



# THE SILLYSHEEP PEN

*finding the lost, binding the brokenhearted*

**APRIL 2011** by Joe Chau

**Great News!** Jen is pregnant and we will be expecting our 4th child in November. We don't know whether it's going to be a boy or girl yet. But we're excited that God has decided to add to our family. Please pray for Jen as she's been feeling the effects of morning sickness. Also, please pray that the child will continue to flourish as he or she is being miraculously knitted in the womb.

**Big Break was pretty amazing:** One of the more encouraging stories was about Jin, a junior in biology. At Big Break, Jin and I were paired up to go sharing on the 2nd day. As we passed a large group of students playing soccer and drinking, we decided to approach the group. After a while we were able to talk with a student from England and led him to the Lord. Later, Jin expressed how he was surprised that we actually approached such a large group of students and that God was able to use us. In the following days, Jin's confidence in God's Spirit grew. He began to believe that God could use him. And indeed God did use Jin! Jin helped lead two others to Christ at Big Break. He has also been active in sharing his faith back here at UMass. One of the most encouraging things at Big Break this year, was that many of our students (perhaps as many as half) were able to share in the joy of having a hand in seeing someone

come into a loving relationship with Jesus. In all we saw 26 people come to know Christ through our group from UMass (and the 5 colleges).

**Lastly,** this weekend was the North East Region's Intern Kickoff Weekend. In all we sent 4 students who have applied and have been accepted to an internship with Campus Crusade for Christ. Aaron, Christina, Jeff & Matt are taking a step of faith to offer up a year of their lives to serve God full time. In the next two months they will need to raise between \$30k-\$40k, to cover, living and ministry expenses (as well as taxes). Pray that they will be full of faith and that God would open doors for them. Please also pray for their ministry next year, that it will be fruitful as well as an incredible learning experience for them. I know that they are all open to full time ministry for a life time if that is God's calling. Please pray for them as they consider these things over the course of the next year.

Thank you for your many prayers and your faithful financial partnership. We cannot say how much we appreciate you all enough.



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