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Dear Friends,

Some of the best news I got this semester was that Julia was returning to San Diego. She spent the first half of her senior year at UCSD online from Poland. We met on Zoom weekly despite the nine hour time difference, but we now have the option of meeting in person!

Julia stayed involved with Bridges, our international students' group, from overseas. The entire year, she's been an active participant in Cinema Paradiso. Every other Tuesday believers and unbelievers have gathered to discuss a movie chosen by someone in the group. Everyone then watches an important scene from the film and discusses a key theme brought up in the story. The conversation is then connected to a Bible passage relating to the theme, whether it be freedom, justice, love, or the like.

Julia has been so faithful in attending Cinema Paradiso and welcoming new students from around the world. She applied her Catholic background to connect in particular with fellow international students from Europe and also from Brazil. We're sad to see Julia graduate and pray for more leaders like her next year.

At the same time, we're excited for Julia's future endeavors in the international work force. After applying to grad schools across the world (and being accepted to many prestigious universities) Julia has decided to continue her education in the MBA program at Yale.

Please pray for Julia and the other graduating seniors. They desire to continue walking closely with Christ. Some of them will stay involved with us in some capacity in San Diego. Others will move on to completely new paths. Please pray that whatever the case, they will remember Christ's deep love for them. Please also pray they'll remember the vision they've been given for sharing Christ with people from all around the world. We've deeply enjoyed serving and growing together with them during their time in college. We sincerely hope they'll stay close to Jesus and remain bright lights of His wherever they go!

In Christ,

Christina



Please join me in praying for~

- graduating Bridges leaders at UCSD and SDSU to stay strong in their faith and witness of Christ
- the Lord to raise up new student leaders for Bridges and Cru for next school year
- Mayu, who is joining staff with Cru in Japan, training in Nagoya; Shion who is interviewing to join staff
- Mio, my dear friend in Tokyo, who is exploring Christianity as she writes papers for Cal State Long Beach