bring in income.

Both parents die, and the child is a true orphan. Even if extended family exists, the child must work to earn his or her keep.

Father dies, and Mother cannot earn enough to feed her children let alone send them to school. The only option is to join the labor force.

The end result in each case is child labor.

These are the children we love.



MASTER'S HOME

Master's Home began in 1999 with 25 children in a rented house. Today, Master's Home is situated on Vision National's campus in Vizag, India.



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We care for the spiritual, emotional, physical and educational needs of over 140 children. Many of these children come to know Christ.

One unique feature of Master's Home is that we do not turn our children out after high school to find a menial job. Rather, we send them to college. **Our goal is to raise up a generation of Indian Christian leaders** working in diverse disciplines.

Our children live with us from the time they arrive until they earn their college degree, secure a job, and have the financial means to care for themselves. **Today, Master's Home college graduates are working throughout our city as engineers, nurses, teachers, and electricians!**

**In one generation
the cycle of poverty is broken!**

MASTER'S SCHOOL

Master's School is Vision Nationals' Christian elementary and high school. We began Master's School to educate the children in our Home. In time, Master's School gained a reputation for academic excellence, and families asked us to open our school to the public.

In 2007 we opened our doors. We currently have over 500 students coming from Hindu and Muslim homes to study at our Christian school!

In addition to sharing the gospel with these students, we also charge them tuition. Last year, Master's School generated enough profit to cover the cost of each Master's Home student attending!



We plan to continue expanding Master's School and directing the profits back into Vision Nationals' other ministries.

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Restoring Joy Ashraya Widows Ministry

Vision Nationals provides companionship, medical care and basic necessities for widows throughout the city of Vizag.

In India, family is the only protection against severe poverty in your old age. Some of the women we work with have no surviving children, many of them have been abandoned by their children. These women often die in loneliness, poverty and despair.

When we are made aware of a widow in need, we connect her to one of our church plants. Members of the church then oversee her care. They visit regularly to provide companionship, bring her food and make note of medical needs she may have.

Most of the widows we care for throughout the city are Hindu women, and we have seen some of these women come to know the love of Jesus through the love they experience as we befriend them and care for their basic needs.

Today, Vision Nationals cares for 50 widows throughout the city of Vizag. We hope to expand this ministry to care for a thousand more widows. Please pray with us for an administrator that can oversee this ministry.



GET INVOLVED

Talk ►

You are the greatest resource we have for connecting with others who are passionate about what we do. Spread the word!

Pray ►

Friend us on Facebook, follow on Twitter, RSS the blog, and sign up for newsletters. Keep informed about what we're doing and pray for us!

Give ►

Individually or with a community, partner with us to **sponsor a child starting at \$30 a month or a widow for \$15 a month.**

To give online or for more information about Vision Nationals' ministry to children and widows visit our website:

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Caring for Orphans and Widows



Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction...

James 1:27