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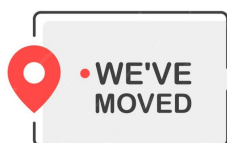
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2025 DONATION SUMMARY

Status through November 1st:

Annual Goal: **\$350,000**

Total Donations: **\$179,900**

Goal achieved after 10 months:

51%

2 months left!

Help us reach our goal!
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Friends of Vinh Son Orphanage (FVSO)

Montagnard Orphanage
Kontum-Pleiku, Vietnam



Mid-Autumn Festival

This year's Mid-Autumn Festival was celebrated with great grandeur on the evening of October 3 in Kon Tum and Quang Ngai. The event drew numerous children, who gathered to enjoy performances of lion dances, along with a variety of lively and colorful cultural displays that created festive atmosphere.

[Read more about the Mid-Autumn Festival](#)



Meet Some of Our Newest VSO College Graduates!

Y Meo

Graduate of Kon Tum College Certificate in Community Service

"The scholarship awarded to me by FVSO allowed me to complete my 3 years of college, covering all my education expenses, and inspiring me to believe in myself and the future ahead. I will do all I can to use my degree to find success.. When I hold my graduation certificate in my hand, I feel proud and grateful for the kind and loving hearts of the FVSO organization."



Pursuing a career in Community Service

Y Chon

Graduate of Kon Tum College Certificate in Nursing

"I would like to thank FVSO for all the support during my time at VSI, and the opportunity to pursue my dream career. On Oct 11, I attended my graduation ceremony filled with joy, happiness and gratitude. This achievement is not mine alone - it reflects the love, support and belief from FVSO and my Sisters. I have now started my practice certificate course at Quang Ngai 2 General Hospital, where I am an apprentice at the General Surgery Department."



Pursuing a career as a Nurse

Y Boi

Graduate of Kon Tum College Certificate in Pharmaceuticals

"Last October, I completed 3 years of study and received my college diploma. It was a very meaningful milestone in my life, a journey that without the companionship, help and love from Quy Hoi, I probably would not have been able to reach today. On graduation day, I was truly happy and moved by the presence of my parents, siblings and friends. My heart was not only filled with joy, but also deep gratitude to FVSO, who silently supported and gave me wings throughout my learning journey."



Pursuing a career as a Pharmacist



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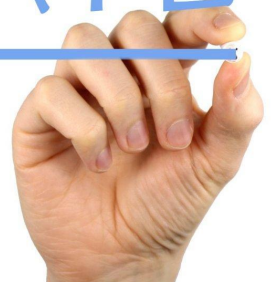
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