

# ALOHA KE AKUA

"GOD IS LOVE" – Sabbatical  
November 2018

*Building spiritual movements everywhere so that everyone know someone who truly follows Jesus*

Coming to my 10th year on staff with Cru, I'm grateful to have taken my first sabbatical from Oct15-Nov15. Thanks to all of you who have been praying with and for me during this month of reflection, slowing down, and intentional time with the Lord. My prayer going into this month was that it be restful but not wasteful. The Lord has been challenging me and I am so grateful to have had space to sit with him and simply listen. Prayer has been the main thing that has come out of my time on sabbatical and what it looks like to really build upon prayer as the cornerstone of everything I do. It was such a sweet time to make space to listen and wait upon the Lord and I'm excited for what this next season holds, as I trust him and join him in what he is already doing. Thanks so much for praying for me, for being an example of faith, and for joining me in the work that is set before us!



Coming off of sabbatical, it was perfect to enter into a time of Thanksgiving. This last week I was in Dallas for our Annual Leadership Gathering where 750+ of our Cru leaders from around the nation joined together to dream, strategize, pray, and enter into what God is doing in this ministry and the world. We entered into some honest conversations about race and ethnicity and entering into the ethnic minority pain, experiences, and stories in order to fully understand God's redemption at work. I am so thankful for the team leaders I get to serve and work with and more than that, the reminder of what we get to be a part of in reaching EVERY.



## Special Prayer Request:

**From Dec 11-19, I will be co-leading a team of Team Leaders to East Asia for a special expedition trip. We will be working with international staff to launch key student volunteers on our new partnership campuses. Please pray for all visas to get approved, for finances to come through, and for Christian students to surface with a desire to reach their campuses, families, and country. Pray for safety and especially as Christmas is coming, opportunities for us to share the birth of Jesus.**

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We envision Asian American movements mobilized to take our place in God's redemptive mission, and 1) seeing they have a unique place in missions history and the future of missions, 2) that they are bridge-builders - representing both the empowered and the powerless of society, and 3) they are coming together, fully surrendered, actively engaged in God's work.

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