

# The Knights and Daughters of Vartan Visiting Armenia

### Our partnership with the Knights and Daughter of Vartan goes back to the inception of our organization; since then, over 30 families have benefited.

This fall, our long-time partners from The Knights and Daughters of Vartan visited the Gevorgyans from Aknashen village of Armavir region being assisted through their generous support.

The Gevorgyans have lived in a metal container lacking basic housing conditions for 17 years. Now the family has a new decent home to live, and their fourth child was born in the new house.

"We work diligently; however, hardly could we afford to build the house on our own, or maybe it would take us decades to finish the construction. When we received a call from the Fuller Center for Housing Armenia and were told that there are generous donors who will support us in building our dream home, I was speechless for a moment... God bless everyone involved. It's still impossible to imagine how foreign people who are not your relatives or friends can transform your life. I will always be grateful to them. God bless you and your families," shared Armine, the mother of the family.



### 290 Families Assisted through the RA Government Project

In 2019, The Government of RA entrusted the Fuller Center for Housing Armenia with the implementation of building homes for families living in the disaster zone of Lori, Shirak and Aragatsotn regions.

Since then, after 30 years of living in metal containers, 290 families have enjoyed the happiness of owing home.

The implementation of the project started in 2019 with 44 families supported in 13 communities. Another 61 families benefited in 2020.

The number of families assisted reached its peak in 2021 with 159 families assisted and ended in 2022 with 26 more families enjoying the happiness of homeownership.

To remind, AMD 2,820,599,527 (over \$7 000 000) was spent for the implementation of the program.



## JOIN OUR 2023 GLOBAL BUILDERS VOLUNTEER OPEN TEAMS

April 30 – May 13,

team leader: Abie Alexander

June 10 - 18,

team leader: Sanjay Rodrigo

June 18 - 30,

team leader: Leo Manuelian

September 5 - 19,

team leader: Cynthia Reimers Erickson

October 14 - 22

Team leader: Charles Milkovits

More teams will be registered soon, please check at www.fcharmenia.org

#### CONSIDER MAKING YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO:

The Fuller Center for Housing, PO Box 523, Americus, GA, 31709, USA

Please add "Armenia" in the memo line.

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www.fcharmenia.org (Donate)

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GB team, led by Kyle Kittrell



GB team, led by Saro Iskenderian

#### Homes that Love Builds; Global Builders Volunteer Teams Building Homes and Hope

When our Global Builders volunteer teams join us in our mission, time flies by in the blink of an eye, and the reason is that there is so much love, fun, caring attitude, moments full of jubilance, and rewarding experience.

This fall, we have hosted two incredible and enthusiastic teams, led by Kyle Kittrell and Saro Iskenderian.

Altogether, nine teams were hosted in 2022.

"Participating in a project with the Fuller Center in Armenia is an ex-

tremely enriching and meaningful experience. Skip that vacation to that place you have been already and go to Armenia and volunteer instead! I promise you won't regret!" shared Saro Iskenderian.

When people join to share the most precious, they have -- their love, goodwill, and effort to make decent housing possible for more families in housing need, they become an indispensable part of FCH Armenia's mission, they become friends, and we always look forward to meeting them in the future.