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Dearest Friends,

We're fully embracing the Spring semester at Cal State Fullerton! Staff and students have been putting up stakes and flyers all over campus, getting the word out and inviting others to join us in knowing Christ better. It has been so encouraging to see students willing to reach out to their campus. I think this is in large part due to enthusiasm gained at the annualWinter Conference in late 2009.

The buzz was out. Fellow staff from around the region were talking about our group. "Christina, how many students did you guys bring this year?" We were praising God for 44 students from our campuses. But, we wanted to trust God for more than just students' presence. We were trusting God to impact these students' lives. He did.

On the first night, we broke into groups to pray together. One guy confessed he didn't want to be there initially, and someone else said she had social anxiety. We prayed. It was incredible to see these students later in the conference. They both shared their faith in Jesus for the first time during the Day of Faith and experienced worship and Biblical teaching with almost a thousand other college students.

The change didn't stop there; I was in awe of what I heard afterward. A freshman girl told me about some serious changes she's making in her life. Elizabeth is truly letting God lead her in a new way. We went out together during our weekly evangelism time, and this girl is really learning how to minister to fellow students. One of many touched at

Winter Conference, Elizabeth is more effective at influencing others' lives for Jesus and experiening Him in her own life.

Grace and Peace,

Christina

