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“GOD IS LOVE” – What’s Your Story?

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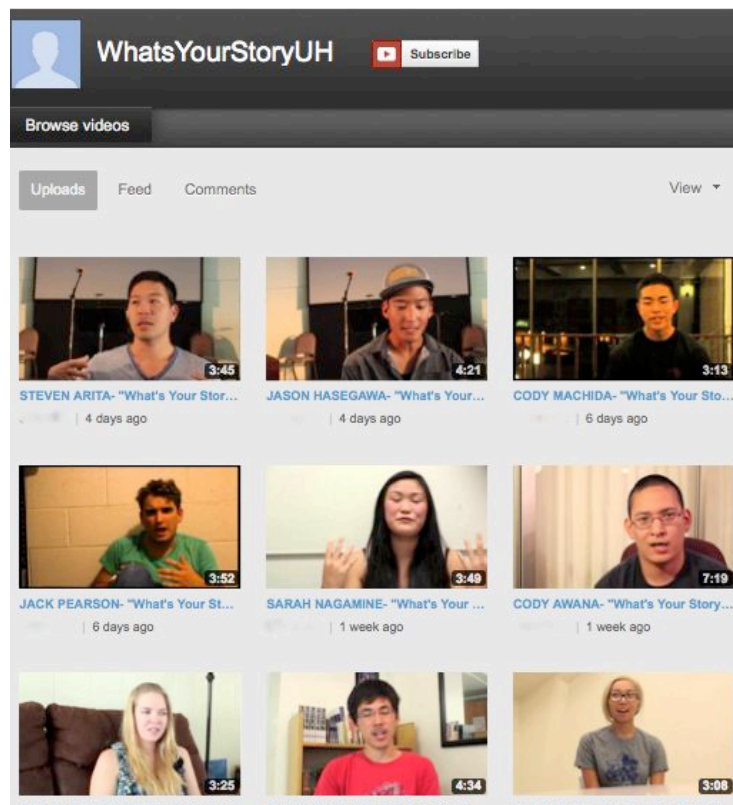
WHAT A FUN FEW WEEKS! I have to admit, when we first embarked on this “What’s Your Story?” outreach journey, I was skeptical about how it would go. I mean, for this idea to work, a huge chunk of our students would have to get excited about it and participate. And what we were asking of our students was totally outside of their comfort zone, outside of anything

familiar. And yet, in prayer (and some fear) we stepped forward and got our students excited about *story* as being a crucial part of God’s character- that He loves story, has a spectacular story of His own, and writes beautiful stories in our lives and weaves those stories into His own. From there, we challenged them to each figure out their “story” of how they came to know Jesus and what difference that has made. Then we asked them to take a step of faith and record their stories on video and upload them to a YouTube channel (for which we’d advertised all over campus) for their fellow UH students and all their Facebook friends to see.

Definitely scary stuff. But on February 25, 55 videos went live! In the week since, the videos have had more than 6000 views! They have already sparked conversation with family and friends who don’t know Jesus. Even just the exercise of each person figuring out their own story and getting to share that with each other has been a powerful experience! Our February 28 event where students shared their stories live through speech, poetry and dance, and where the evening was capped by Shaun sharing the gospel with the ~150 person audience, was just icing on a spectacular cake! Praise God for His work of writing beautiful stories of redemption in each of our lives. Praise God for all the people who were exposed to the good news of Jesus through this outreach.

Please continue to pray for the hearts of the viewers, that they would ask questions of our students and through that, come to know Christ! And pray for those interactions our students will be having with their friends and family who watched their videos!

And please go to youtube.com/WhatsYourStoryUH to watch some yourself!!! You’ll be blessed! Promise.



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