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WAYS TO HELP

Humanitarian
Goods Collection:
September 24-28

Priority Items

- Children's Clothing (ages from 0 to 17)
- New Shoes for all ages
- Food
- Hygiene Supplies
- School Supplies
- Blankets and Bedding
- Medical Supplies
- Mattresses
- Chairs, Tables, Child sleeping cots

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more information

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VOLUNTEER IN MISSION (Part 2)

June was the last month of Alyssa Stanley's mission work in Armenia and Karabagh. She came in February with great intent to teach the children of Berdzor English language, but ended up teaching it not only to the children, but also to the adults. The request came first from those adults, who wanted to learn English and then from the teachers of one of the schools, where Alyssa taught English. Eventually she had four groups: one students' group at the Christian Education Center, one at Berdzor school #2, one adults' group at the CEC and one teachers' group in the school. The biggest group was the students' group at the CEC, where she had 21 to 27 students. She had very busy schedule and some days of the week 3 to 4 different classes. The English teacher at the CEC helped her at the CEC and the English teacher at Berdzor school #2 helped her to work with the students and the teachers. When the May team was in Berdzor she organized special English classes with participation of the team members to help her in teaching the adults

communication skills. All - the students, the teachers and the adults were very thankful to Alyssa and some adults thought that these were the best courses they had ever had. Alyssa received a special letter of gratitude for teaching English. "...The

courses she conducted were very important, as they gave an opportunity to the students of English class to hear the native English speaking teacher, helped them study English grammar and vocabulary in use, build better



Along with her busy schedule Alyssa managed even helping the May building team

communication skills. The students learned more words along with the meaning that will enable them to feel more comfortable using the words correctly in speaking and writing. They gained a lot from an English class, because it emphasized on reading,

writing and grammar. This English course will allow them to become a better communicator. Besides, spoken English is used in the best careers, the best universities, and is increasingly being used at job interviews. So, English is a very important language to learn how to speak. And this English course was

very



important in all aspects.

We have been consistently impressed with Alyssa's attitude and productivity during the English classes, especially with her high sense of responsibility and organizational skills. Her friendly attitude towards the students added another positive description to her characteristics. She is open to new ideas and situations, always shows initiative and



creativity. Her ability to work collaboratively with others and especially with the students is amazing adding confidence to her personality.

We express our deepest gratitude to Alyssa Stanley for her volunteer work in teaching free English course to our students. Our students feel lucky to have gotten her as a teacher. We wish her all the very best in her future education and career."