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Dearest Friend,

Focusing on the fall semester has been giving me a thankful heart. God is blessing us at Cal State Fullerton. I'm thankful for the students who sacrifice time and energy in their lives to seek after God and help reflect His image to their campus. I've been really impressed as we've been preparing for the upcoming year.

Ali and Greg are two sophomores that I especially look forward to serving alongside. They'll be directing our weekly meeting this year. The role Ali and Greg are playing is probably the most involved yet least public position of what we call our servant teams. Every week of the semester, they'll be responsible for coordinating with the emcees, the speaker, the worship leaders, and several others. From nametags and announcements to Bible teaching, they have a lot to juggle behind the scenes. This job is important because our weekly meeting is the first exposure many people have to Campus Crusade for Christ. We wholeheartedly seek to present God's heart (and ours) in an attractive way. I have the intimidating privilege of coaching Ali and Greg this year.

As details for the fall are coming together, I'm reminded of a vital Word, "Commit your work to the Lord, and your plans will be established." Proverbs 16:3

Our staff and students have prioritized spending time with the Lord in his Word and in prayer. Before we made decisions, we genuinely tried to look at and listen to God. I'm so thankful for this! Now, I ask for your help in prayer. The ideas and events we have in place will be worthless unless we continue to follow the Lord. **Please pray for our staff and students to work out of love for God and people. Please pray for us to interact with each other and those we meet on our campuses with humility and gratitude. I'll list some key events below in case you'd like to pray during these times.**

My main focus will continue to be at Cal State Fullerton, but our staff team will be working with students from six campuses (CSUF, Long Beach State, Long Beach City College, Santiago Canyon College, Fullerton College, and Santa Ana College.) I imagine that if our work is fully committed to the Lord, there will be an unbelievable impact amongst the 165,000 students at these schools.



My team: Merrilee, Alison, Kristen and Jonathan (with daughter Lucy), Laura, Me, Michelle, Matt, and Jared

Grace and Peace,

Christina

Meeting freshman through brief surveys, Aug. 23rd-25th 9 am-3 pm

Weekly Mtgs., Wed. noon

Welcome party (TSU Takeover), Aug. 27th 8-11 pm

Small Group Launch, Sep. 1st 1 pm

New to Cru. Dinner, Sep. 9th 6 pm

Men's and Women's Socials, Sep. 18th 2 pm

Fall Retreat, Sep. 24th-26th