# 2023 Tiyara Annual Report



### **DREAMS REALIZED!**

You made dreams come true in 2023.

For this, words will never be enough to express our gratitude. Ragul and his sister were raised by a single mother, ever since their father was murdered. Growing up, Ragul always dreamt of caring for his mother. He is now living his dream!

Roshni, expecting her first child, is paying it forward - educating children in her Daru community, who would otherwise be unable to attend school.

Through Nursing, Mahima and Enjal are honoring the memories of the mothers they lost to COVID-19.

Rachel and Sosang are standing on the shoulders of the first scholarship you gave them and are applying themselves further to achieving their long-term dreams of qualifying as a Lawyer and CPA, respectively.

You made these dreams come true!

In three years with Tiyara, you supported the graduation of 32 scholars. thirteen of whom increased their family income by up to six and a half times, benefiting at least 50 immediate family members.

With the transformational gift of education, together we gave Tiyara scholars the gift of agency – opportunities they did not have before and the power to choose and define their lives.

These scholars seized the chance you provided to broaden their minds and expand their worldviews, elevating them in every sphere of their lives.

Thirteen Tiyara graduates have forged pathways to further qualify themselves in pursuit of their dreams, some through internships and apprenticeships. Some, like Tiala, worked for a while and took a break to upskill themselves before furthering their careers.

Three became new mothers. One chose to give back to her community pro bono. Two new graduates began their job search.

Your thoughtfulness, generosity, compassion, sacrificial giving, commitment, and support are making life-changing differences in the lives of these young people.

You will always be remembered by the scholars you've elevated, their families and communities, and their future generations.

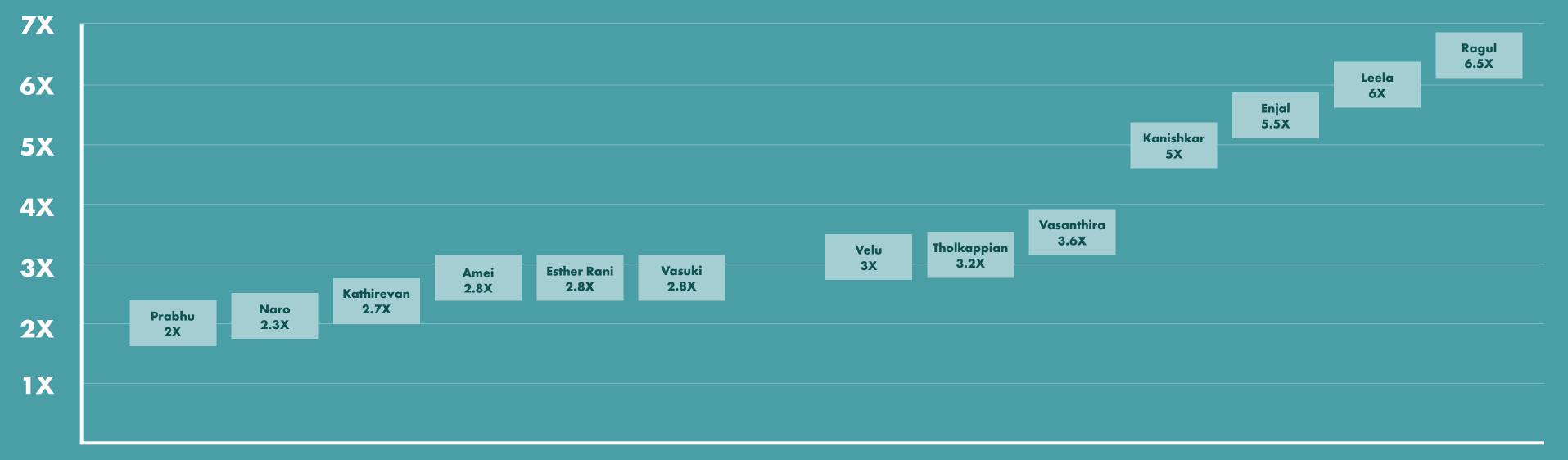
Your legacy of transforming lives is secure!

Tilly Samuel Sojwal

CEO

### **OUR SCHOLARS INCREASED** THEIR FAMILY INCOME

Your generosity resulted in at least 50 immediate beneficiaries - from Tiyara graduates becoming employed.



## WITH THE GIFT OF EDUCATION, YOU GAVE SCHOLARS THE POWER TO CHOOSE

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Graduates went on to higher studies

Began paying it forward as a teacher to students without access to education in her community

Became new mothers

Graduated & began gaining traction in their active search for paid employment





Your hard work & dedication are very inspiring to us. We wish you well in this holiday season.

God's blessings on you & your family.
- Martie & Andy

How very proud we are of your achievements! Your hard work & dedication are paying off. Your future looks bright. - **Marilyn** 

It will be difficult, but remember it's not impossible. Keep up the good work, and one day you will do great things. - **Abdullah** 



Merry Christmas! Keep up the good work of studying, reading and preparing for the workforce. I hope you have a special time with your family at this holiday season. - **Lori** 

We delivered your care in person







The crowd swayed to Bollywood music by a live band, and with dancers performing classical, folk and Bollywood dances.

It was an immersive evening including Indian cuisine and a scholar live-streamed from India.

A FUNDRAISER FOR TIYARA HIGHER-EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS TO THE MARGINALIZED

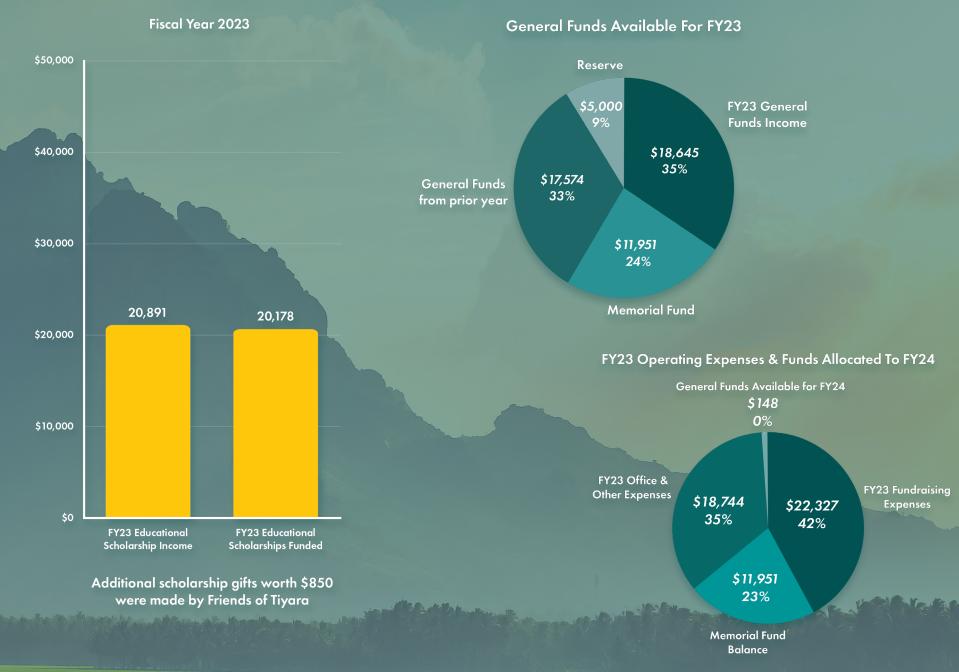
### YOU BUILT A 3-YEAR LEGACY

Scholarship funding exceeded scholarship income by \$11K (funded 119%)



In 2023 alone, 13 employed Tiyara graduates earned a combined income of over \$33,000!

### 2023 SCHOLARSHIPS & GENERAL FUNDS



### THE TIYARA TEAM



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Resource Development



Minjie Lee Graphic Design



Ellison Lambert
Communications

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