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Dear Friends,

At noon on Friday we closed the registration site for Preview Weekend. This is a weekend away for students to process God's leading in their lives and to consider what joining Campus Crusade for Christ for a year or more could look like.

We set a goal for 50 students to attend and approached a few donors to give so the students and staff attend could attend for free. Since we are hoping to recruit these students to work with us when they graduate, it is appropriate, like any employer, that we treat them to the weekend. We underestimated the response. We have have 89 students registered and others on a waiting list!

Why this is so exciting for me is not just because it will be a great weekend, but because of what we expect will happen as a result of it. I see the benefit on three levels: the students themselves will be blessed and encouraged, they will live surrendered lives bringing glory to God, and many will join with us as interns or staff, which will help us in turn reach more students.

These increased numbers have created a few problems - we've maxed out the meeting room, some will have to stay at a different hotel, and we need to raise more money because of the overwhelming response. But how worth it to have so many students attending! ☺ Please pray for Julie who is running the logistical side of things.

Here are some other things to pray for that weekend (November 5 - 7):

- \* God will call many of those attending to come with us for a year or more!
- \* For me as I plan worship times and cast vision for graduating students to join us.
- \* Please pray God provides the additional funding.

Thank you. As you well know, it is our partnership together that God uses. I appreciate your involvement in prayer and your financial gifts that make all of this possible. It is a privilege to be expending my energies to help others know God and I couldn't do it without you!

Bridging the gap for students to know God,

*Liz*

