



Vidya Mandir 9th Grade.

Namaste,

My name is Renu. I am in 8th grade. I was born in India in Laxman Jhula. I am 13 years old. When I was 3 years old my father died. My mother was working in a tea shop but she got sick and was admitted to the hospital. My older sister stayed with my grandmother but she couldn't care for all of us so my brother and I went to live in a hostel. The hostel was called Ganga Valley School. She is pay for my mom. Then my mother got better and she is living with me there. When I am 12 years old in Ganga valley school my mother was working but then that teacher said to my mom you can take your child with you and then she took me out that school. Then we left that school my mom is working to support me for me by washing clothes but she is still not well. My mother knew about Ramana's Garden because my older sister was there so she took me there too so that I can have a bright future too. My mother is so weak and is usually too ill to work so she is not able to take care of us. My childhood was not good because my mother is living not with me. My sister and my brother did not live with me either. I do not remember my dad because he died when I was very young.

In Ramana's Garden they give me lot of love as part of the big Ramana's family so now I have many brothers and sisters and I have made so many friends. When I finish school I want to help other people who have no money. Every time I see people like that who have no food, no clothes or no place to sleep it makes me sad. I want to those people and I know that I am so lucky to be here in a wonderful place like Ramana's Garden.