



"What can we do to help you get down to Australia?"

Recently, we had a visit from our Australian friends, Shebu and Bek John. Shebu is part of a church planting network who was in the States for some training and was able to make a stop in California for a few days.

If you've been on our prayer team for awhile, you will recognize his name. Shebu was a student in Melbourne, Australia when we first started getting involved on campus down there. He later joined staff with CCC-Australia and then became a pastor. He really is a model for what we will be doing while we are in Australia. Reaching people, training them and then watching them take steps into leadership. It was encouraging to hear all that God is doing in their lives as they trust him to reach the city of Melbourne...and ultimately the world.

I love his heart for his country and his excitement to help us get down there. If I can get my editing skills going, I will clean up a short video he made for us. He's funny and passionate and I'd love for you to meet him. Keep your eyes posted on my Facebook page or our blog. I hope to have it up soon.

The next week, the National Campus Director for CCC-Australia was also in town. He was on a recruiting trip to the States to find staff and students willing to come help them. Andrew Bryan was able to sneak some time with us as well and it was great to reconnect with him in person. The last time I'd seen him was when we were down there the Summer of 2010.

It was exciting to hear about the ways God is moving in students' hearts and on campuses throughout Australia. Some campuses have staff, some are just student led...but hearing the ways that God is at work was awesome.

One of the things we enjoy about the people we will work alongside is their openness and faith to trust God even when obstacles seem so great. We pray that you will also continue to step out in faith...continue to trust...continue to intentionally pursue and love the people that God has put around you.

Thank you for joining with us!

prayer points:

For more opportunities to share the vision of reaching Australia.

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That our kids finish the year well with their school and with friends.

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That God continues to prepare us 3 and ready us for the work He has before

