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## FNTE Giving Thanks for YOU

### A Note From Our President

One of my favorite times of the year is Thanksgiving. The greatest kind of giving is thanksgiving. So, my team and I decided to give you THANKS with all our hearts.

Because of your support we have been able to provide clean water to over 10,000 people, have taken over 435 people out of extreme poverty, put 120 first generation kids in school, and the social and exponential impact these are creating for others is immeasurable. What I can't put a number on for you is our sincere gratitude to you.

Please watch this [video](#) and join us to be thankful. You have been a blessing and we are giving thanks for you.

Happy Thanksgiving to you and to your family from your FNTE family!



Alfred K. Koala

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### Giving Back and Giving Thanks

Butte College in California invited Alfred to speak to students during their annual International Education Week. As an

Alumnus, that was a big opportunity for Alfred to give back. The theme of his presentation was all about taking education beyond the classroom; a practical example of what FNTE is about. He exhorted his audience to embrace education as an opportunity and to be grateful for it. He also challenged them to take it beyond the classroom so that others can benefit from it and be grateful as well.



Butte College International Education Week

This challenge is also for you to be thankful for everything you have or have gone through this past year. Take thanksgiving beyond the turkey. Extending a dish to the neighbor could make the day a thanksgiving day. Any gift of its kind to someone you know is in need can turn your day into the very thanksgiving day; not to mention that a check to FNTE can make a lifetime difference for families who don't know when the next meal is.

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## Going Beyond the Turkey:

- Forgive
- Get the door for somebody else
- Give thanks for everything
- Give a chance to others
- Give a big smile
- Relax and be happy

FNTE is giving thanks for you!

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