

## Sponsor a Child



**Andranik Malkhasyan,**

**Date & Place of Birth: 5 April 1993, Yerevan, Armenia**

**School: H.Kojoyan Secondary School, 8<sup>th</sup> Class**

### **FAMILY BACKGROUND**

Andranik Malkhasyan lives with his family (5 members): his unemployed father-Karen Malkhasyan, unemployed step-mother, sister, who is 16 years old and step-brother, who is 5 years old. His mother has serious psychiatric problems and lives in Psychiatric hospital far from Yerevan. When children were small their father divorced with her and took care of them alone till he got married again. The family monthly benefit from government as socially vulnerable family, but it is barely enough to feed children.

Andranik has been visiting Orran since July 2005. He is very clever and intelligent boy. Andranik likes painting and believes in God. He visits journalistic classes and fond of it very much. He dreams to becoming a psychologist or a deacon.

### **ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT 2006**

In 2006 Orran moved Andranik from boarding school to H.Kojoyan Art Secondary School. During his study at H.Kojoyan school we see his progress in all subjects. He is interesting in history and religion and spends a lot of time with the Orran volunteer-deacons from Gevorkyan Theological Seminary of Etchmiadzin.

### **EXIT STRATEGY**

He would like to enter into Gevorkyan Theological Seminary of Etchmiadzin. Orran teachers and volunteers will prepare him for the entry exams.

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**Hripsime Malkhasyan,**

**Date & Place of Birth: 19 December 1990, Yerevan, Armenia**

**School: H.Kojoyan Secondary School, 8<sup>th</sup> Class**

### **FAMILY BACKGROUND**

Hripsime Malkhasyan lives with her family (5 members): her unemployed father-Karen Malkhasyan, unemployed step-mother, brother, who is 13 years old and step-brother, who is 5 years old. Her mother has serious psychiatric problems and lives in Psychiatric hospital far from Yerevan. When children were small their father divorced with her and took care of them alone till he got married again. The family monthly benefit from government as socially vulnerable family, but it is barely enough to feed children.

Hripsime has been visiting Orran since July 2005.

She dreams of becoming a journalist.

### **ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT 2006**

In 2006 Orran moved Hripsime from boarding school to H.Kojoyan Art Secondary School. During her study at H.Kojoyan school we see her progress in all subjects. She started attend journalistic course and this help her to improve her Armenian writing and speech skills as well as she becomes motivated in history and literature.

### **EXIT STRATEGY**

Hripsime would like continue her education and become a journalist. Orran will assist her for the University entry exams.

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**Tamara Gasparyan,**

**Date & Place of Birth: 17 December 1992, Yerevan, Armenia**

**School: Yerevan Secondary School #7, 8<sup>th</sup> Class**

### **FAMILY BACKGROUND**

Tamara Gasparyan lives with her family (3 members): her unemployed father-Khachatur Gasparyan and brother, who is 10 years old. Her mother died when Tamara was 12 years old. She used to run away from the house and wandered about the streets until late night, not attending the school. When she started visiting Orran she went back to school and to her study. The family monthly benefit from government as socially vulnerable family, but it is barely enough to feed children.

Tamara has been visiting Orran since August 2005. She is very active girl who used to be a team leader. Tamara likes dancing and singing and dreams of becoming singer.

### **ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT 2006**

Attending school she tries to improve her knowledge. She does not spend now much time at the street. She participates at all theatrical and dance performances at Orran.

### **EXIT STRATEGY**

Tamara would like to enter into Romanos Melikyan Music College, department of popular music. Orran teachers and volunteers will prepare for the entry exams.

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**Mariam Khachaturova,**

**Date & Place of Birth: 12 June 1991, Yerevan, Armenia**

**School: V.Teryan Secondary School #60, 9<sup>th</sup> Class**

### **FAMILY BACKGROUND**

Mariam Khachaturova lives with her family (4 members): her unemployed aunt-Janna Khachaturova, cousins who are 17 and 14 years old. When Mariam was a small child her mother left her in the orphanage and went away (no information where she is now). Her aunt took her from the orphanage and takes care as about her own children.

The family monthly benefit from government as socially vulnerable family, but it is barely enough to feed children.

Mariam has been visiting Orran since October 2005. She is very well in poetry and painting. Mariam visits macramé classes and likes it very much. She likes theatre very much and dreams of becoming well known actress.

### **ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT 2006**

Mariam studied at special boarding school for children with learning disabilities. Orran moved Mariam from this school to ordinary secondary school. She has progress in all subjects and especially in literature. Now Mariam plays at school theatrical center and participates in the competitions organized between Yerevan schools theatrical centers.

### **EXIT STRATEGY**

After secondary school graduation Mariam would like to continue her education. With the help of Orran volunteers she will prepare for the University entry exams. Once Mariam has gained entrance to the University, Orran volunteers will continue to assist her with some subjects.

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**Alexander Dulyan,**

**Date & Place of Birth: 1 March 1993, Yerevan, Armenia**

**School: H.Kojoyan Secondary School, 8<sup>th</sup> Class**

### **FAMILY BACKGROUND**

Alexander Dulyan lives with his family (4 members): his unemployed mother-Marine Dulyan, sister and niece. His mother participated in Kharabagh war and was a brave fighter. His father died when he was a small child.

The family monthly benefit from government as socially vulnerable family, but it is barely enough to feed children.

Alexander has been visiting Orran since March 2006. He is very clever and intelligent boy. He is very well in handcraft and visits macramé classes at Orran. He likes painting and does the best to improve his art skills. Alexander dreams of becoming a psychologist or an artist.

### **ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT 2006**

Attending Orran he has not miss his school classes. Now regularly attend the school and has progress in painting.

### **EXIT STRATEGY**

After secondary school graduation Alexander would like to continue his education. With the help of Orran volunteers he will prepare for the University entry exams.

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### **Marianna Margaryan**

**Date & Place of Birth:** 16 June 1992, Yerevan, Armenia

**School:** Yerevan Secondary School #82, 8<sup>th</sup> Class

### **FAMILY BACKGROUND**

Marianna Margaryan lives with her family of six: her unemployed mother, a brother, two sisters with mental and learning disabilities and a two-year old daughter from one of these unmarried sisters. The family receives a monthly benefit from government as a socially vulnerable family, but it is barely enough to feed the children.

Marianna has been an Orran beneficiary since March 2002. She has vision problems and needs always to be under doctor's supervision and is continually seen by the physician at Orran. She is a very intelligent and clever girl. Teachers in the school are very satisfied with her achievements. Marianna also attends dancing lessons and likes dancing very much. She dreams of becoming a psychologist.

### **ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT 2006**

During 2006, Marianna made progress in English and Russian languages. Taught by an Orran teacher, Marianna has improved her English and Russian from grade 3 into 4. She started a course in journalism and this helped to improve her Armenian writing and speech skills. She is interested in Foreign and Armenian literature. She also continues her dance classes and has begun participating in concerts.

### **EXIT STRATEGY**

After secondary school graduation Marianna would like to continue her education. It was originally agreed with the Rector of Yerevan Economic-Juridical University that Marianna could continue her education at the University. Two years before her graduation from the secondary school, with the help of Orran volunteers, she will prepare for the University entry exams. Once Marianna has gained entrance to the University, Orran volunteers will continue to assist her with some subjects.