



WHO IS Lottie Moon?

Lottie Moon changed the way Southern Baptists viewed missions by making it personal. In 1873, she sailed to China as a missionary — something unheard of for a single woman at the time. She lived simply among the people she served, learning their language and culture.

Through letters home, she shared stories that helped churches understand the needs of missionaries and people who had never heard the name of Jesus. She challenged believers to work together to send and sustain more missionaries. Her influence helped launch Woman's Missionary Union and inspired the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering® for International Missions.

She died on December 24, 1912, leaving a legacy of faith, generosity, and global missions.



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