A WORD FROM EAM WENIG

Sometimes a picture is worth 1,000 words, but other times the moment is too special to take a picture...

With the opportunities God allows us to serve in, we LOVE sharing stories and pictures with you all! That's because YOU are such a key part of these stories too! But sometimes its challenging, because we are in moments that are so special and even fragile we can't take a picture or it wouldn't be right...so we want to cast vision for what God has been doing through your generosity, but don't always have the pictures to match what He is doing.

This semester as we have been diving into the theme of Discovering the Character of God at Badger Life, it has created some awesome follow up conversations! We have been in awe of the ways He is stirring students hearts and building conversations about eternal things. What a relationship with Jesus really means...Talking about DEEP questions about faith and science and how they can fit together instead of oppose each other...Wrestling with the cost of discipleship and what it would mean to "get off the fence" and let go of strongholds that entangle us and hold us back from following Him...Navigating big decisions about the future and asking God into those instead relying on ourselves independently. **Ultimately all of these questions and more come back to "What do I believe about God?"** Jayne and several of the ladies she has been meeting with have been diving into the book <u>What on Earth am I Here For? (The Purpose</u>

<u>Driven Life</u>) as a tool for strengthening or establishing a foundation for some of these beliefs and then conversations! It has been really amazing to see God using this resource to plant seeds and draw roots deeper for student athletes and coaches we are honored to serve. Please pray for them and for us in the process of drawing closer to God! We are trusting that as we look to Him, He will meet us where we are at in a special way!

Going Back to Central Asia in July!

The opportunity to continue growing in understanding and serving in Central Asia is one that completely humbles and excites Jayne (and our family as we encourage her in going there).

Witnessing God moving in the hearts and lives of people, especially women, in this country where the most common message is the lie that they are not valued, is life and faith altering. When you face such hopelessness and yet see the majestic light of Christ in that oppressive darkness, you "taste & see" Him in a way that compels you differently. It grows your own faith, but also creates an opportunity to serve uniquely and also a desire take others to experience Him there too. Would you pray with us for the details of the projects and retreats we will be hands and feet for to come together. Please also pray for the team that God would have go with us. It will be a small, but special team to keep us and those we serve secure. Pray for us to have hearts that say "Here I am, send me"...and "that Your kingdom might come to earth as it is in heaven."

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- For new relationships that are growing and developing trust and authenticity.
- For God knitting together opportunities that only He could orchestrate!
- For 3 Edgewood College athletes discovering new life in Christ!

Trusting God for:

- The end of the semester finish... Spring always goes SO fast on campus. Please pray for us to know how to make the most of opportunities. Easter is always such a special time of outreach!
- This exciting season of transition where older student athletes hand the baton to younger teammates and challenge them to become leaders who multiply their lives.



THANK YOU for partnering with us on mission! Lives are being changed for eternity. TO GOD BE THE GLORY!

> Kyle, Jayne, AJ, Leisel, George & Simon

